



Advising Worksheet for Animal Science

Core Requirements



Effective 2023-2024 Bulletin - 120 hrs

College Integrative Course (3 Hr)	MET	HR	ACE
SCIL 101 Science and Decision-Making for a Complex World (B)		3	

Department Req (16 Hr)	MET	HR	ACE
ASCI 095 Animal Science Major Orientation Seminar (F)		0	
ASCI 100 Fund of Animal Biology w/lab (B)		4	
ASCI 201 Professional Development for Careers in Animal Science (S)		1	
ASCI 320 Animal Nutrition & Feeding (B)		3	
ASCI 330 Animal Breeding (F)		3	
ASCI 491 Animal Science Seminar (B)		1	
Capstone Course, Select From: AGRO 445/RNGE 445 - (F) , ASCI 485 Animal Systems Analysis (S) , ASCI 486 Animal Biological Systems (F)		3	10
Natural Sciences (8 Hr)	MET	HR	ACE
PLAS 215 Genetics or BIOS 206 General Genetics. NOTE: BIOS 206 requires both LIFE 120 & LIFE 120L and LIFE 121 & LIFE 121L as prerequisites (B)		4	4
BIOS 101 & BIOS General Biology & Lab (B)		4	
LIFE 120 & LIFE 120L Fundamentals of Biology I & Lab (B)		4	
NOTE: Students enrolled in the Biology or Veterinary Option are required to take LIFE 120 & LIFE 120L			

F=Fall Only

S=Spring Only

B=Both Fall & Spring

SS=Summer Session

TBA: To be announced by semester

NOTE: Course offerings are subject to change by Department offering the course

Mathematics and Statistics (3-5 Hr)	MET	HR	ACE
MATH 102 Trigonometry (2 cr) & STAT 218 Introduction to Statistics (3 cr); plus one from, MATH 104 Applied Calculus (3 cr) & STAT 218 Introduction to Statistics (3 cr), MATH 106 Calculus 1 (5 cr)		3	3
NOTE: Proficiency at the college algebra level must be demonstrated either by a placement exam or through coursework. If MATH 103 is taken instead of MATH 102, only 2 credit hours can be counted toward this requirement.			
Communications (9 cr)	MET	HR	ACE
ORAL Select from: ALEC 102 Interpersonal Skills for Leadership, COMM 101 Comm in the 21st Century, COMM 209 Public Speaking, COMM 210 Communicating in Small Groups, COMM 215 Visual Comm, COMM 283 Interpersonal Comm, COMM 286 Business & Prof Comm, JGEN 300 Technical Comm, MRKT 257 Sales Comm, TMFD 121 Visual Comm and Presentation		3	2
WRITTEN: Select from ENGL 150 Writing & Inquiry, ENGL 151 Writing & Argument, ENGL 254 Writing & Communities, JGEN 120 Basic Business Comm, JGEN 200 Technical Comm I, JGEN 300 Technical Comm II		3	1
COMMUNICATIONS AND INTERPERSONAL SKILLS: Select from any courses from the above listings not used to fulfill the ACE 1 or ACE 2 requirements. ALEC 202, ALEC 207 (ADPR 207), ALEC 302, ALEC 305, ALEC 350, ALEC 480, COMM 212, COMM 325, JGEN 103, JGEN 120, MNGT 311, MNGT 365		3	
Economics, Humanities & Social Sciences (15 Hr)	MET	HR	ACE
ECON 200 or ECON 211 or ECON 212 or AECN 141		3	6
ACE Courses, select one course each from ACE outcomes 5, 7, 8, and 9		3	5
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Companion Animal Science Option

Departmental Requirements (21)	MET	HR
ASCI 240 Basic Anatomy & Physiology of Domestic Animals (S) or ASCI 340 Animal Physiological Systems (F)		4
Animal Management, Select from:		
ASCI 250 Animal Management (S) ASCI 251 Introduction to Companion Animals (F) ASCI 252 Introduction to the Horse Industry & Mgmt (F)		3
ASCI 341 Physiology & Management of Reproduction (F)		4
ASCI 321 Companion Animal Nutrition (S)		3
Select a minimum of 7 credits from:		
ASCI/FDST 107 Introduction to the Companion Animal Food Industry (F)		1
ASCI 171 Human-Companion Animal Interactions (F)		2
ASCI 210 Animal Products (B)		3
ASCI 271 Companion Animal Behavior (B)		3
ASCI 445 Equine and Canine Exercise Science (F)		3
ASCI 322 Equine Nutrition (S)		2
ASCI 342 Equine Reproduction (S-even years, SS)		2
ASCI 370 Animal Welfare (B)		3
BIOS 462 Animal Behavior TBA)		3
NRES 211 Introduction to Conservation Biol (S)		3
NRES 220 Principles of Ecology (BIOS 220) & NRES 222 Ecology Laboratory (BIOS 222) (B)		4
NRES 311 Wildlife Ecology & Management (S)		3
Natural Sciences (11-16)		
<i>Chemistry 8-12</i>		
Series I: CHEM 106 Chemistry in Context II (S) and CHEM 105 Chemistry in Context I (4) (F) or CHEM 109 General Chemistry (4) NOTE: Chemistry Series I does not provide adequate preparation for advanced chemistry or graduate school within the life sciences. If you desire this advanced training, Series II is recommended		8
Series II: CHEM 109 & CHEM 110 General Chemistry I & II AND CHEM 251 & CHEM 253 Organic Chemistry I & Lab (ALL)		12
BIOS 312 Microbiology (3) (ALL) or VBMS 303 Principles & Prevention of Livestock Diseases (3) (S) or BIOS 111 The Biology of Microorganisms (4) (B)		3-4
Business Courses (9)		
<i>Select courses from the "Business Courses" listed in the Animal Science Business Option</i>		

ANIMAL SCIENCE EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING	
Internship, Extension, Research or Teaching Experience	MET
ASCI 395A Industry Experiences (ALL)	
ASCI 395B Extension & Services Experiences (ALL)	
ASCI 395D Research Experiences (ALL)	
ASCI 395E Undergraduate Teaching Experience (ALL)	
ASCI 419 Meat Investigations (FDST 419) (S)	
ASCI 490A Beef Feedlot Management (F, SS)	
ASCI 499H Honors Thesis (ALL)	
GRAS 490 Internship Experience in Grazing Livestock Systems (F, SS)	
AECN 495A Internship in Agri Financing & Banking (TBA)	
ASCI 495B Internship in Food Products Marketing Management (TBA)	
AECN 495C Internship in Agricultural & Public Policy (TBA)	
EAEP 395 Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Internship (TBA)	
Industry Study Tours	MET
ASCI 311A Equine Industry Study Tour (S)	
ASCI 311B Meat Industry Study Tour (F)	
ASCI 311D Pork Industry Study Tour (S)	
ASCI 311E Beef Industry Study Tour (S)	
AGRI 310 study Tours in International Agriculture (ALL)	
Animal & Meat Evaluation Experience	MET
ASCI 300A Meat Evaluation & Judging (B)	
ASCI 300B Livestock Evaluation & Judging (F)	
ASCI 300D Meat Animal Evaluation (B)	
ASCI 300E Horse Evaluation & Judging (B)	
ASCI 400A Advanced Meat Grading & Evaluation (F)	
ASCI 400B Advanced Livestock Evaluation & Judging (F)	
ASCI 400E Advanced Horse Evaluation & Judging (F)	
ASCI 361 Equestrian Team Horsemanship/ Equitation (F)	
ASCI 456 Beef Cattle Merchandising (S)	
ASCI 481 Beef Industry Scholars-Beef Summit (F)	
ASCI 482 Beef Industry Scholars-Nat'l Beef Industry Policy (AECN 482) (S-ODD YEARS)	
AGRI 388 Employment Seminar (F)	
AGRI 389 Agricultural Concerns Seminar (TBA)	