

STAG Program

Who is Eligible?

Soldiers (and spouses) within 180 days of ETS/ Retirement and Veterans.

How Do I Apply?

Contact Liz Joseph
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914-489-5330 (call or text)

Program Location

Cumberland County Cooperative Extension
301 E Mountain Drive
Fayetteville, NC 28306

Dates

January 17- February 17, 2023
April 17- May 19, 2023
July 31- August 31, 2023
9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Monday - Friday
(Fridays are virtual)



Downloadable
STAG Brochure

Visit the Soldiers to Agriculture website:
<https://cumberland.ces.ncsu.edu/soldiers-to-agriculture/>

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Career Skills Program

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Accommodation requests related to a disability should be made two weeks prior to Liz Joseph, 910-321-6862 or Liz_Joseph@ncsu.edu.

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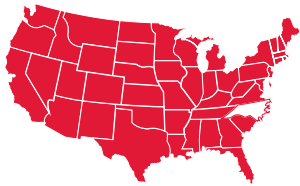
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NC Agriculture



2x The world must double current food production in 30 years to feed a population estimated at nine billion.



North Carolina livestock is worth \$8 billion a year. It ranks 2nd in the nation in poultry, turkey, pork and trout production.



North Carolina is the nation's third most diverse agricultural state, with nearly all climatic and soil conditions represented.

Agribusiness is the number one sector in the state's economy.

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Soldiers to Ag (STAG) Program

The five-week STAG Program offers an in-depth introduction to the many careers in agriculture. You'll receive hands-on training in and outside of the classroom.

Class topics will include:

- Local agricultural resources
- Starting a small business
- General agribusiness
- Agricultural law
- Land use
- Veteran agricultural resources
- Careers in agriculture
- Technical/hands-on opportunities
 - Soils
 - Composting
 - Forestry
 - Livestock production
 - Aquaculture
 - Agritourism
 - Horticulture
 - Turf/landscaping
 - Beekeeping
 - Row crops
 - Pest Management
- Resume building
- Interview preparation
- Mock interviews with agricultural professionals
- Career fair
- On-farm internships

