



**ARKANSAS STATE  
UNIVERSITY**

**Eight-Semester Degree Plan  
Bachelor of Science in Agriculture  
Major in Agricultural Studies  
Emphasis in Agricultural Science (Minor Required)  
2019-2020**

Year 1							
Fall Semester				Spring Semester			
Course No.	Course Name	Hrs	Gen Ed	Course No.	Course Name	Hrs	Gen Ed
ENG 1003	Composition 1	3	X	ENG 1013	Composition II	3	X
AGRI 1213	Making Connections in Agriculture	3	X	AGEC 1003	Intro to Agribusiness	3	
PSSC 1303	Intro to Plant Science	3		ANSC 1613	Intro to Animal Science	3	
HIST 2763/ 2773 or POSC 2103	US History to 1876/ since 1876 or Intro to US Government	3	X	MATH 1023	College Algebra	3	x
MUS2503 OR THEA 2503 OR ART 2503	Fine Arts: Music Fine Arts: Theater Fine Arts: Visual	3	X	COMS 1203	Oral Communication	3	x
<b>Total Hours:</b>		15		<b>Total Hours:</b>		15	
Year 2							
Fall Semester				Spring Semester			
Course No.	Course Name	Hrs	Gen Ed	Course No.	Course Name	Hrs	Gen Ed
CHEM 1043/1041	Fundamental Concepts of Chemistry and Lab	4	x	PSSC 2813 or AGST 2003	Soils Or Intro to Ag Systems Technology	3	
ENG 2003/2013 or PHIL 1103	Intro to World Lit I/II Or Intro to Philosophy	3	x	HIST 1013/1023 SOC 2013; POSC 1003; GEO 2613; CMAC 1003	CHOOSE 1: World History to /since 1500; Intro Sociology; Intro Psychology; Intro to Politics; Intro World Geography; Intro Mass Communication	3	X
HIST 1013/1023; SOC 2013; POSC 1003; GEO 2613; CMAC 1003	CHOOSE 1: World History to /since 1500; Intro Sociology; Intro Psychology; Intro to Politics; Intro Geography; Intro Mass Communication	3	X	STAT 3233	Applied Statistics	3	
*Minor Program Requirement	Minor must be approved by Advisor and should not include courses taken to fulfill Gen Ed Requirements	3		BIOL 1003/BIOL 1001	Biological Science/ Lab	4	X
AG Science Emphasis Requirement	Electives from AGECE, AGED, ANSC, AGRI, PSSC, HORT, and TECH	3		*Minor Program Requirement	Minor must be approved by Advisor and should not include courses taken to fulfill Gen Ed Requirements	3	
<b>Total Hours:</b>		16		<b>Total Hours:</b>		16	
Year 3							
Fall Semester				Spring Semester			
Course No.	Course Name	Hrs	Gen Ed	Course No.	Course Name	Hrs	Gen Ed
CHEM 1052	Fund. Concepts Org/Biochemistry	2		Minor Program Requirement	Advisor Approval needed	3	
AG Science Emphasis Requirement	Electives from AGECE, AGED, ANSC, AGRI, PSSC, HORT, and TECH	13		AG Science Emphasis Requirement	Electives from AGECE, AGED, ANSC, AGRI, PSSC, HORT, and TECH	12	
<b>Total Hours:</b>		15		<b>Total Hours:</b>		15	

Year 4							
Fall Semester				Spring Semester			
Course No.	Course Name	Hrs	Gen Ed	Course No.	Course Name	Hrs	Gen Ed
AGRI 4723	AG Connections	3		Minor Program Requirement	Advisor approval needed	6	
Ag Science Emphasis Requirement	Electives from AGECE, AGED, ANSC, AGRI, PSSC, HORT, and TECH	6		AG Science Emphasis Requirement	Electives from AGECE, AGED, ANSC, AGRI, PSSC, HORT, TECH	4	
Minor Program Requirement	Advisor approval needed	3		AGRI 3823	Ag Biosystems II	3	
AGRI 3813	Ag Biosystems I	3					
<b>Total Hours:</b>		15		<b>Total Hours:</b>		13	
<b>Total Upper-Level Hours:</b>		45		<b>Total Degree Hours:</b>		120	

Students requiring developmental course work based on low entrance exam scores (ACT, SAT, ASSET, COMPASS) may not be able to complete this program of study in eight (8) semesters. Developmental courses do not count toward total degree hours. Students having completed college level courses prior to enrollment will be assisted by their advisor in making appropriate substitutions. In most cases, general education courses may be interchanged between semesters. A minimum of 45 hours of upper-level credit (3000-4000 level) is required for this degree. Mandatory state and institutional assessment exams will be required during your degree program. Failure to participate in required assessments may delay graduation.

#### **Additional Graduation Requirements:**

#### **2019-2020 BACHELORS OF SCIENCE AGRICULTURE DEGREES**

*For a more detailed outline of all academic requirements and regulations for the Bachelors of Science in Agriculture degrees, please see the 2019-2020 Undergraduate Bulletin.*

1. At least 120 credit hours
2. 45 hours of upper level (JR/SR) credit
3. Completed all required and elective hours
4. Maintain a minimum 2.0 GPA in all sections of the degree course work
  - a. General Education
  - b. Ag Core
  - c. Major Requirements
  - d. Program Emphasis Requirements
  - e. Free Electives
5. Minimum overall 2.0 GPA (including A-State and Transfer hours)