

2025-2026 Degree Map-Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Business-Pre-Veterinary Medicine Option

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 <https://catalog.atu.edu/>

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

Graduate School Information: Students can meet the minimum course requirements for entrance into institutions offering the D.V.M degree. Possible Careers Include: Animal Health Technician, Animal Pharmaceutical Sales, or Animal Production Manager

Sample Schedule
Milestones/Notes

Semester 1	Hrs.	Grade	Semester 1
ENGL 1013- Comp I (ACTS=ENGL 1013)	3	#	
BIOL 1114- Principles of Biology (ACTS= BIOL 1014)	4		
COMS 1003- Intro to Computer Based Systems	3		BUAD 2003 or other equivalent may sub
MATH 1113- College Algebra	3	#	
AGAS 1014- Principles of Animal Science	4		
AGBU 1001- Agriculture Orientation	1		
Total hours	18	GPA	Draft a résumé and upload it to Handshake

Semester 2	Hrs.	Grade	Semester 2
ENGL 1023- Comp II (ACTS= ENGL 1023)	3	#	
BIOL 2124- Principles of Zoology (ACTS= BIOL 1054)	4		*may need UD BIOL, consult DVM programs
CHEM 2124/2120- General Chemistry I and lab	4		
AGBU 1013- Principles of Agri. Business	3		
Total hours	14	GPA	Create a LinkedIn profile

Semester 3	Hrs.	Grade	Semester 3
Fine Arts & Humanities	3		
CHEM 2134/2130- General Chemistry II and lab	4		Requires C or better in CHEM 2124
PHYS 2014/2000- Algebra-Based Physics I and lab	4		Fall Only
COMM 2173- Business and Professional Speaking	3		COMM 2003 may substitute
AGBU 2063- Principles of Agricultural Macroeconomics	3		Complete required observation hours at Vet clinic
Total hours	17	GPA	

Semester 4	Hrs.	Grade	Semester 4
ACCT 2033- Fundamental Accounting Concepts	3		
BLAW 2033- Legal Environment of Business OR	3		
AGBU 3033- Legal Environment of Agri Bus			
PHYS 2024/2010- Algebra-Based Physics II and lab	4		Spring Only
AGAS 2084- Feeds and Feeding	4		
AGBU 2073- Principles of Agriculture Microeconomics	3		
Total hours	17	GPA	PVET 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)	PHIL 2003 Introduction to Philosophy (ACTS=PHIL1103)
MUS 2003 Survey of Music History (ACTS=MUSC1003)	PHIL 2053 Introduction to Critical Thinking (ACTS=PHIL 1003)
TH 2273 Introduction to Theatre (ACTS=DRAM 1003)	1013 from SPAN, FR, GER, JPN, CHIN, or LAT
ENGL/JOUR 2173 Introduction to Film	1023 from SPAN, FR, GER, JPN, CHIN, or LAT
ENGL 2003 Introduction to World Literature (ACTS=ENGL2113)	LEAD 2003 Ethics in Leadership
ENGL 2013 Intro. to American Literature (ACTS=ENGL2653)	

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Semester 5	Hrs.	Grade	Semester 5
Fine Arts & Humanities	3		
U.S. History/Government	3		
CHEM 3254/3250- Fundamentals of Org. Chemistry and lab	4		Requires C or better in CHEM 2134
AGAS 4203- Livestock and Poultry Nutrition	3		
AGBU 3213- Career Development in Agriculture	3		
Total hours	16	GPA	Update résumé and LinkedIn
Visit Vet Schools to learn more about programs, deadlines, and admission process			

Semester 6	Hrs.	Grade	Semester 6
CHEM 3264/3260- Mechanistic Organic Chemistry and lab	4		Requires C or better in CHEM 3254
ENGL 2053- Technical Writing (ACTS= ENGL 2023)	3		
STAT 2163- Intro to Statistical Methods (ACTS=MATH 2103)	3		
AGAS 3933- Animal Breeding and Genetics	3		
Total hours	13	GPA	APPLY FOR GRADUATION

Semester 7	Hrs.	Grade	Semester 7
AGAS 3004- Reproduction in Farm Animals	4		
AGBU 4003- Agri-Business Management	3		
AGBU 4013- Agricultural Marketing	3		
AGBU 4973- Senior Seminar In Agriculture Business	3		
Total hours	13	GPA	Complete senior check-in with Career Services

Semester 8	Hrs.	Grade	Semester 8
BIOL 3054- Microbiology	4		
CHEM 3344/3340- Principles of Biochemistry and lab	4		Graduation Requirements: Min. hours 3000-4000 level courses: 40 No more than 4 PE activity hours Min. hours required:122 2.00+ GPA
AGBU 4023- Agricultural Finance	3		
AGBU 4033- Agricultural Policy	3		
Total Hours	14	GPA	

General Electives: 0

indicates a "C" or better is required

U.S. History & Government	University Honors students should consult Course Catalog for appropriate Fine Arts/Humanities, US History/Government and Social Science options for University Honors Curriculum.
HIST 1903 Survey of American History	
HIST 2003 U.S. History to 1877 (ACTS=HIST2113)	
HIST 2013 U.S. History since 1877 (ACTS=HIST2123)	
PLSC 2003 American Government (ACTS=PLSC2003)	