

Equine Science I

Fall 2022

Course Description

This course allows students to develop a basic understanding of horses and the equine industry. There is a strong terminology emphasis with a focus on equine anatomy, physiology, and management.

Areas of Study:

- 1.0 Understand leadership in Agriculture education.
- 2.0 Understand the use of records in the equine industry.
- 3.0 Understand the fundamentals of equine.
- 4.0 Understand equine behavior as it relates to safety.
- 5.0 Understand equine anatomy.
- 6.0 Apply principles of equine maintenance.
- 7.0 Apply skills for equine selection..
- 8.0 Apply tack and equipment skills.
- 9.0 Apply equitation techniques.

Contact

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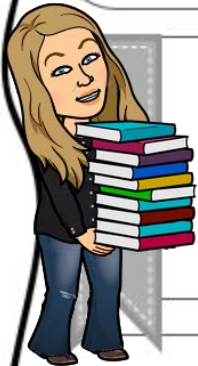
Room: AG1

Notice: After 3:00pm, I will respond the next school day.



Supplies

1. ****Work boots/ Shoes (foot fully covered)****
2. Pen and/or pencil
3. 3 ring binder
4. Notebook paper



Cheating

Cheating: Cheating is giving or receiving answers to any given assignment that is not designated as partner group work. Cheating can also be defined as plagiarism. Those who cheat will receive a zero for the assignment and the parents will be notified. **Zero tolerance for cheating.**

SAE

- Supervised Agricultural Experience.
- Project will count as 20% of their overall grade.
- 15 hour project outside of class that gives him or her agriculture experience.
- Grading rubric and details to follow in class.

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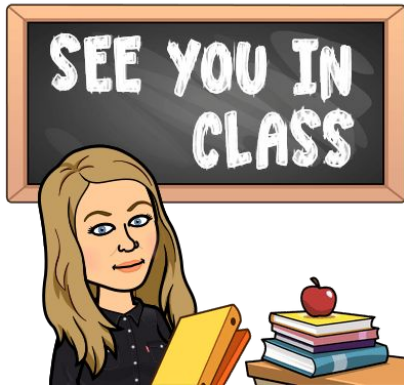
- Student leadership organization
- *Travel* to events throughout the country.
- *Engaging*, monthly chapter meetings.



Grading

Nine Weeks Grade
Test & Projects - 40%
Classwork, Lab, &
Quizzes -40%
SAE- 20%

Final Grade
1st Nine Weeks- 37.5%
2nd nine Weeks- 37.5%
Final Exam- 25%



Expectations

- Be Prepared
- Be Prompt
- Be Polite
- Be Positive
- Be Productive

PowerSchool

Make sure that you check PowerSchool on a daily basis. If you need to make up work, it is your responsibility to come to me!

Health & Safety

This course involves regular outdoor work. Students will be expected to participate to the best of their physical ability. Students will work outdoors on livestock projects, and inside the barn doing regular maintenance and production tasks. Students will also be making regular walks around campus and examining animals. Any student enrolled in this course will be trained in safety procedures and is required to sign a safety contract due to the consistent contact with equipment, tools, sharp objects, and agricultural chemicals.

Cell Phones



No cell phones should be present in the classroom/barn/lab.

First Offense: Warning
Second Offense: Taken Away & Call Home
Third Offense: Minor Write Up.
Fourth Offense: Office Referral

Late Work & Absence Policy

Late Work

If a student was *present* when the assignment was due but failed to turn it in, there is a 10% deduction per day that the assignment is late.

Absence Policy

A student has **ONE WEEK** to make up the work if they were absent until it becomes a zero. The student must look in the “*Absence*” bin and speak to me when they get back. **It is the student’s responsibility to reach out to me!**