**PA AG AND FOOD CAREERS PROFILE ACTIVITY GUIDE**

**Time:** 30 minutes

**Objectives:**

1. Students can identify 6 different Agricultural Career pathways.

2. Students can explain the skillset and education needed for an Agricultural Career pathway of their interest.

3. Students can identify one Agricultural Career or pathway they want to explore further after completing this activity.

**Materials:**

* Career Profile Sheet (Printed)
* Career Infographic Cards (Printed)
* Pencils
* Colored Pencils/Crayons
* Electronic Device

**Activity:**

1. Have students take the Career Quiz on [www.agandfoodcareersinpa.com](http://www.agandfoodcareersinpa.com).

2. Allow the students to select the Career Infographic Card that correlates with their Career Quiz results.

3. Explain to students that there are many different careers within the agricultural industry. Identify the six pathways, and have the students work as a class to match their career to a certain pathway.

4. Discuss as a class why there are so many career opportunities within the agriculture industry, include that each career has a different educational requirement. Identify some of the careers that each student received on the career quiz.

5. Have the students individually fill out the Career Profile Sheet based on their prior knowledge, and information from the [www.agandfoodcareersinpa.com](http://www.agandfoodcareersinpa.com) website.

6. Review the various Career Profiles by concluding class with a gallery walk. As students walk, have them identify three knew things they learned on a sticky note as a ticket out the door.

**Discussion Points:**

· Why are each of these career pathways important to agriculture?

· How does this help the agriculture industry?

· Did your career fit into the pathway you originally thought, why or why not?

· What did you learn about these careers that you did not know before?

· How are the various careers in agriculture connected?

· Why are so many careers tied to agriculture, food, and natural resources?