



WHAT can I do with a major in? Plant & Soil Science

Career choice may or may not be closely related to the choice of undergraduate major. The following is a short list of ideas and resources to assist with career planning.

Sample jobtitles

Agronomist	Precision Agriculture Specialist	Horticulturalist
Conservation Planner	Research Technician	Pest Management Specialist
Cotton Specialist	Sales Representative	Forester
Crop Consultant	Seed Production Specialist	Park Ranger
Crop Production Specialist	Soil Conservationist	Licensed Soil Scientist
Custom Applicator	Farm Appraisal	Policy Analyst
Environmental Technician	Landscaper	Plant Pathologist
Golf Course Superintendent	Agricultural Marketing Manager	Botanist
Greenhouse Manager	Watershed Technician	Agroecologist
Plant Propagator	Plant Breeder/Geneticist	Agricultural Engineer
Soil Consulting		

Links to explore

MTSU Official: www.mtsu.edu/programs/plant-science/

Career Planning

[Plant & Soil Scientists and Related Careers](#)

[Plant & Soil Scientist Employment Data](#)

[Careers in Soil Science](#)

[What is a Plant & Soil Scientist?](#)

Job Search

[Science Societies Career Center](#)

[Career Explorer](#)

[USDA Jobs](#)

MTSU Student Organizations

[Plant and Soil Science Club](#)

Professional Organizations

[Soil Science Society of America](#)

[American Society of Agronomy](#)

[American Society of Plant Biologists](#)

[International Union of Soil Scientists](#)

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Other Resources for Staff Use: