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AgDiscovery: Participating Universities

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APHIS partners with 20 colleges and universities nationwide to deliver the AgDiscovery program. The program is held on the university campuses during the summer. Many of the Federal Government's plant scientists, veterinarians, biotechnologists, and wildlife biologists work at APHIS. While attending AgDiscovery, you will have the opportunity to learn about many exciting careers in APHIS.

2024 Participating Universities

University	Type	Dates	Eligible Grades (currently in)	Age Restrictions
Alcorn State University	Animal	June 9-22, 2024	7-11	n/a
Coppin State University	Combination	July 14-26, 2024	8-11	14-17 only
Delaware State University	Agribusiness	July 7-20, 2024	8-11	n/a

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<u>Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University</u>	Animal	June 9-22, 2024	8-11	n/a
<u>Fort Valley State University</u>	Animal	June 10-21, 2024	9-11	14-17 only
<u>Fresno State University</u>	Combination	June 10-20, 2024	9-11	14-17 only
<u>Iowa State University</u>	Combination	July 7-20, 2024	9-11	15-17 only
<u>Kentucky State University</u>	Animal	June 9-22, 2024	9-11	16-17 only
<u>Lincoln University in Missouri</u>	Combination	July 7-20, 2024	8-11	n/a
<u>North Carolina State University</u>	Combination	June 17-28, 2024	10-11	n/a
<u>Prairie View A&M University</u>	Combination	June 3-14, 2024	9-12	15-17 only
<u>Purdue University</u>	Combination	July 7-19, 2024	9-11	15-17 only
<u>South Carolina State University</u>	Combination	June 9-21, 2024	8-11	n/a
<u>Tuskegee University</u>	Combination	June 2-15, 2024	9-11	n/a
<u>University of Arizona</u>	Combination	June 10-22, 2024	9-11	16-17 only
<u>University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff</u>	Combination	June 8-21, 2024	8-11	n/a
<u>University of Hawaii at Mānoa</u>	Combination	July 7-20, 2024	9-11	n/a
<u>University of Texas Rio Grande Valley</u>	Plant	June 22-July 3, 2024	9-11	

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University of the Virgin Islands	Combination	July 14-27, 2024	7-12	
Virginia State University	Animal	June 16-30, 2024	10-11	

Important Information About AgDiscovery Applications

Applicants can only apply to **one** AgDiscovery program each year. The programs are categorized in four areas of discipline: agribusiness, plant, animal, and combination. Applicants cannot repeat participation within the same discipline. For example, suppose a student has *previously* attended a program in the animal area of discipline. In that case, the student is only eligible to participate in a program in one of the three remaining disciplines (agribusiness, plant, or combination). [Learn how to apply.](#)

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