

AGRIBUSINESS, SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY



Associate of Applied Science Degree 10-006-2

The BTC Agribusiness, Science & Technology program gives students the skills needed to run their own agribusiness operation or help other agricultural producers become more successful. Students will learn how to merge business and science to produce a product and make a profit. Through hands-on learning and on-the-job experience, students gain skills in animal science and nutrition, integrated pest management, soil science, crop production and precision agriculture. Students develop crop management, livestock management, and business plans as well as learn how to enhance success through sales, marketing and business management. This program will provide opportunities in a variety of agribusiness career pathways.

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- · Create a crop management plan
- Develop an agri-business management plan
- · Apply economic and marketing strategies to agribusiness industry
- · Apply relevant technologies
- · Create a livestock management plan
- · Investigate opportunities in agribusiness
- · Interact as a professional in agribusiness

Graduates Have Found Employment As

- · Sales Representative
- · Service Representatives
- · Farm Manager
- · Agricultural Technician
- Crop Associate
- · Assistant Herdsman
- · Agricultural Equipment Operator
- · Commercial Applicator

- · Precision Ag Technician
- · Crop, Nursery, and Greenhouse Worker
- · Crop and Livestock Manager
- Animal Breeders
- · Nutrient Management Specialist
- · Crop Scouting Technician

Semester 1		Credits	
006-102	Emerging Agriculture Technologies	2	
006-116	Introduction to Soils	3	
006-200	Ag Equipment Safety and Operation	3	
006-201	Career Development in Agriculture	3	
804-134 or 804-118	Mathematical Reasoning or Intermediate Algebra with Applications	3-4	
801-136	English Composition 1	3	
	Credits	17-18	
Semester 2			
006-103	Agricultural Commodity Marketing	1	
006-105	Nutrient Management	3	
006-107	Pest Management:Applicator Training	3	
006-160	Introduction to Plant Science	3	
006-180	Introduction to Animal Science	3	
801-198	Speech	3	
	Credits	16	
Summer between year 1 and year 2			
006-197	Agribusiness Internship	3	
	Credits	3	
Semester 3			
006-165	Livestock Nutrition	3	



	Total Credits	66-67
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809-143 or 809-196	Microeconomics or Introduction to Sociology	3
104-102	Marketing Principles	3
006-166	Precision Agriculture Technologies	3
006-164	Livestock Management	3
006-162	Farm Records and Business Management	3
Semester 4		
	Credits	15
	Management	
102-148	Introduction to Business and	3
809-198	Introduction to Psychology	3
104-104	Selling Principles	3
006-181	Crop Management	3

General Education Courses Within Program

Code	Title	Credits
809-198	Introduction to Psychology	3
801-136	English Composition 1	3
801-198	Speech	3
804-134	Mathematical Reasoning	3-4
or 804-118	Intermediate Algebra with Applications	
809-143	Microeconomics	3
or 809-196	Introduction to Sociology	