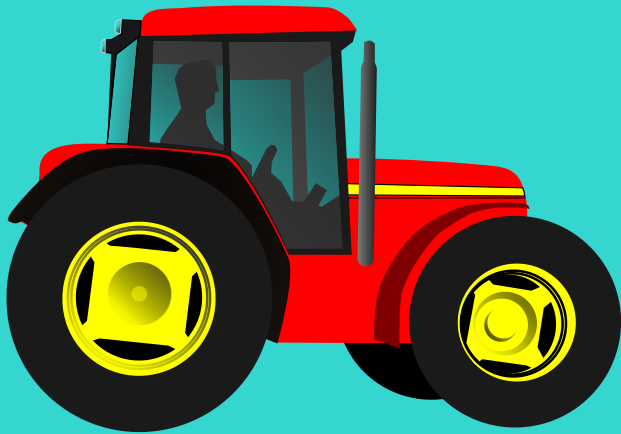


Super English

Level 5 - Unit 5
Farming - Lesson 2





Vocabulary

Crop Farming - Vocabulary



crop: a plant such as a grain, vegetable, or fruit that is grown on a farm. (noun)



The man and his family raise a few animals and grow some **crops** on their small farm.

Crop Farming - Vocabulary



soil: the material on the surface of the ground in which plants grow. (noun)



Dark brown **soil** is the best for growing crops.

Crop Farming - Vocabulary



tractor: a motor vehicle with large back wheels and thick tires, used on farms. (noun)



The farmer uses a **tractor** to plow his fields.

Crop Farming - Vocabulary



chemical: in farming, a substance, usually made by man, and used to help crops grow. (noun)



The farmer put **chemicals** on the crops to help them grow bigger and faster.

Crop Farming - Vocabulary



organic: foods grown without using manmade chemicals. (adj)



Some people will only eat foods grown on **organic** farms.

Let's do Grammar!



Expressions of Quantity

We often use expressions of quantity with countable/uncountable nouns.



a pitcher of water



a jar of honey



a bowl of fruit

Expressions of Quantity

Pitcher, jar, and bowl are more expressions of quantity.

a pitcher of...



a jar of...



a bowl of...





Let's
Read!



Crop Farming



Farming has been around for about 10,000 years. The first farmers would grow small **crops** and tame animals. Over time, people have learned how to grow different crops and how to raise animals for the area where they live. Different crops grow better in different types of **soil** and weather. Countries in Southeast Asia grow a lot of rice. Countries with medium-sized mountains and cool to warm rainy weather can grow coffee very well. Science has improved crop farming and made it possible to grow crops all over the world.



Crop Farming



There are different types of farming. In poorer countries, families have small farms and grow just enough food to feed their families. They don't have much leftover to sell at markets. Medium-sized farms can feed their families and make money selling their crops at markets or to other people who will sell them. Then there are big farms that grow very large amounts of crops and supply the world with food. The large farms use huge machines called tractors to help grow the food. Some also use chemicals that make the plants grow better. Some farmers think chemicals are bad for humans so they don't use them. These are called organic farms.



Crop Farming



The top five crop growing countries are:

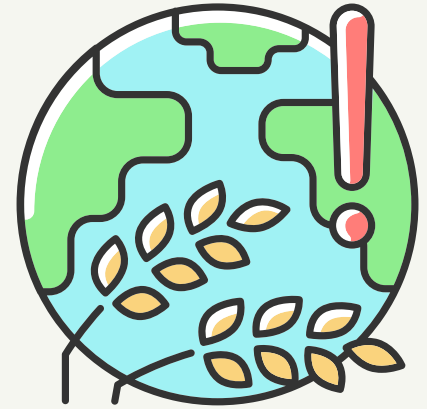
5. Brazil grows many different crops, but sugar, coffee, and soybeans are their main crops.

4. India has a long history of crop farming. Their main crops are rice and wheat.

3. Turkey grows a lot of fruit, barley, and corn. They also send a lot of nuts around the world.

2. The USA grows the most corn and fruit in the world. Farming makes \$100 billion a year in the USA!

1. China leads the world in farming. It supplies 50% of the vegetables in the world and feeds 22% of the world's population.



Phonics!



suffix

A suffix is a letter or letters added to the end of a word to change the meaning.

-able = able to be done read+able = readable



This book is
easily
readable.



The sign is
readable at
night.

Super English

See you
Next time!

