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Dear Susie

I farm 3500 acres of arable crops, a 1100 kWe Anaerobic Digester and Broiler Chicken farm producing 2.5 million birds per year all in Shropshire.

We employ 10 people on the farm and we are constantly looking for new people and I think this qualification will help us with that.

We use all the latest technology and up to date methods. People also have to take responsibility for their own part in the business.

City & Guilds Level 2 Technical Certificate in Agriculture

We support the above qualification, as the skills and knowledge within it would give a young person an advantage when progressing to employment, to an apprenticeship, or undertaking further training.

Essential core skills for entering into the agricultural industry, which are contained within this qualification are:

- Working in the agricultural industry and knowing the opportunities within it
- Health and safety – working safely on a farm, hazards and risks, basic risk assessment
- Being able to operate agricultural machinery
- Farm animal production and husbandry
- Crop husbandry and crop health
- Estate maintenance skills such as fencing and boundary maintenance
- Plants and animal physiology
- Work experience of 150 hours

Potential job roles that this qualification could lead to include general farm worker, tractor operator, agricultural machinery operator or trainee stockperson.

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Yours



Guy Davies
Owner