
Citrus Orchard Foreman Occupational Learning

Formative Activities
Assessment Guide

G2:
Harvest Preparation

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Answer the following questions based on the farm you are completing your work experience at:

1. Who determines the tools and equipment needs for harvest?

Pertinent Information	Marks Awarded:
Personnel responsible for determining tool and equipment needs	1

2. Who orders the tools and equipment for harvest?

Pertinent Information	Marks Awarded:
Personnel responsible for ordering tools and equipment	1

3. Which companies supply the harvesting tools and equipment to the farm?

Pertinent Information	Marks Awarded:
Companies that supply harvesting tools and equipment	3

4. When was new harvesting equipment last ordered and what equipment was it?

Pertinent Information	Marks Awarded:
Date of last new equipment order	1
New equipment ordered (e.g. We ordered new tractors and trailers)	2

5. Why was the new equipment in the previous question ordered?

Pertinent Information	Marks Awarded:
Reason for ordering new equipment (e.g. Our old tractors were not powerful enough to handle the new volumes of fruit we transport)	2

6. Who is in charge of researching new technologies and techniques?

Pertinent Information	Marks Awarded:
Personnel responsible for researching new technologies and techniques	1

7. What was the last new piece of technology or technique introduced to the farm?

Pertinent Information	Marks Awarded:
Last new piece of technology or technique (e.g. We introduced a new method of transporting fruit to the packhouse using trailers instead of bins)	3