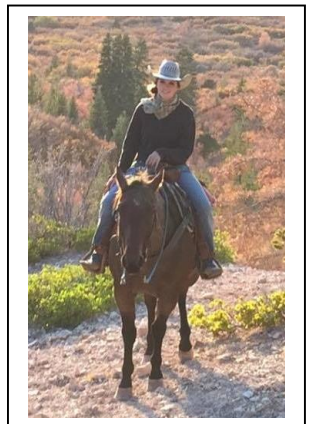




Equine Management

Certificate of Proficiency, Certificate of Completion,
or Associate of Applied Science (AAS)

Equine students desiring to enter the workforce following two years of college will look to pursue an Associate of Applied Science (AAS 63 credits). An AAS provides an ideal preparation for entrance into professions such as: Equine business management and other business careers, equine production, training and lessons, sales and marketing, stable or event production management, and other related equine careers. Equine majors desiring to transfer to a university to work towards a Bachelor of Science (BS) in any area of equine studies will want to complete an Associate of Science (AS 63 credits). Students desiring a quick upgrade of agriculture skills will look towards a Certificate of Proficiency or Certificate of Completion.



Which Classes Should I Take? It depends on your educational and career goals.

Talk to Agribusiness & Science director Jay Olsen or Equine Instructor Kendra Bagley. Note, the recommendations given here are general suggestions—every major in Agriculture has different requirements. Students who have a transfer institution in mind should consult that institutions Agriculture Department counselor regarding course transferability as soon as possible.

Certificate of Proficiency in Equine Management (23 Credits)

AGBS 1010 Fundamentals of Animal Science	4	AGBS 1700 Western Riding Skills I	3	and
BUS 1060 QuickBooks for Small Business	3	AGBS 2700 Western Riding Skills II	3	
AGBS 1100 Agribusiness Career Explorations	2	OR		
BUS 1600 Entrepreneurship Seminar	2	AGBS 1900 Horse Breaking and Training I	3	and
BUS 1300 Social Media Marketing	3	AGBS 2900 Horse Breaking and Training II	3	
AGBS 2030 Agriculture Managerial Analysis & Decision Making	3			

Certificate Completion in Equine Management (32 Credits)

ENGL 1010	Expository Composition	3	AGBS 1700	Western Riding Skills I	3
ECON 1740	US Economic History	3	AGBS 2700	Western Riding Skills II	3
OR HIST 1700	American Civilization	3	AGBS 1900	Horse Breaking and Training I	3
AGBS 1010	Fundamentals of Animal Science	4	AGBS 2900	Horse Breaking and Training II	3
AGBS 1100	Agribusiness Career Explorations	2	AGBS 2030	Analysis and Decision Making	3
BUS 1300	Social Media Marketing	3			

CORECLASSES - AAS in Agribusiness (63 Credits)

General Education Required Courses

ENGL 1010	Expository Composition	3
MATH	Any Class that meets the MA requirement	3
BUS 1270	Strategic Selling	3
ECON 1740	US Economic History	3
Or HIST 1700	American Civilization	3
Fine Arts	Any Class that meets the FA requirement	3
Humanities	Any class that meets the Humanities requirement	3
Biology 1010	General Biology (BIOL 1610/1615 if transferring to USU)	3
Biology 1015	General Biology Lab	1
	Sub Total	22

Required Courses

AGBS 1010	Fundamentals of Animal Science	4
AGBS 1100	Agriculture Career Exploration	2
AGBS 2030	Analysis and Decision Making	3
AGBS 1420	Livestock Production Practices	2
BUS 1060	QuickBooks for Small Business	3
	Choose 6 Credits (2 classes) from the following:	
BUS 1300	Social Media Marketing	3
BUS 1210	Personal Finance	3
BUS 2650	Management Principles of Entrepreneurs	3
BUS 1480	Advertising and Promotion	3
BUS 2050	Business Law	3
	Sub Total	20

Agribusiness Emphasis Areas
Choose one area of emphasis to complete the Equine AAS

Equine Business Management (21 credits)

AGBS 1700 Western Riding Skills I	
AGBS 2700 Western Riding Skills II	
AGBS 1900 Horse Breaking and Training I	
AGBS 2900 Horse Breaking and Training II	
ACCT 2010 Financial Accounting	
ACCT 2020 Managerial Accounting	OR
BUS 1020 Introduction to Business	
ECON 2010 Introduction to Microeconomics	OR
AGBS 2020 Intro Ag Economics & Agri. Business Mgt.	

Equine Production Management (24 credits)

3	AGBS 1700 Western Riding Skills I	3
3	AGBS 2700 Western Riding Skills II	3
3	AGBS 1900 Horse Breaking and Training I	3
3	AGBS 2900 Horse Breaking and Training II	3
3	AGBS 2200 Anatomy & Physiology Domestic Animals + Lab	4
3	AGBS 2400 Feeds and Feeding	4
3	AGBS 2500 Breeding and Reproduction	4

AS majors have a required curriculum and should structure General Education classes around the Agriculture Cluster Curriculum.

General Education requirements **that ARE** built into the Equine Management major curriculum for AAS degree:

- Math Requirement (MA)
- Life Science (LS) - 3 credits
- Fine Arts (FA) – 3 credits
- Scientific Inquiry (SI) - 3 credits
- LS & PS labs—more than you need
- Oral Communications (OC) - 3 credits
- Social Science (SS) – 3 credits

Additional General Education requirements **that are NOT** built into the AAS degree that are required for AS Degree:

- English 2010 (E2) – 3 credits
- Physical Educations (PE 1096) - 1 credit
- Physical Science (PS) - 3 credits

Agriculture Related Clubs: Badger Ag, College Young Farmer and Rancher, Natural Resource, Snow Roots, and Snow College Rodeo Team

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