# AGRIBUSINESS: FARM AND RANCH MANAGEMENT, BSAG

## Requirements for Students Matriculating in or before Academic Year 2023-2024

Learn more about University Academic Regulation 3.1 (http://catalog.okstate.edu/university-academic-regulations/#matriculation).

**Minimum Overall Grade Point Average:** 2.00  
**Total Hours:** 120

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<td>ENGL 1113</td>
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## Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources

| AG 1011 | First Year Seminar 5 | 1 |
| From two of the following groups, select one course: |       | 6 |

### Group 1

| PLNT 1213 | Introduction to Plant and Soil Systems |       |
| HORT 1013 | Principles of Horticultural Science (LN) |       |
| NREM 1113 | Elements of Forestry |       |

### Group 2

| SOIL 1113 | Land, Life and the Environment (N) |       |
| SOIL 2124 | Fundamentals of Soil Science (N) |       |

### Group 3

| ANSI 1124 | Introduction to the Animal Sciences |       |
| FDSC 1133 | Fundamentals of Food Science |       |
| ENTO 2993 | Introduction to Entomology (LN) |       |
| ENTO 3003 | Livestock Entomology |       |

### Group 4

| NREM 1014 | Introduction to Natural History (LN) |       |
| NREM 2013 | Ecology of Natural Resources |       |
| NREM 3013 | Applied Ecology and Conservation |       |
| ENV 1113 | Elements of Environmental Science (N) |       |
| BIOL 2344 | Chemistry and Applications of Biomolecules |       |
| BIOL 3713 | Biochemistry I |       |
| LA 1013 | Introduction to Landscape Architecture |       |

## Written & Oral Communications

Select one of the following: |       | 3 |

### AGCM 3103
Written Communications in Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources 5

### AGCM 3113
Writing and Editing for Agricultural Publications 5

### BCOM 3113
Written Communication 5

### BCOM 3443
Business Communication for International Students 5

### ENGL 3323
Technical Writing 2,5

Select one of the following: |       | 3 |

### AGCM 3203
Oral Communications in Agricultural Sciences & Natural Resources 5

### SPCH 2713
Introduction to Speech Communication (S) 5

### SPCH 3733
Elements of Persuasion (S) 5

## Hours Subtotal: 13

## Major Requirements

### Core Courses

6 credit hours of ACCT classes covering Financial and Managerial Accounting. Students cannot use a combination of both ACCT 2103 and ACCT 2003. | 6 |

### AGEC 1101
Agricultural Economics and Agribusiness Experience 5

### AGEC 3101
Professional Career Development 5

### AGEC 3213
Quantitative Methods in Agricultural Economics 5

### AGEC 3333
Agricultural Marketing and Price Analysis 5

### AGEC 3423
Farm and Agribusiness Management 5

### AGEC 3603
Agricultural Finance 5

## College/Departmental Requirements
AGEC 3713      Agricultural Law  5          3
AGEC 4403      Advanced Farm and Ranch Management  3
6 additional hours from AGEC 4000 excluding AGEC 4990  5          6
ECON 2203      Introduction to Macroeconomics  5          3
ECON 3113      Intermediate Microeconomics  5          3
or ECON 3023      Managerial Economics
Select 6 upper division hours of the following:  6
AGEC, ECON, MKTG 3213 or MGMT 3013

Related Courses
15 hours from the following course prefixes that are not used elsewhere with at least 9 of the 15 hours upper division:
   ANSI, AST, ENTO, HORT, NREM, PLNT, PLP, SOIL

Hours Subtotal  59

Electives
8 hours or hours to complete required total for degree 4        8

Hours Subtotal  8

Total Hours  120

1
College & Departmental requirements that may be used to meet General Education requirements.

2
If ENGL 3323 Technical Writing is substituted for ENGL 1213 Composition II above; hours in this block are reduced by 3

3
If used as (S) course above, hours in this block reduced by 3.

4
MATH 1483 Mathematical Functions and Their Uses (A) or MATH 1513 College Algebra (A) may need to be taken as prerequisite to required Calculus course

5
Hours meeting the Major core.

Other Requirements
• Exit interview with Head of Department of Agricultural Economics.
• A minimum of 40 semester credit hours and 100 grade points must be earned in courses numbered 3000 or above.
• A 2.00 GPA or higher in upper-division hours.

Additional State/OSU Requirements
• At least: 60 hours at a four-year institution; 30 hours completed at OSU; 15 of the final 30 or 50% of the upper-division hours in the major field completed at OSU.
• Limit of: one-half of major course requirements as transfer work; one-fourth of hours earned by correspondence; 8 transfer correspondence hours.
• Students will be held responsible for degree requirements in effect at the time of matriculation and any changes that are made, so long as these changes do not result in semester credit hours being added or do not delay graduation.
• Degrees that follow this plan must be completed by the end of Summer 2029.