

Geography – Spring 2 - Agriculture



Year 4

Key vocabulary

agriculture	farming and the methods that are used to raise and look after crops and animals
arable farming	farming involving growing crops like wheat and barley in a field
pastoral farming	farming involving raising and caring for animals like sheep and cows
farmer	a person who owns or manages a farm
processed	produce that has been changed
distributed	spread out or delivered throughout an area
mixed farming	farmers who grow crops and look after animals
harvest	the gathering of a crop
yield	the amount of a crop that is produced
fertiliser	a substance that is spread on the ground to make plants grow more successfully



Potatoes are processed into crisps



Arable farm produce



- Farmers use machinery
- Can produce wheat, barley, fruit and vegetables
- Use pesticides to keep insects away

Pastoral farm produce



- Meat
- Milk

- Meat
- Wool

- Meat



Marshlands and forests are often cut down or drained to make more dry space for farm lands.