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LESSON NOTES

School: Ba Sangam College
Subject: Agricultural Science
Worksheet: 16

Strand	As 12.3 Agronomy
Stranu	As 12.5 Agronomy
Sub Strand	As 12.3.2.3 Ornamental Horticulture
Content	Deliberate on Ornamental Horticulture by investigating, selecting and practicing
Learning	appropriate husbandry methods on selected ornamental plants
Outcome	

LESSON 6/7/8: COMMON ORNAMENTAL SHRUBS AND HERBS/ COMMON ORNAMENTAL GRASSES/ ESTABLISHING LAWNS

Lesson Outcome: At the end of this lesson, the student will identify some ornamental shrubs and herbs grown in Fiji.

Distinguish among the three grass families and identify some ornamental grasses. Discuss methods used to establish lawns.

Notes:

Shrubs and herbs are commonly planted as ornamentals. Flowering shrubs provide a long-lived, low-fuss, eye-fetching framework in any garden design with their rich array of form, foliage, fruit and flowers.

Ornamental grasses add color, flowers and texture to an area. There are five families of grasses which are primarily used in ornamental grass gardening. Grasses, sedges and rushes are ornamental plants which add color, flowers and texture to an area

Before lawns are established, the site must be cleared, finely tilled, leveled and fertilizing material applied. Once a site has been prepared, lawn can be established.

Activity Worksheet 16 1. Differentiate between a shrub and an herb. (2 marks) 2. Differentiate between an herb and an edible herb. (2 marks) 3. Identify species of shrubs and herbs in the school compound or surrounding area. (1 mark) 4. Classify and describe the plants. (2 marks) 5. Discuss the roles which the shrubs and herbs play (2 marks) 6. Differentiate among grasses, sedges and rushes. (3 marks) 7. Identify species of ornamental grasses in the school compound or surrounding area. (1 mark) 8. Classify and describe the plants. (2 marks) 9. Discuss the roles which the ornamental grasses play

(2 marks)

10. Differentiate among the types of lawn establishment