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Note, by request of teachers we have included the answers to the questions immediately following the questions on a separate worksheet.

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## Or the link to the article directly at: https://iaitc.co/parklandagco

Use the article titled: Parkland College to build $5M training facility with AGCO investment

Questions

1. Where is Parkland College located?
2. Name the President of Parkland College.
3. How will the investment from AGCO be used by Parkland College?
4. How will students use the facility?
5. Why would a company like AGCO make an investment with a college?

Answers

1. Not in the article but Parkland College is in Champaign, IL.
2. Pamela Lau
3. The College will build a 25,000 square foot training center.
4. During the two year program student will rotate between classwork and field work using AGCO Equipment.
5. Answers will vary but the students will be trained as technicians with AGCO Equipment and this will help the company grow their own workforce.