

A Study on preferences towards Agri Enterprises of Agri. School Students of Marathwada Region

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ABSTRACT

Agriculture is a traditional occupation of rural people and also fundamental livelihood of Indians. Present study was undertaken at Agricultural School, Nanded. School students were supposed to be the primary concern in agriculture sector for entrepreneurship development. Present study highlights the overall outlook, role and perception of agricultural school students about the agriculture as an enterprise. Seventy five percent students joined school for getting job and 39 percent students for enterprise. It is further reported that 75 percent students will work on their own field activities like helping the supervision, cleaning the field, spraying, harvesting, fodder cutting and bringing etc. So it is desirable to involve school students in different extension activities, transfer of technology programmes as they are grass- root level worker for imparting training and disseminating the innovations in agricultural field.

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