

PROGRAM OF STUDY

Animal Husbandry (35010) Certificate of Achievement

This program emphasizes development of the basic animal husbandry skills required for students seeking entry-level employment in the livestock industry. Emphasis will be placed on animal behavior & safe handling techniques, feeding practices, breeding, environmental management, marketing, health maintenance and common veterinary procedures. Students will also receive basic training relevant to farm construction/repair skills and/or the operation of commonly used farm/ranch equipment. Students who complete this program may gain employment as a livestock herdsman, animal trainer, livestock fitter, brand inspector, or in other occupations within the food animal industry. Courses within this program of study may also be applied toward other certificate and/or degree options within animal science.

Required Courses - 8 units

		Units
AGBS4	Computer Applications in Agriculture	3
AS1	Introduction to Animal Science	3
AS40	Livestock Exhibition and Marketing	2

Select one course - 3 units

		Units
AS2	Beef Production	3
AS3	Small Ruminant Production	3
AS4	Swine Production	3

Select one course - 3 units

		Units
MAG40	Introduction to Agricultural Mechanics	3
PLS11	Machinery Technology	3

Select one course - 3 units

		Units
AS6	Livestock Selection and Evaluation	3
AS10	Meat Evaluation and Processing	3

Total Units

17

Effective Term: Fall 2017

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