Working Farmscape

A Farm-Based Vocational Training Program



Program Details:

Participants engage in learning modules that follow the seasonal rhythms of nature and the farm environment including:

- Animal Interactions
- Horse Grooming
- Care for livestock
- Trail & Fence Maintenance
- Basic Farm Chores
- Time on the farm typically is 1-2 hours weekly for a preset period, e.g. 6-12 weeks. Job coaches can be provided but due to the liabilities on the farm, all activities are supervised.
- All vocational programs can be customized for an individual or group through a school or agency contract.
- This program is a fee for service training program and may be subsidized with funding through Friends of Carlisle Academy.

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About Farmscape

Stewarding animals, farm, and nature

The Working Farmscape Program is a vocational training course using horticulture and animal husbandry to provide practical farm-based skills training and development. The program partners with agencies and schools working with a small group of teens or adults, including veterans and individuals involved with vocational training or rehabilitation.

This program is led by Carlisle's credentialed instructors, master gardeners, and supported by occupational therapy interns focused on meaningful work and hands-on experiential learning in a restorative farm setting.

Participants have the opportunity to care for horses and livestock, rotationally graze sheep, tend to chickens, and perform basic farm and barn chores.