

# CLASS 8 SCIENCE

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Good morning students. As you all are aware that we all are going through critical situation. But take care of yourself.

Please go through the content and study material thoroughly

## Le-1 CROP PRODUCTION & MANAGEMENT

Agriculture is the practice of growing crops.

Plants grown on a large scale are called crops. Those grown for the production of food are called food crops.

**Exs Cereals, pulses, oil seeds**

Those grown for commercial

monsoon, are called **KHARIF CROPS**

Crops like wheat, mustard gram, sown in October are called **RABI CROPS**.

**KHARIF CROPS** are generally harvested around October, while **RABI CROPS** are harvested in March.

CROPS need sufficient air, H<sub>2</sub>O sunlight and nutrients to grow well. They also need to be protected from diseases. Let us see what farmers do to ensure the healthy growth of crop plants.

## **AGRICULTURAL PRACTICES**