ANIMAL SCIENCE (BS)

This major provides six areas of interest leading to the B.S. degree: Pre-professional (veterinary medicine or graduate training), Animal Biotechnology, Business/Service, Equine Science, Food Science, and Production Management. For detailed information, please refer to animalscience.uconn.edu (http://animalscience.uconn.edu).

Requirements

Animal Science majors must pass all courses from Group A, at least one course from Group B, at least one course from Group C, and one additional course from either Group B or C. No single class can satisfy more than one requirement.

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| Course | Title | Credits |
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| Group A | | |
| ANSC 1001 | Introduction to Animal Science | 3 |
| ANSC 1111 | Principles of Animal Nutrition and Feeding | 3 |
| ANSC 3121 | Principles of Animal Genetics | 3 |
| ANSC 3122 | Reproductive Physiology | 4 |
| ANSC 3194 | Career Paths in Animal Science | 1 |
| PATH 2100 | Anatomy and Physiology of Animals | 4 |
| BIOL 1107 | Principles of Biology I | 8 |
| & BIOL 1108 | and Principles of Biology II | |
| Select one of the follo | owing: | 4-7 |
| CHEM 1122 | Chemical Principles and Applications | |
| or CHEM 11270 | General Chemistry I | |
| CHEM 1124Q | Fundamentals of General Chemistry I | |
| & CHEM 1125Q | and Fundamentals of General Chemistry II | |
| Select one of the follo | owing: | 3-6 |
| CHEM 2241 | Organic Chemistry | |
| CHEM 2443 | Organic Chemistry | |
| & CHEM 2444 | and Organic Chemistry | |
| Select one of the follo | • | 3-4 |
| ANSC 4341 | Food Microbiology and Safety | |
| MCB 2000 | Introduction to Biochemistry | |
| MCB 2610 | Fundamentals of Microbiology | |
| Group B | | |
| Select at least one of | • | 3-4 |
| ANSC 2251 | Horse Science | |
| ANSC 2271 | Principles of Poultry Science | |
| ANSC 3261 | Dairy Cattle Management | |
| ANSC 3272 | Laboratory Animal Science | |
| ANSC 3273 | Livestock Management | |
| Group C | | |
| Select at least one of | the following: | 3 |
| ANSC 3311 | Comparative Exercise Physiology | |
| ANSC 3313 | Growth Biology and Metabolism in Domestic Livestock | |
| ANSC 3316 | Endocrinology of Farm Animals | |
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| ANSC 3323 | Animal Embryology and Biotechnology | |

| ANSC 3641 | Animal Food Products: Dairy Technology | |
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| ANSC 4311 | Advanced Animal Nutrition | |
| ANSC 4341 | Food Microbiology and Safety (unless used to fulfill Group A requirement) | |
| Additional Course | | |
| Select one additional | l course from either Group B or C | 3-4 |
| Information Literacy | | |
| To satisfy the general education requirement students must pass at least one of the following: | | |
| ENGL 1007 | Seminar and Studio in Writing and Multimodal Composition | |
| ENGL 1010 | Seminar in Academic Writing | |
| ENGL 1011 | Seminar in Writing through Literature | |
| ENGL 2011 | | |
| Select one of the foll | owing: | 1-3 |
| ANSC 3194 | Career Paths in Animal Science | |
| ANSC 3261 | Dairy Cattle Management | |
| ANSC 3312W | Scientific Writing in Comparative Exercise Physiology | |
| ANSC 3314W | Scientific Writing in Growth Biology and Metabolism of Domestic Livestock | |
| ANSC 3317W | Scientific Writing in Endocrinology of Farm Animals | |
| ANSC 3324W | Scientific Writing in Embryo Biotechnology | |
| ANSC 3344W | Scientific Writing in Animal Food Products | |
| ANSC 3642W | Scientific Writing in Animal Food Products: Dairy Technology | |
| ANSC 4312W | Scientific Writing in Advanced Animal Nutrition | |
| ANSC 4342W | Scientific Writing in Food Microbiology and Safety | |
| ANSC 4662W | Dairy Herd Management | |
| Writing in the Major | | |
| To satisfy the general education requirement students must pass at least one of the following: | | |
| ANSC 3312W | Scientific Writing in Comparative Exercise Physiology | |
| ANSC 3314W | Scientific Writing in Growth Biology and Metabolism of Domestic Livestock | |
| ANSC 3317W | Scientific Writing in Endocrinology of Farm Animals | |
| ANSC 3324W | Scientific Writing in Embryo Biotechnology | |
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| Total Credits | | 51-64 |
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The Department of Animal Science offers minors in Animal Science, Dairy Management, Equine Sports Rehabilitation, Food Science, and Therapeutic Horsemanship Education. These are described in the "Minors" section of this Catalog.

University General Education Requirements

Every student must meet a set of core requirements to earn a baccalaureate degree, in addition to those required by the student's major course of study and other requirements set by the student's school or college. For more information about these requirements, please see General Education Requirements (https://catalog.uconn.edu/undergraduate/gen-ed-requirements/).

College of Agriculture, Health and Natural Resources Degree Requirements

Students must meet a set of requirements established by the college in addition to the University's General Education requirements. For more information, see the College of Agriculture, Health and Natural Resources (https://catalog.uconn.edu/undergraduate/agriculture-health-natural-resources/#requirementstext) section of this catalog.