

# “MIGRANT 101”

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## Geneseo Migrant Center





Migrant  
Farmworkers:  
An Invisible  
Population  
Feeding the  
Nation



# The Hard Work of Migrant Farmworkers











...the hard work  
that often begins  
for migrant  
children before  
they are born...





...the hard work that continues for toddlers and preschoolers who still lack day care facilities...









...the hard work done by school-age children like Juan, work needed for their family's survival...









...the hard work that results in a high dropout rate for migrant youth like David...







...the hard work that begins in the fields for women like Cruz, and must continue at home with care for her family...





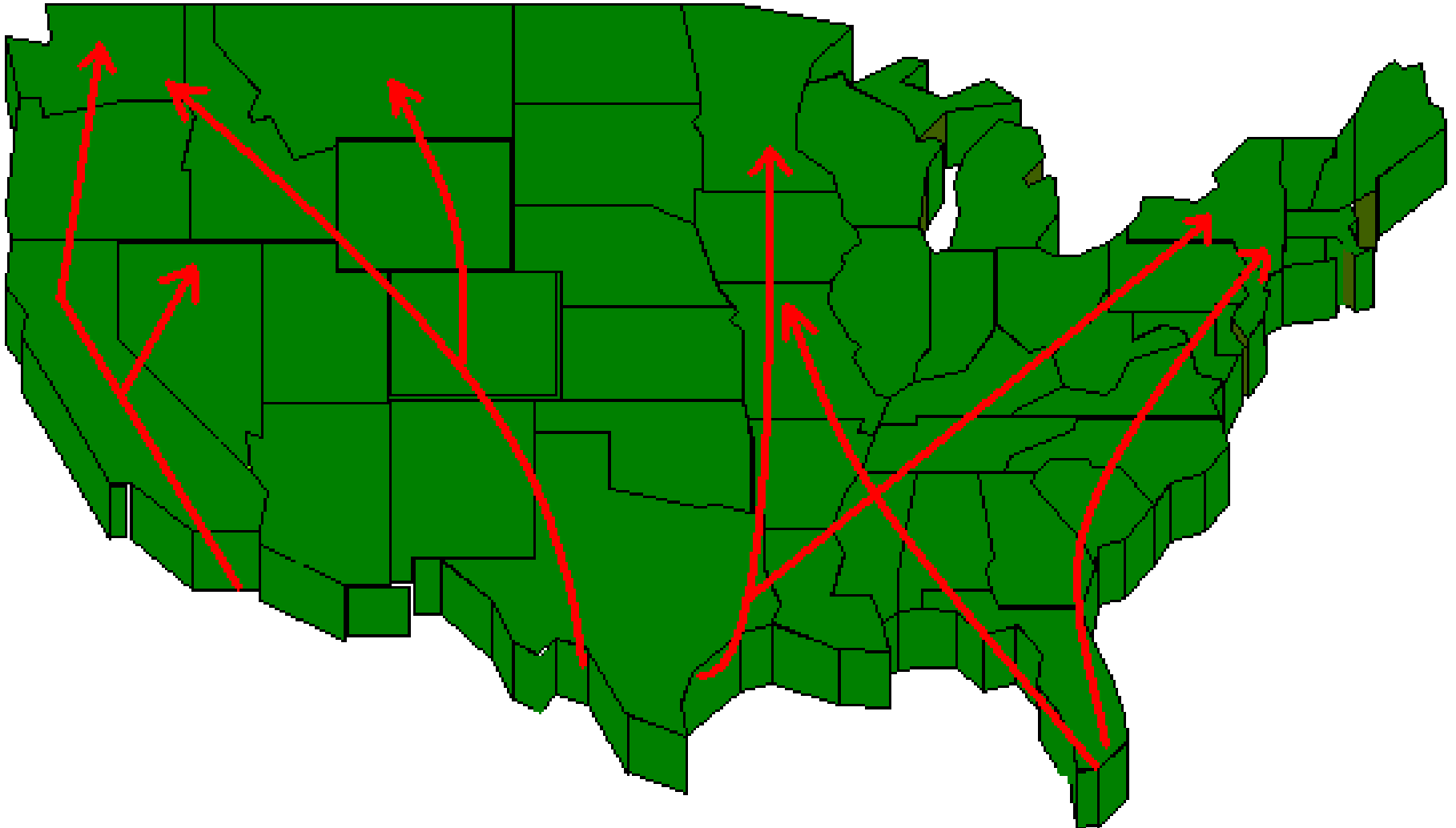


...the hard work,  
making us the  
best fed nation on  
earth, that is  
performed by men  
and women all too  
often forgotten by  
our society...





Approximately 3-5 million workers and their families migrate annually to follow the crops.











# 1938 FLSA: Exclusions for Farmworkers





Day of Rest





Unemployment Insurance





Child Labor Protections





Overtime Pay





Collective Bargaining



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**BECAUSE OF...**



# Mobility









# School interruptions









Lack of  
credit  
accrual











**Student's aging out of HS**





Limited  
English  
Proficiency



