

Professional Characteristics Illinois Agricultural Education (Grades 7-12) 2009-10

398 Teachers

Highest Degree Held by Teachers			
Community College	3	<1%	=
Bachelors	242	61%	=
Masters	147	37%	=
Doctorate	6	2%	=

Gender of Teachers			
Male	277	70%	=
Female	121	30%	=

Age of Teachers			
30 and under	124	31%	=
31 to 40	94	24%	+3
41 to 50	82	21%	+2
51 to 60	83	21%	=
Over 60	15	4%	+1
Average Age of Teachers	40		+1

Salaries			
less than \$20,000	3	1%	-1
\$20,000 - \$25,000	3	1%	=
\$25,001 - \$30,000	34	9%	+1
\$30,001 - \$35,000	54	14%	+2
\$35,001 - \$40,000	59	15%	+1
\$40,001 - \$45,000	51	13%	=
\$45,001 - \$50,000	43	11%	+1
\$50,001 - \$55,000	34	9%	+1
\$55,001 - \$60,000	30	8%	-1
\$60,001 - \$65,000	31	8%	+1
\$65,001 - \$70,000	12	3%	+1
\$70,001 - \$75,000	12	3%	=
\$75,001 - \$80,000	8	2%	=
more than \$80,000	24	6%	+1
Average Salary	\$47,506		+\$748

IAVAT Dues Paid By			
FFA or FFA Alumni	51	13%	+1
Myself	105	26%	-1
School	195	49%	=
Other	6	2%	=
Not a Member	41	10%	=

Years Teaching at Current School			
First Year	25	13%	-7
2 to 5	163	38%	+3
6 to 10	68	15%	+2
11 to 15	53	13%	=
16 to 20	23	4%	+2
21 to 25	31	8%	=
26 to 30	27	7%	=
Over 30	8	2%	=
Average	9		=

Years Teaching in Agriculture			
First Year	13	3%	-4
2 to 5	105	26%	-2
6 to 10	89	22%	+4
11 to 15	47	12%	+1
16 to 20	36	9%	=
21 to 25	40	10%	+1
26 to 30	39	10%	+2
Over 30	29	7%	=
Average	13		+1

Contract Length			
9 months	76	20%	+1
9 1/2 months	59	15%	+1
10 months	101	25%	-1
10 1/2 months	73	18%	+1
11 months	74	18%	=
11 1/2 months	7	2%	=
12 months	8	2%	=
Average by teacher	10		=
Average by school	10		=

Professional Development Activities			
IAVAT Conference	259	65%	-5
Made for Excellence Conference	143	36%	+4
District Ag Education Workshops	94	24%	-16
Other Ag Education Workshops	148	37%	-21
Graduate Courses	40	10%	-1

NOTE: Column to the right is difference from previous year