



Eagles Nest Reserve Vineyard and Winery

Hillsboro, OR

At 160 acres, Eagles Nest Reserve uses conservation practices to grow their wine grapes, which are naturally processed into wine. Their property is a diverse and beautiful landscape of vineyards, wetlands, fields of grazing alpacas and protected forest sanctuaries.



"I love working out in the vineyard... from pruning all the way through harvest... I also like hosting people at our tasting room... teaching people about the agricultural connection [of] how all of the small changes affect the wine that they're tasting."
-Raechel

Special features of Eagles Nest Reserve Vineyard and Winery

Naturally
fermented wines

No-till, dry
farming

Conservation
practices

Community
events



What we learned on our field trip!

At Eagles Nest Reserve we learned about the many responsibilities and careers in the wine grape industry. Our hosts, Raechel and Karl, explained important aspects of the growing process, particularly, how soil science plays a crucial role in the quality, taste, and aromatics of the wine grapes. We then learned of some careers associated with the industry including harvester, cellar hand, label art designers, distributors, and many more!

Eagles Nest Reserve often hosts all-ages movie nights, if you'd like to visit the property. Check out their events page for more info.

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Part 1) Reflection Writing

Write 2- 3 sentences about something new or surprising you learned during the virtual field trip:



Part 2) Bringing it all Together

Look up the definitions for the following words, use them in a paragraph, then turn and share your paragraph aloud with a partner.

Viticulture:

Conservation:

Dry-farming:
