AVMT237 Alt (4)
Aircraft Hydraulic, Pneumatic, and Landing Gear Systems
Operation and maintenance of aircraft hydraulic systems, pneumatic systems, landing-gear systems, and the inspection, checking, servicing, trouble-shooting, and repair of these systems and system components. Spring

AVMT304 Alt (4)
Aircraft Metal Structures
A study and application of the processes used in the fabrication and repair of aircraft metal structures. Welding theory and practice with emphasis on weld-quality identification. Riveted, aircraft, aluminum, sheet-metal structures including the fabrication and repair of such structures. Fall

AVMT306 Alt (2)
Aircraft Non-metal Structures
A study of wood and fabric as used in the construction of aircraft and a study of the methods, tooling, inspection, processes, and repair of composite aircraft structures. Includes the application, identification, and functions of aircraft protective finishes. Spring

AVMT308 Alt (2)
Aircraft Assembly, Rigging and Inspections
Study of the nomenclature and design features of both fixed-wing and rotor-wing aircraft and the assembly, alignment of aircraft structures, and rigging and balancing of control system. A detailed inspection of the entire aircraft or rotorcraft is covered as it applies to the airframe 100-hour and other required inspection. Spring

AVMT310 Alt (4)
Gas Turbine Engines
Principles and theory of jet-engine propulsion, design, types of, and associated systems. Maintenance, overhaul, installation-removal, repair, trimming, and troubleshooting of turbine engines. Fall

AVMT314 Alt (3)
Aircraft Propellers and Engine Inspections
Theory and limited work on propellers, both wood and metal. Encompasses fixed, adjustable, controllable, feathering, reversible, and the control of the latter by mechanical, hydromatic, or electrical control systems. Including the concept of the unducted fan, and the inspection practice of performing the 100-hour inspection on aircraft engines and propellers. Spring

AVMT316 Alt (7)
Reciprocating Engine Systems and Overhaul
A study of reciprocating engine theory, overhaul methods, and practices and the installation of reciprocating engines. Also includes a study of the following engine systems: exhaust, cooling, induction, and lubrication. Spring
BS: Animal Science
Major requirements—40
AGRI100, 405; ANSI14, 305, 425, plus 24-25 credits in a special area of emphasis and 4-5 major electives chosen in consultation with an advisor.
Cognate requirements—18
BIOL165, 166; CHEM131, 132

Animal Science Areas of Emphasis
Students may choose an area of emphasis from the following or develop a personalized program in consultation with an advisor to meet specific career goals.

Pre-Veterinary Medicine—24
AGRI137 (2); ANSI340 (3 species), 379, 420, 440, 445.
Recommended electives for entry into veterinary college:
*BCHM421, 422; CHEM231, 232; MATH165; PHYS141, 142.
* Courses may vary depending on entrance requirements of the veterinary college of choice.

Management—25
AGRI137 (2), 395; ANSI340 (4 species); ACCT111; ECON226.
Electives can be tailored to meet a specific student’s interest, such as animal behavior, business management or marketing, journalism, or communication.

BS: Horticulture
Major requirements—40
AGRI100, 118, 240, 308, 405; HORT105, 378, plus 18 credits in a special area of emphasis.
Cognate requirements—18
Select 8-10 credits from BIOL165, 166; BOT430, 475; ZOOL459; CHEM131, 132.

Horticulture Program Emphases in BS Degree Programs
Students may choose an area of emphasis from the following or develop a personalized program in consultation with an advisor to meet specific career goals.

Landscape Design—18
Select from the following: HORT135, 226, 228, 239, 350, 355, 365, 429, 448

Landscape/Turf Management—18
Select from the following: HORT135, 208, 211, 212, 217, 226, 228, 239, 346, 350, 359, 360, 367, 417

BT: Agriculture
Major requirements—60
AGRI100, 118, 206, 240, 300, 304, 308, 405; HORT105, 378; ANSI114, plus 26 major elective credits chosen in consultation with advisor.
Cognate requirement—4
CHEM110

BT: Horticulture
Major requirements—60
AGRI100, 118, 240, 308, 405; HORT105, 135, 226, 228, 239, 346, 378, plus 16-17 credits in a special area of emphasis, and 7-8 credits major elective credits chosen in consultation with advisor.
Landscape Design—13
HORT135, 226, 228, 350

Landscape/Turf Management—16
HORT208, 211, 217, 226, 228, 239

Minors in Agriculture, Animal Science or Horticulture—20
Selected from AGRI, ANSI or HORT courses in consultation with advisor.

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Entrance requirements vary among the colleges of veterinary medicine. Therefore, interested students must write to the schools of choice for the most current and detailed information. A list of accredited colleges of veterinary medicine may be obtained from the American Veterinary Medical Association, 930 North Meacham Road, Schaumburg, IL 60196; http://www.avma.org. Students in consultation with their advisors in the Agriculture Department can design individualized programs of study to meet the entrance requirements of the veterinary school of choice. The required prerequisite pre-veterinary courses are usually general biology, general and organic chemistry, physics, biochemistry, mathematics, courses in animal science, and general education.

Courses
See inside front cover for symbol code.

AGRICULTURE

AGRI100
College Success Seminar
A survey of the history of agriculture in the U.S. and career opportunities in production agriculture, animal science, landscaping and related areas. Students also learn how to improve their study skills and become familiar with the academic resources available to them on campus. Fall

AGRI118
Soil Science
Factors affecting soil formation, soil texture, particle size, pore space and their impact on soil air/water relations, and chemical characteristics of soils, including pH, ion exchange, and maintenance of soil fertility. Weekly: 4 lectures and a 3-hour lab. Spring

AGRI137
Practicum in ________
Fifty hours per credit of supervised practical experience in one area of concentration. May be repeated in different areas for a maximum of 6 credits. Topics to be chosen in consultation with an advisor. Fall, Spring

AGRI206
Farm Machinery
Selection and operation of farm equipment, based on the initial cost and economic performance, including factors governing the site and type of farm machines, their capacity, efficient use, adjustment and repair. Weekly: 2 lectures and a 3-hour lab. Fall

AGRI240
Fundamentals of Irrigation
Design, installation, drawing, interpretation and maintenance of plastic or metal irrigation systems and control devices for proper sprinkler coverage. Fall

AGRI300
Field Crop Production
Importance, distribution, economic adaptation, and botany of leading farm crops, emphasizing rotation, seedbed preparation, and economic production. Spring

AGRI304
Forage Crop Production
Basic principles of forage crop production, emphasizing choice of crop, establishment, growth, maintenance, harvesting, storage, feeding, and other management decision. Spring

AGRI308
Principles of Weed Control
Control of weeds in horticultural and field crops, utilizing biological, cultural, mechanical, and chemical practices. Class study also involves preparation and testing for pesticide applicator’s license. Weekly: 2 lectures and a 3-hour lab. Fall

AGRI345
Topics in ________
A class based on selected topics of current interest in agriculture. Repeatable in different areas.
Management of Agriculture Enterprises
Concepts of International Agriculture
Lactation Physiology
International Ag Implementation
Horse Judging
Livestock Judging
Viticulture
Solanaceous and Vine Crops
Tree Fruit Production
Landscape Estimating

AGRI395
Internship in ________
Supervised internship of on-the-job work experience in some field of agriculture under the direction of the employer and evaluated by a departmental faculty member. Students submit report of their experience and must complete a minimum of 120 hours of work experience for each credit earned.

AGRI405
Research Seminar
Research work in agriculture; reports given by students, staff, and visiting lecturers.

AGRI499
Project in ________
Individual research in some field of agriculture under the direction of the staff. Repeatable to 10 credits.
ANIMAL SCIENCE

ANSI114 (3)
Introduction to Animal Science
Basic farm animal anatomy, reproductive and digestive physiology, housing, health management with information on how animal products are processed and marketed. Efficient, effective management is emphasized throughout course. Fall

ANSI305 $ Alt (3)
Animal Nutrition
Principles of digestion, absorption, metabolism of feeds by farm species are examined for practical, profitable feeding. Common and non-traditional feedstuffs, feed-related diseases and ration formulation are included. Weekly: 2 lectures and a 3-hour lab. Recommended: CHEM110 or 131. Fall

ANSI340 (3)
Production/Management of ___________.
Production methods and management practices of domesticated livestock species including nutrition, reproduction, housing, health and specialized care of a particular species. Course is repeatable for study of avian, beef cattle, dairy cattle (includes a lab), equine (includes a lab), porcine, and wool and lamb production. Fall

ANSI379 Alt (2)
Small Animal Health and Disease
A survey of proper handling and care, nutritional needs, and common health problems of companion animals such as dogs, cats, and birds. Fall

ANSI420 $ Alt (4)
Canine Gross Anatomy
Study of macroscopic skeleton, muscles, internal organs, blood vessels and nerves using preserved, latex-injected specimens. Comparisons made with the live dog through palpation. Weekly: 2 lectures and 2 three-hour labs. Recommended: BIOL166. Fall

ANSI425 Alt (3)
Issues in Animal Agriculture, Research and Medicine
Study of the ethical issues that challenge animal researchers, producers, caretakers, and veterinarians to treat animals humanely yet effectively in society today. Spring

ANSI440 $ Alt (3)
Animal Reproduction
Study of anatomy and physiology of farm animal reproduction including lactation, which explores the cellular component as well as the management aspects. Weekly: 2 lectures and a 3-hour lab. Recommended: BIOL166. Spring

ANSI445 Alt (3)
Physiology of Farm Animals
Physiology of digestive, reproductive, lactation, cardiovascular, pulmonary, excretory, nervous, and skeletal systems in domesticated ruminants and monogastrics. Weekly: 2 lectures and a 3-hour lab. Recommended: BIOL166. Fall

HORTICULTURE

HORT105 $ (5)
Plant Science
Intended to acquaint students with the requirements of plant growth and development. Understanding of these processes is gained by studying topics such as plant cells, tissue, and organ structure; photosynthesis, cellular respiration, plant reproduction, including flowering, fruit development, seed set, the role of hormones, and plant nutrition. Weekly: 4 lectures and a 3-hour lab. Fall

HORT135
Landscape Drafting and Design
Develops proficiency in technical drafting for landscape design including symbols, title blocks, plant legends and plan organization. Principles of design, site analysis, functional diagraming, circulation, spatial planes, design schematics and plant selection are explored. Laboratory puts the design process to work in drawing plans for residential design. Weekly: 3 lectures and a 3-hour lab. Fall

HORT208 $ Alt (3)
Propagation of Horticultural Plants
Intended to acquaint students with the processes of asexual reproduction, especially as it applies to the horticultural industry. Asexual reproduction investigates methods of clonal reproduction utilizing non-flowering plant parts such as cutting, grafting, layering, and micropropagation (tissue culture). Weekly: 2 lectures and a 3-hour lab. Recommended: HORT105. Spring

HORT211 $ Alt (2)
Landscape Equipment
Assessment of and exposure to current equipment needed to run a landscape installation and maintenance business. Experience in physical operation of equipment, preventative maintenance and minor repair is practiced. Weekly: 1-hour lecture and a 3-hour lab. Fall

HORT212 $ Alt (3)
Floriculture Production
Intended to acquaint students with the production and uses of bedding and potted plants. Topics covered include seed physiology and propagation, germination, production and post-production growing techniques, growing media and containers. Weekly: 2 lectures and a 3-hour lab. Spring

HORT217 Alt (3)
Turfgrass Management
Principles of turfgrass management for parks, grounds, golf courses, and athletic fields. Topics include cool and warm season genera, growth and adaptation criteria, cultural considerations including irrigation, mowing, soil fertility, compaction and drainage; thatch, plant protection (weeds, insects, diseases) establishment and renovation. Spring

HORT226 Alt (3)
Woody Plant Identification
Introduction to the identification and recognition of shape, size, color, texture, environmental requirements and landscape value of common deciduous and evergreen trees, shrubs and vines. Fall

HORT228 Alt (3)
Herbaceous Plant ID
Identification and recognition of shape, size, color, texture, and environmental requirements of the nonwoody plants providing color and ground cover in the landscape. Fall

HORT315 $ Alt (4)
Landscape Construction
Course combines weekly hands-on construction processes of installing softscapes and hardscapes with an understanding of the vast array of hardscape materials available in the form of pave-
ments, edgings, fencing, retaining walls, decks, pool shelters, etc. Weekly: 2 hours lecture and 5/2 hours lab (one drawing lab, one construction lab). Fall

HORT346 $ Alt (2)
Landscape Administration and Maintenance
Administration of a landscape business, employment and supervision of employees and record-keeping practices explored. Managing maintenance of hardscapes and softscapes in residential landscapes, parks, golf courses and corporate environments. Focuses on training in pruning, planting, cultivation and pest management. Weekly: 4 hours of lecture/lab. Spring

HORT350 Alt (3)
History of Landscape Design
A study of landscape history throughout civilization and its impact upon society and the environment. The origin of landscape architectural styles and their characteristics will be explored. An introspective look at personalities of landscape designers through the ages and their influence upon the American landscape. Spring

HORT359 $ Alt (3)
Greenhouse Environment and Construction
Controlling the plant environment to enhance plant growth and optimal development through temperature, humidity, light, nutrients, sanitation and carbon dioxide levels. Structures, coverings and mechanical systems used are explored to produce the most cost-effective horticultural crops. Weekly: 2 hours lecture and a 3-hour lab. Fall

HORT360 $ Alt (3)
Arboriculture
Care of shade and ornamental trees living under environmental stress of urbanization, their legal protection and value. Includes tree anatomy and physiology, soils nutrition and water relations, transplanting, diseases and insect control, mechanical injury and pruning to develop a healthy tree. Weekly: 2 lectures and a 3-hour lab. Fall

HORT365 $ Alt (3)
Urban Landscape Design
Designing landscapes to meet the environmental challenges and conditions of urban settings. Circulation patterns for conducting business, aesthetic and functional aspects of design for corporate/institutional, governmental agencies and municipal areas. Weekly: 2 lectures and a 3-hour lab. Recommended: HORT135. Spring

HORT367 Alt (3)
Golf Course Supervision
Management and culture for modern golf courses and country clubs. Topics include integration of turfgrass agronomics with the administrative components of budgeting, supervision and personnel management, country club organizational structures, and design of construction and environmental issues. Golf course history, U.S. golf association rules and U.S. Golf Course Superintendents’ Association certification program will be covered. Spring

HORT375 Alt (3)
Landscape Estimating
An introduction to the estimating process for landscape design, construction and maintenance work. Various schedules and forms are used to assign costs of equipment, plants, hardscape materials, labor and overhead. The many variables from project to project are explored and then formulas are applied to arrive at making landscape installations an efficient and profitable business.

HORT378 Alt (4)
Integrated Pest/Disease Management
Study of significant diseases and pests of agricultural and horticultural plant materials, including life cycles and influence of environmental conditions; determination of effective control methods for crop, ornamental and turfgrass production. Spring

HORT417 Alt (3)
Advanced Turfgrass Management
Principles of advanced turfgrass management based on turf genera, cultivar, vegetative seed identification and optimal use criteria; detailed analysis of soil fertility management and research results; development of comprehensive management plan incorporating principles of integrated pest management into a cultural program to optimize the performance based on use systems. Use systems studied include golf courses, parks, lawns, athletic fields, bowling greens, cricket fields, and grass tennis courts. Spring

HORT429 $ (3)
Computer Landscape Design
Principles and practices of computer-aided landscape design, including creating scale perimeter plot plans, using drawing tools, plant/site relationships, plant selection and use leading to a computer-generated landscape drawing. Laboratory emphasizes skill development and proficiency in integrating software and hardware to create CAD-generated landscape designs. Prior landscape drawing course work is recommended. Spring

HORT448 $ Alt (4)
Advanced Landscape Design and Graphics
Landscape design concepts relating to the more challenging problems of residential design. Field application of grading relating to contours, specifications, exploring deck design, planting combinations, and exercises in graphics and rendering for presentations. Weekly: 3 lectures and a 3-hour lab. Recommended: HORT135. Spring