

Education options for a career in dairy farming



Advanced Cert in Dairy Herd Management

- ✓ Knowledge, skills, capabilities for herd operative / herd manager role
- ✓ 16 week work experience
- ✓ Level 6, validated by QQI

Professional Diploma in Dairy Farm Management

- ✓ Develop managerial skills (focus on financials & people)
- ✓ Create networks & career opportunities
- ✓ 2 years paid work experience
 - Typical roster 11 days on, 3 days off
 - 20 course days/year (Moorepark & Kildalton College)
- ✓ Level 7, validated by UCD
- ✓ Entry requirement: Level 6 Advanced Certificate in Agriculture (or equivalent)



Why Agricultural Education

- Greater income per hectare
- Greater farm efficiency

