

Stage 3 - Agriculture - Real Farm Fact Sheet

MEET FIONA AND HER LAMBS

Fiona Aveyard | Lamb producer | Tullamore, Central West NSW



MEET FIONA

Fiona Aveyard is a fifth-generation farmer from Tullamore in Central West NSW. She grew up in a farming family and now produces Australian lamb through Outback Lamb.

Fiona's family farm is a mixed farm. This means the farm raises animals and grows crops.

WHAT DO LAMBS NEED TO GROW?

GOOD FOOD	CLEAN WATER	CARE	A GOOD ENVIRONMENT
Nutritious feed helps lambs grow.	Sheep and lambs need fresh water.	Farmers check that their animals are healthy.	Pasture, weather and seasons affect farm life.

FROM FIONA'S FARM TO OUR FOOD

Fiona raises lamb as a food product. When lambs are ready for market, they leave the farm and begin the next part of the journey that brings Australian lamb to consumers.

FARM	LAMB	MARKET	FOOD
Lambs are raised	Animals grow	Ready to leave the farm	Lamb reaches consumer

DID YOU KNOW?

Fiona is a fifth-generation farmer. That means farming has been part of her family for five generations!

NEW WORDS FROM FIONA'S FARM

WORD	WHAT IT MEANS
Producer	A farmer who grows crops or raises animals to produce food or fibre.
Livestock	Farm animals such as sheep and cattle.
Lamb	A young sheep.
Pasture	Plants growing in a paddock that animals can eat.
Mixed farm	A farm that produces more than one type of agricultural product.

THINK ABOUT FIONA'S FARM

What does Fiona produce?

What do lambs need to stay healthy and grow?

What jobs might Fiona do when caring for sheep and lambs?
