

AGRICULTURE, FOOD, AND NATURAL RESOURCES

OCCUPATION AND TRAINING OUTLOOK

MACOMB COUNTY | JANUARY 2020

INTRODUCTION

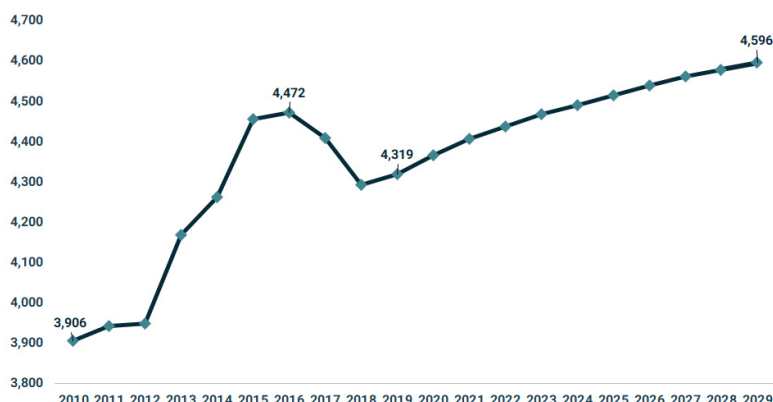
Careers pathways in agriculture and natural resources include areas such as agricultural sciences, earth sciences, environmental sciences, food science, fisheries, forestry, horticulture, and wildlife. These jobs require a collection of science, business, and technical knowledge along with an understanding of plants, animals, and the environment.

**4,319
WORKERS
EMPLOYED**

WAGE DISTRIBUTION AND JOB OPENINGS

	ENTRY	MEDIAN	EXPERIENCED	ANNUAL OPENINGS
Farmers, Ranchers, and Other Agricultural Managers	\$7.65	\$17.86	\$59.34	34
Environmental Science and Protection Technicians, Including Health	\$16.80	\$22.87	\$33.45	5
Veterinarians	\$30.17	\$34.30	\$83.68	11
Landscaping and Groundskeeping Workers	\$10.80	\$13.27	\$19.93	427
Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Technical and Scientific Products	\$25.75	\$34.18	\$68.21	72

EMPLOYMENT OVER TIME*



TOP POSTING EMPLOYERS

- Banfield Pet Hospital
- HomeAdvisor, Inc.
- Target Corporation
- Gca Services Group, Inc.
- Medical Sales Recruiting LLC
- Sun Communities, Inc.
- Trugreen
- White Chapel Memorial Association Inc
- ABM Industries Incorporated
- Vetco Clinics

* Employment and job opening data do not reflect self-employed individuals

INDUSTRY EXPERTISE

Agriculture and Natural Resources workers are hired by companies both in and out of traditional agriscience areas. Employers with the most online job postings are in industries such as Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services, Professional, Technical, and Scientific Services, Construction, Retail Trade, Health Care and Social Assistance, and Real Estate and Rental and Leasing.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

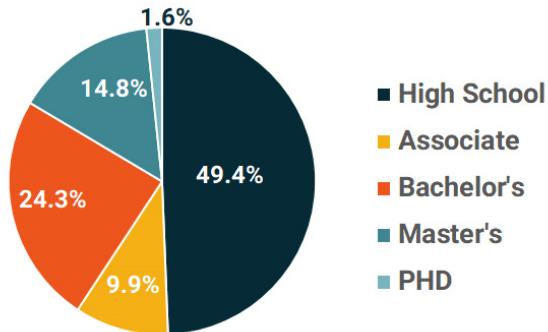
- Landscaping
- Mowing
- Irrigation
- Preventive Care
- Groundskeeping
- Medical Records
- Home Care
- Pharmaceuticals
- Mulch
- Trimming

SOFT SKILLS

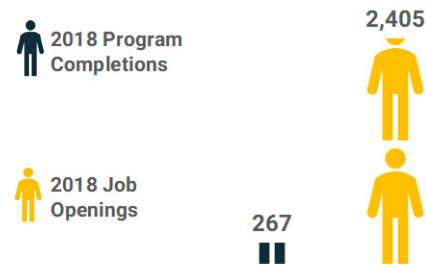
- Sales
- Valid Driver's License
- Communications
- Customer Service
- Management
- Research
- Cleanliness
- Leadership
- Coordinating
- Problem Solving

EDUCATION AND CREDENTIALS

POSTINGS BY EDUCATION LEVEL



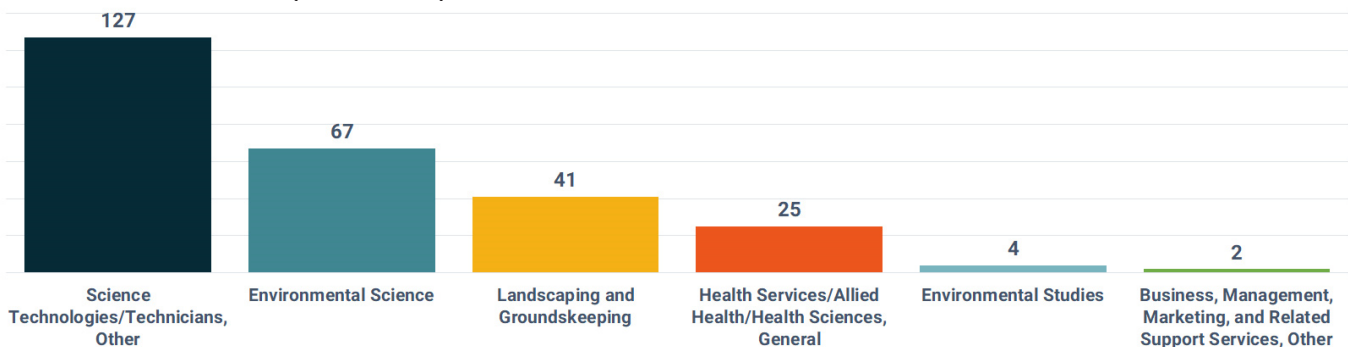
JOB OPENINGS VS COMPLETIONS



TOP POSTED CERTIFICATIONS

- Doctor Of Veterinary Medicine (DVM/VMD)
- Commercial Driver's License (CDL)
- Pesticide Applicator License
- Prestressed Concrete Special Inspector
- Radiologic Technologist
- Certified First Responder
- Certified Forklift Operator
- HAZWOPER Certification
- National Registry Emergency Medical Technician
- Nurse Practitioner

MACOMB, OAKLAND, AND WAYNE COUNTY 2018 PROGRAM COMPLETIONS



Schools Offering Programs: Oakland Community College • UM Dearborn • Wayne State University