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8-Semester Guaranteed Program

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2023-2024 Degree Map-Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Business

This map is a term-by-term sample course schedule. The milestones listed to the right of each term are designed to keep you on course to graduate in four years. The Sample Schedule serves as a general guideline to help you build a full schedule each term. See course descriptions and prerequisites at http://www.atu.edu/catalog/

Possible careers include: Farm/Ranch Manager, Agricultural Inspector, Loan Officer, Production Planner

Sample Schedule		Milestones/Notes	
Semester 1	Hrs.	Grade	Semester 1
ENGL 1013- Comp I (ACTS=ENGL 1013)	3	#	
CHEM 1113/1111-Survey of Chem (ACTS= CHEM 1214)	4		Milestone
COMS 1003- Intro to Computers (ACTS= CPSI 1003)	3	#	Milestone
AGAS 1014- Principles of Animal Science	4		(Suggest to take in Spring) Milestone
AGBU 1001-Agricultural Orientation	1		
Total hours	15	GPA	

#Prerequisite Courses: ENGL 0303 MATH 0803 MATH 0903 MATH 1110

Semester 2	Hrs.		Semester 2
ENGL 1023- Comp II (ACTS= ENGL 1023)	3	#	
Mathematics (MATH 1003, 1113, or higher)	3	#	Milestone
COMM 2173- Business and Professional Speaking	3		COMM 2003 may substitute
AGBU 1013- Principles of Agri. Business	3		Milestone
AGPS 1024- Principles of Plant Science	4		(Can take in fall term) Milestone
Total hours	16	GPA	
Semester 3	Hrs.		Semester 3
ENGL 2053- Technical Writing (ACTS= ENGL 2023)	3		
ACCT 2033- Fundamental Accounting Concepts	3		Milestone
BLAW 2033- Legal Environment of Business <u>or</u>	3		BLAW 2033(ACTS=BLAW 2003)
AGBU 3033- Legal Environment of Agri Bus	3		
BIOL 1014- Intro to Biological Science (ACTS= BIOL 1004)	4		
AGBU 2063- Principles of Agricultural Macroeconomics	3		Milestone
Total hours	16	GPA	-

Semester 4	Hrs.		Semester 4
Fine Arts & Humanities	3		
U.S. History/Government	3		
STAT 2163- Intro to Statistical Methods (ACTS=MATH 2103)	3		
AGBU 2073- Principles of Agricultural Microeconomics	3		Milestone
AGSS 2014- Soils	4		Milestone, Fall & Every Other Spring
Total hours	16	GPA	AGRI ADVISOR ASSIGNED

The Arkansas Course Transfer System (ACTS) is designed to assist in planning the academic progress of students. This system contains information about the transferability of courses within Arkansas public colleges and universities. The Arkansas Course Transfer System can be accessed by searching keyword "ACTS" at https://adhe.edu/

Fine Arts and Humanities
ART 2123 Experiencing Art (ACTS=ARTA1003)
MUS 2003 Introduction to Music (ACTS=MUSC1003)
TH 2273 Introduction to Theatre (ACTS=DRAM 1003)
ENGL/JOUR 2173 Introduction to Film
ENGL 2003 Introduction to World Literature (ACTS=ENGL2113)
ENGL 2013 Intro. to American Literature (ACTS=ENGL2653)
PHIL 2003 Introduction to Philosophy (ACTS=PHIL1103)
PHIL 2053 Introduction to Critical Thinking (ACTS=PHIL 1003)
1013 from SPAN, FR, GER, JPN, CHIN, or LAT
1023 from SPAN, FR, GER, JPN, CHIN, or LAT

U.S. History & Government
HIST 1903 Survey of American History
HIST 2003 U.S. History to 1877 (ACTS=HIST2113)
HIST 2013 U.S. History since 1877 (ACTS=HIST2123)
POLS 2003 American Government (ACTS=PLSC2003)

University Honors students should consult Course Catalog for appropriate Fine Arts/Humanities, US History/Government and Social Science options for University Honors Curriculum.

Sample Schedule

Milestones/Notes

Semester 5	Hrs.	Grade	Semester 5
Fine Arts & Humanities	3		
AGBU 3213- Career Development in Agriculture	3	·	
AGBU 3233- International Agricultural Trade	3		
Agriculture Elective	3		
General Elective (SPAN 1013 Recommended)	3		
Total hours	15	GPA	

Semester 6	Hrs.		Semester 6
AGBU 4013- Agricultural Marketing	3		
AGBU 4063- Agricultural Investments	3		
Agriculture Elective	3		
Agriculture Elective (3000-4000 level)	3		
General Elective	2		
Total hours	14	GPA	APPLY FOR GRADUATION

Semester 7	Hrs.		Semester 7
AGBU 4003- Agri-Business Management	3		
AGBU 4153- Computers in Agriculture	3		
Agriculture Elective (3000-4000 level)	3		
Agriculture Elective (3000-4000 level)	4		
Total hours	13	GPA	

Semester 8	Hrs.		Semester 8
AGBU 4023- Agricultural Finance	3		
AGBU 4033- Agricultural Policy	3		Graduation Requirements:
AGBU 4073 - Commodity Risk and Futures	3		Min. hours 3000-4000 level courses: 40
AGBU 4973- Senior Seminar	3		No more than 4 PE activity hours
General Elective (SPAN 1023 Recommended)	3		Min. hours required:120
Total Hours	15	GPA	2.00+ GPA

General Electives: 8 hours (1000-4000 level)
indicates a "C" or better is required