

Farmer, Poultry Breeding

Aliases: Poultry Farmer, Chicken Farmer

Industry/Sector(s): Agriculture

JOB DESCRIPTION ²

The tasks a Farmer, Poultry Breeding is expected to perform include:

- Selecting and purchasing pure bred fowls according to egg production, size, prizes won, etc.
- Pairing birds for breeding, either naturally or through artificial insemination
- Feeding and watering poultry
- Cleaning and disinfecting poultry houses, cages, and nests
- Vaccinating the poultry and other fowl
- Inspecting and disposing or segregating infected poultry
- Collecting, inspecting and packing eggs
- Maintaining growth, feed, and production records
- Hiring and supervising workers
- Incubating fertile eggs
- Arranging with wholesalers for sale of pedigreed poultry and eggs

WORK ENVIRONMENT ²

- It is a field job
- Work from home is not available
- Part-time work or contractual jobs maybe available
- Supervising other Farm Workers is required
- Local travelling is part of the job

Working hours

- There are no fixed working hours
- Overtime is common
- Shift system is applicable

Is the job suitable for a candidate with special needs?

No

EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS AND TRAINING ³

Minimum– No entry barrier, preferably 10th standard pass, with Science as a subject

KEY COMPETENCIES ²

- Knowledge of different types, breeds and sizes of chicken and fowl
- Knowledge of poultry and fowl nutrition and care
- Knowledge of maintaining health and hygiene, disease prevention and vaccination
- Skilled in marketing activities for the sale of poultry products
- Knowledge of the latest developments in poultry farming and breeding techniques
- Proficient in basic arithmetic

DESIRABLE COMPETENCIES

Not applicable

AVAILABLE SKILL TRAINING AND LEARNING INSTITUTES

- School of Agriculture (SOA) IGNOU
- ICAR colleges and institutes across India
- Central Avian Research Institute (CARI) CARI, Izatnagar Uttar Pradesh Pin: 243 122 Phone: 91-581-2301261(O); 91-581-2301220; 2301320 Fax: 91-581-2301321 E-mail us: cari_director@rediffmail Website: <http://www.icar.org> .
- National School of Open Schooling B-31B, Kailash Colony, New Delhi Phone: 29231181-85, 29241458 Website: <http://www.nios.ac.in/>
- Central Poultry Development Organisation colleges across India
- Krishi Vigyan Kendras across India
- Livestock management colleges and institutes across India

AVAILABLE SKILL TRAINING SCHEMES/SCHOLARSHIPS

- <http://nscsindia.org/AboutUs.aspx>
- <http://www.icar.org.in/en/node/378>
- <http://www.dahd.nic.in/dahd/schemes/animal-husbandary.aspx>
- <http://www.ignou.ac.in/ignou/aboutignou/school/soa/programmes/detail/129/2>

SAMPLE OF TRAINING AND LEARNING COURSES

- <http://aau.in/college-menu/department/784~834>
- http://www.sugunainstitute.com/?page_id=40
- http://www.sugunainstitute.com/?page_id=43

CAREER PROGRESSION PATH ¹

Farm Owner, Poultry Breeding



Farm Manager



Farmer, Poultry Breeding

Transfer option

•India: Yes

•Abroad: No

(*This field to open the relevant job title when clicked)

EXPECTED EARNINGS ⁴

For daily wage workers - ₹ 90 to ₹ 340 per day

(These figures are indicative and subject to change)

REQUIRED WORK EXPERIENCE

Previous experience in poultry breeding

PROBABLE EMPLOYERS ³

- Self-employed
- Livestock farm owners
- Poultry farmers
- Agriculture co-operative organization

PEOPLE'S CORNER

Coming Soon

KEYWORDS

- Poultry Breeder
- Poultry Farmer

OCCUPATIONAL CODES AND STANDARDS

Standard	Code	Description
NCO 2015	6122.0200	Farmer, Poultry Breeding
ISCO 2008	6122	Poultry Producers
NIC 2008	01461; 01462	Raising and breeding of chickens and capons, ducks, geese, turkeys and guinea fowls chickens and capons, ducks, geese, turkeys and guinea fowls; Production of eggs
QP Reference	NA	NA
NSQF	NA	NA

REFERENCES

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3	http://www.nios.ac.in/departmentsunits/vocational-education/stand-alone-courses/poultry-farming.aspx
4	http://eands.dacnet.nic.in/AWIS/AWI%209-10/summ-ploughmen-m.pdf
5	http://www.icar.org.in/cari/ss.php
6	http://articles.economictimes.indiatimes.com/2013-05-21/news/39418822_1_poultry-sector-poultry-farmers-table-egg-production
7	http://www.ibef.org/industry/agriculture-india.aspx