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**BEST. CAREER. EVER.**

**Mentor** the next generation of leaders, problem solvers, entrepreneurs and agriculturalists. #TeachAg

**Motivate** students through quality classroom and lab instruction, leadership development through FFA and experiential learning. #TeachAg

**Make a difference** by being a role model and positively impacting countless lives. #TeachAg

**College Preparation in High School**
- Take agricultural education classes
- Get involved in FFA, Jr. MANRRS, 4-H
- Shadow an agriculture teacher
- Build your public speaking skills
- Practice teaching whenever possible
- Complete college preparation coursework
- Apply for agricultural education scholarships
- Start your agricultural work based learning experiences

**Career Preparation in College**
- Become a NAAE student member
- Become a NAAE Teach Ag Ambassador
- Get active in campus clubs related to agriculture and education
- Attend state agricultural education meetings and conferences
- Assist agricultural youth organizations as a judge, mentor and chaperone
- Attend a NAAE Future Agriscience Teacher (FAST) Symposium
- Obtain 4,000 hours of agriculturally based work experience to meet Indiana certification requirements

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**ENROLL IN A UNIVERSITY DEGREE PROGRAM**
- HUNTINGTON UNIVERSITY
- PURDUE UNIVERSITY

**ENROLL IN A COMMUNITY COLLEGE OR OTHER 2 YEAR DEGREE PROGRAM**
- Ivy Tech Community College
- Vincennes University

**ALREADY HAVE A DEGREE AND/OR EXPERIENCE IN ANOTHER AREA AND WANT TO TEACH AG?**

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**AS SOON AS POSSIBLE**
- 1. Meet with agricultural education or related faculty or advisor.
- 2. Enroll in agricultural education or related coursework.
- 3. If transferring, work with transfer institution to make sure credits apply.
- 4. Visit as many agriculture teachers and their classrooms as possible.
- 5. Apply for master’s degree program (if desired, not required)

**ENROLL IN AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION MASTER’S DEGREE PROGRAM**

**COMPLETE MASTER’S DEGREE**

**COMPLETE BACHELOR’S DEGREE PROGRAM**

**BERN CERTIFICATION PROCESS ACCORDING TO STATE REQUIREMENTS**

**BECOME AN AG TEACHER!**

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