

Toombs County Agribusiness Students Visit Rogers

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In May, Rogers Farm hosted a tour for middle and high school students from Toombs County's Agriculture Program.

The tour was led by State Livestock Advisor, Brent Galloway. Students toured the dairy, swine, beef and row crops operations, and the Canning Plant. The tour was followed by lunch at the Warden's club house and was sponsored by Toombs County Farm Bureau.

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100% OJT Goal Met at Cannery

On-the-Job Training (OJT) programs were successfully added to our Agribusiness Operations during FY19. One of our training programs was added to Rogers Farm Canning Plant in Reideville, where we can approximate-ly 200,000 cases of vegetables per year.

During FY19, 36 offender completed OJT at the Canning Plant. Offenders learn how to sort and grade vegetables; trim, peel and slice products; use processing equipment; and process items according to specifications.