



Lab 4.2: The Farmer's Role in the Community

Role Playing Cards:

Copy and cut out the role-playing cards below and distribute to the students for Lab 4.2.

FARMER

The farmer produces the milk to start the cycle and brings money back into the community.

Amount of Money Received:

PROCESSOR

The processor takes the milk and makes a product out of it that people want to buy, increasing the dollar value of the milk.

Amount of Money Received:

GROCERY STORE OWNER

The grocery store owner markets the product where people want to buy it, increasing the value of the product.

Amount of Money Received:

CONSUMER

The consumer puts the money into the cycle by paying for the product made from the milk.

Amount of Money Received:

SERVICE PROVIDER

The service provider provides a service for those making the product. For example, this could be a veterinarian on the farm or an engineer at the processing plant.

Amount of Money Received:

SUPPLIER

The supplier provides goods to help make the product. On the farm, this could be the feed. At the plant, it could be product-wrapping material.

Amount of Money Received:

EMPLOYEE

The employee helps the work get done and is vital to keeping the process moving.

Amount of Money Received:

TAX COLLECTOR

The tax collector uses tax dollars to help the community do things like build new roads and make other improvements.

Amount of Money Received:
