CSA Start-Up Guide

A start-up guide for farmers launching a community supported agriculture program. It covers planning shares, signing up members, and keeping communication clear It works for new and established farms.

Farm / unit: _____ Date: _____ By: _____

1. Decide share contents
2. Pick a pickup or delivery plan
3. Set share pricing method
4. Write a member agreement
5. Recruit first members
6. Plan weekly communication
7. Plan for crop shortfalls
8. Collect member feedback

YOUR NOTES

TIP Start small and ask early members for honest feedback before you grow the program.