

Clarendon College Department of Agriculture
Spring Semester 2010
Monday 1:00- 5:00 p.m. Sophomore
Thursday 1:00 -5:00 p.m. Freshman
Courson RFO Center ≠ Rhonde Room
AGRI 2221 Livestock Evaluation Section II
2 Semester Credit Hour

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Text: None.

Course Description: Advanced livestock evaluation techniques will be taught to students who are on the traveling livestock judging team. Oral reasons, and performance classes of livestock will be stressed during the semester

Statement of Purpose: To prepare the sophomore team to compete on a national level against other community colleges.

Exemplary Objectives: The learner shall:

- understand and apply the basic principles of critical thinking, problem solving, and technical proficiency in the development of exposition and argument.
- demonstrate oral communication skills through the evaluation of livestock.

Student Learning Outcomes: The learner shall:

- develop an understanding of the modern standards that are being used to evaluate livestock species.
 - establish organizational skills which would lead to successful completion of oral reasons.
- * * reveal critical communication skills by answering pertinent questions related to livestock.

Methods of Instruction: Lecture, videotape, demonstrations

Semester Schedule:

Arizona National Stock Show	December 31, 2005
National Western Stock Show	January 13, 2006
Fort Worth Stock Show	February 3, 2006
San Antonio Stock Show	February 17, 2006
Houston Livestock Show	March 15, 2006

Weekend practices will be expected.

Grading: Due to the nature of the course students are graded according to participation. Students who have more than three unexcused absences will be dropped from the course and their judging scholarship will be dropped the next semester.

Class Policies

1. Unexcused and/ or unauthorized absences will be reflected in the student's final grade. Student will be dropped from course after three unexcused absences.
2. Excused or authorized absences (school activities, illnesses, and emergencies) **Do not** excuse the student from any missed work. Students must make arrangements with the instructor to complete all assigned work.
3. Permission for making up any missed work will be granted only for absences arranged for in advance of the absence. In case of an emergency, illness, or death in the family, it is the student's responsibility to notify the instructor as soon as possible.

***Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) of 1990 prohibit discrimination in the recruitment, admission, and treatment of students. Students with qualified and documented disabilities may request reasonable accommodations, which will enable them to participate in and benefit from educational programs and activities. Students seeking reasonable accommodations are asked to see the Dean of Students.