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ABSTRACT

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This farm practice was conducted at Roa's Farm, Alfonso Cavite from July 2004 to December 2005.

The objectives of the farm practice were to develop skills in managing a nursery; to know the management practices inside the farm; and also to provide the student with hands- on experience in ornamental plant propagation and nursery management, Orchid nursery , vegetable production and orchard management.

The different activities conducted at Roa's farm enhanced the student's skills. The various experiences prepared the student for employment as farm technician and farm manager.

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INTRODUCTION

Learning outside the classroom is an exciting experience. The student learns the hands-on cultural management practice of agricultural establishments through farm practice.

Our horticultural industry is currently in the state of rapid growth. It is full of career opportunities and is currently making use of the newest technologies and is employing mechanized farming using tractors and mowers in the farm. Variety of ornamental plants which are of great demand are grown. The farm practice focused on ornamentals, vegetable handling, orchard management and nursery practices. Some vegetables in the farm were grown in open areas. In vegetable production, a lot of effort especially in maintaining soil fertility using organic fertilizers is required. Pest control is also needed. Some practices like weeding, cultivation and watering help ensure good