



BACHELOR of SCIENCE in AGRICULTURE (#508)

CONCENTRATION in AGRIBUSINESS

Department of Agriculture

Ogden College of Science and Engineering

Western Kentucky University

The suggested program of study shown below should be used in consultation with your advisor(s). Every student will finish with a unique plan of his/her own depending on the electives selected.

Success Markers

SAMPLE - 4 Year Plan

FIRST YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
	ENG 100 Intro to College Writing (F-W1)	3	COMM 145 Fundamentals of Public Speaking (F-OC)	3
MATH 116 College Algebra (F-QR)	3	AGRI 108 – Rural Sociology (E-SB)	3	
ANSC 140–Introduction to Animal Science	3	AGRO 110 – Introduction to Plant Science	3	
CHEM 105/106 – Fundamentals of Chemistry (with Lab) (E-NS, LS)	4	CHEM 107/108 – Fundamentals of Organic Chemistry (with a Lab)	4	
AGRI 175 – University Experience - Agriculture	2	Arts and Humanities (E-AH)	3	
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	15	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	16	

SECOND YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
	ENG 200 Intro to Literature (F-AH)	3	World Language, if needed, OR General Elective	3
AGMC 170/171 – Introduction to Agriculture Mechanization (with a Lab)	3	AGRI 291 – Introduction to Data Analysis and Interpretation	3	
BIOL 120/121 – Biological Concepts: Cell Metabolism and Genetics (with Lab) (E-NS, LS)	4	HIST 101 World History I OR HIST 102 World History II (F-SB)	3	
ECON 202 – Principles of Economics (Micro) Explorations- Social & Behavioral	3	MGT 210- Organization and Management	3	
ACCT 200- Introductory Accounting- Financial	3	MKT 220- Basic Marketing Concepts	3	
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	16	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	15	

World Language Proficiency: All students entering in Fall 2014 or later must demonstrate proficiency in a world language at the Novice High level before completing 60 credit hours. Novice high is the ability to communicate in writing and speaking on familiar topics in simple sentences. To meet this requirement, students may take college language courses or take a proficiency test. For more information go to www.wku.edu/modernlanguages/placement/.

Colonnade Plan: All students entering in fall 2014 or later must complete 39 hours in 13 specific Colonnade areas. Colonnade areas are listed in parentheses marked in blue after the corresponding classes. Some areas may have specific course requirements while others can be chosen from selected lists of options. For more details and to see lists of options, go to http://www.wku.edu/colonnade/documents/approved_colonnade_courses_website.pdf

THIRD YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
	ENG 300 Writing in the Disciplines (F-W2)	3	AGEC 468 World Food Development OR other AG Economics Elective Course	3
AGRO 350- Soils	3	AGRO 320 Crop Physiology OR ANSC 345- Principles of Animal Nutrition	3	
AGEC 360 – Agricultural Economics	3	AGEC 361 – Farm Management	3	
Connections: Social and Cultural (K-SC)	3	Agriculture Elective (300/400 level)	3	
Elective Course	3	Connections: Local to Global Course (K-LG)	3	
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	15	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	15	

FOURTH YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
	AGRI 494- Contemporary Agricultural Issues	3	AGRI 398- Agricultural Business Seminar	1
AGRI 398- General Seminar	1	AGEC 463- Agriculture Finance	3	
AGEC 362- Agricultural Marketing	3	Any 300/400 level Agriculture Elective	3	
AGEC 460- Agricultural Policy OR Other AG Economics Elective Course	3	Any 300/400 level Agriculture Elective	3	
Connections: Systems (K-SY)	3	Any 300/400 level Agriculture elective	3	
Elective Hours	2			
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	15	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	13	

Total Credit Hours: 120

* Denotes prerequisite courses before program admission

PLEASE NOTE: Prerequisites, Course Numbers, and Course Titles are subject to change. Consult your advisor each semester.

For more information:

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Course Descriptions: <http://www.wku.edu/undergraduatecatalog/>