

Types of farming

Listening Exercise: Three

Match the types of farming in column “A” with correct definition in column “B”. Put the correct number in the space provided.

“A”

“B”

1. Shifting cultivation

..... It means that only crops are grown on a farm and then used or sold by farmer according to his/her needs.

2. Nomadic farming

..... practice of raising animals such as cows, goats, buffalos and camels and using their milk to feed humans.

3. Livestock ranching

..... an area of ground is cleared of vegetation and cultivated for a few years and then abandoned for a new area until its fertility has been naturally restored.

4. Commercial plantation

..... farmers grow food crops to meet the needs of themselves and their families on small lands.

5. Mixed Farming

..... a large farm, especially one used for raising cattle, horses, or sheep.

6. Subsistence farming

..... the growing of food or cash crops, feed crops, and livestock on the same farm.

7. Dairy farming

..... is done by peoples who are not permanent residence of an area and who keep on moving.

8. Arable farming

..... includes commercial grain farming, mixed farming and plantation agriculture.