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| **Arkansas State University - Jonesboro** | | | | | | | | |
| **Bachelor of Science in Agriculture** | | | | | | | | |
| **Major:  Agricultural Studies**  **Emphasis: Agricultural Communications** | | | | | | | | |
| **2016-2017** | | | | | | | | |
| 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 division 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.*** | | | | | | | | |
| **Year 1** | | | |  | **Year 1** | | | |
| **Fall Semester** | | | |  | **Spring Semester** | | | |
| **Course No.** | **Course Name** | **Hrs** | **Gen Ed** |  | **Course No.** | **Course Name** | **Hrs** | **Gen Ed** |
| ENG 1003 | Composition I | 3 | √ |  | ENG 1013 | Composition II | 3 | √ |
| AGRI 1213 | Seminar: Making Connection | 3 | √ |  | AGEC 1003 | Intro to Agribusiness | 3 |  |
| PSSC 1303 | Intro to Plant Science | 3 |  |  | ANSC 1613 | Intro to Animal Science | 3 |  |
| HIST 2763 or 2773 or POSC 2103 | US History to 1876 or since 1876 Intro to US Government | 3 | √ |  | CMAC 1003 | Mass Communication in Modern Society | 3 | √ |
| MUS/THEA/ART 2503 | Fine Arts – Musical/Theatre/ Art | 3 | √ |  | SCOM 1203 | Oral Communication | 3 | √ |
| AGED 1411 | Intro to Ag Extension/ Education | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Total Hours** |  | **16** |  |  | **Total Hours** |  | **15** |  |
| **Year 2** | | | |  | **Year 2** | | | |
| **Fall Semester** | | | |  | **Spring Semester** | | | |
| **Course No.** | **Course Name** | **Hrs** | **Gen Ed** |  | **Course No.** | **Course Name** | **Hrs** | **Gen Ed** |
| ECON 2313 or ECON 2333 | Principles of Macroeconomics or Economic Issues and Concepts | 3 | √ |  | CHEM 1043/1041 or CHEM 1013/1011 | Fund Concepts Chemistry/Lab OR Gen Chem I/Lab | 4 | √ |
| MATH 1023 | College Algebra | 3 | √ |  | MDIA 2313 | Multimedia Production | 3 |  |
| CMAC 1001 | Media Grammar and Style | 1 |  |  | ENG 2003 or 2013; PHIL 1103 | Intro to Lit I or II; Intro to Philosophy | 3 | √ |
| BIOL 1003/1001 | Biological Science and Biological Science Lab | 4 | √ |  | AGST 1003 | Modern Ag Systems | 3 |  |
| CMAC 2003 | Media Writing | 3 |  |  | AD 3023 or PR 3003 | Prin. Of Advertising or Prin. of Public Relations | 3 |  |
| CMAC 2053 | Intro to Visual Communications | 3 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Total Hours** |  | **17** |  |  | **Total Hours** |  | **16** |  |
| **Year 3**  **Fall Semester** | | | |  | **Year 3**  **Spring Semester** | | | |
| **Course No.** | **Course Name** | **Hrs** | **Gen Ed** |  | **Course No.** | **Course Name** | **Hrs** | **Gen Ed** |
| MDIA 2013 | Multimedia Reporting | 3 |  |  | AGED 3443 | Leadership in Agriculture | 3 |  |
| MDIA 2010 | Multimedia Reporting Lab | 0 |  |  | AGEC 3063 | Ag Sales and Services | 3 |  |
| AGRI 3233 or ECON 2113 or STAT 3233 | Applied Ag Stat or Bus Statistics or Statistics | 3 |  |  | AGRI 420V | Internships in Agriculture | 3 |  |
| AGRI 4433 | Organic Ag Production | 3 |  |  | PRAD4213/OR GCOM 3673 | Social Media in Strat. Comm or Desktop Publishing | 3 |  |
| PSSC 2813 | Soils | 3 |  |  | AGRI 4223 | Agriculture and the Environment | 3 |  |
| AGED 4462 | Agri Youth Organizations | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| MDIA 3313 | Audio/ Visual Production | 3 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Total Hours** |  | **17** |  |  | **Total Hours** |  | **15** |  |
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| **Year 4** | | | |  | **Year 4** | | | |
| **Fall Semester** | | | |  | **Spring Semester** | | | |
| **Course No.** | **Course Name** | **Hrs** | **Gen Ed** |  | **Course No.** | **Course Name** | **Hrs** | **Gen Ed** |
| AGST 3543 | Fund. GIS/GPS | 3 |  |  | AGEC 4083 | Agricultural Policy | 3 |  |
| AGRI 3723 | Agri Connections | 3 |  |  | MDIA 4053 or ENG 3043 | Advanced Reporting or Technical Writing | 3 |  |
| MKTG 3013 | Marketing | 3 |  |  | MDIA 4050 | Advanced Reporting Lab | 0 |  |
| Elective | Must be Jr/Sr level within major | 3 |  |  | AGRI 445V | Practicum in Agri Communication | 3 |  |
| Elective | Any level | 3 |  |  | Elective | Must be Jr/Sr level within major | 3 |  |
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| **Total Hours** |  | **15** |  |  | **Total Hours** |  | **12** |  |
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| **Total Jr/Sr Hours** | | **45** |  |  | **Total Degree Hours** | | **120** |  |
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**Other Graduation Requirements for BSA – Agriculture Business Major**

1. 2.00 GPA in Major
2. 2.00 Cumulative GPA
3. 120 total credit hours required
4. Minimum of 45 JR/SR Hours ***after completing 30 hours***
5. 18 of last 24 hours must be from ASU-Jonesboro courses
6. Minimum of 57 hours from 4-year institutions
7. Minimum of 32 Resident Hours if completing second degree & first degree not from ASU-J
8. Maximum of 31 hours via correspondence, extension, examination, PLA, Military or similar means
9. 30 hours maximum CLEP