



In 2018 Dairy Grazing Apprenticeship launched its own online school, Managed Grazing Innovation Center, which offers custom classes designed specifically to accommodate and enhance on-farm training of Apprenticeship.

- ◆ Dairy Cattle Health & Wellness
- ◆ Milk Quality
- ◆ Dairy Nutrition, Feed & Feeding
- ◆ Soils & Water Management
- ◆ Farm Business Management
- ◆ Managed Grazing Systems for Dairy Cattle



Dairy Grazing Apprenticeship is a 501c3 non-profit organization and its training program is a National Apprenticeship registered with the U.S. Department of Labor Employment and Training Administration.

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## DAIRY GRAZING APPRENTICESHIP (DGA)

is the first formal Apprenticeship for farming in the nation. DGA brings current and aspiring dairy farmers together and provides a structure of support for the transfer of knowledge, skills, and farms to the next generation.

**APPRENTICESHIP** is a proven work-based educational system that has prepared people for skilled occupations for more than a century.

**MANAGED GRAZING** reduces the use of off-farm inputs, restores water and soil resources, and improves animal health and farm profitability.



**"Dairy farming provides the lifestyle we want for our family and allows me to continue to serve the nation by producing high quality food"**

**- Matthew Keesling**  
Dairy Grazing Apprentice and  
U.S. Army Veteran

**Veteran Friendly Organization**



## HOW DGA CAN HELP YOU

- ♦ **FULL-TIME EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING OVER TWO YEARS**
- ♦ **RELATED ONLINE CLASSES**
- ♦ **NETWORKING AND PEER-TO-PEER LEARNING**
- ♦ **FINANCIAL PLANNING SERVICES**
- ♦ **PROVEN MODELS FOR EQUITY EARNING, FARM START-UP AND FARM TRANSFER**
- ♦ **VETERANS BENEFITS ACCEPTED**
- ♦ **OPPORTUNITIES TO ADVANCE INTO MANAGEMENT AND/OR OWNERSHIP**

**EXPLORE OUR WEBSITE TO LEARN MORE! IF DGA LOOKS LIKE A GOOD FIT FOR YOU, APPLY ONLINE.**

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