



Pre- Veterinary Medicine Syllabus & Conduct Contract

Welcome! This class is designed for continuing agriculture students interested in animal health and animal care. The purpose of this course is to instruct you fundamental principles of disease and it's diagnosis, treatment and prevention. Instruction will include basic animal handling and behavior, parasitism and clinical practices

Courses Objectives: To proficiently identify normal animal health, disease prevention and diagnosis. To identify animal diseases and treatments of various pathogens in difference species.

Assessment: Students will be assessed through classroom and laboratory assignments, tests/quizzes, research projects, notebooks, and participation. Students will know in advance the point value of each graded task.

Participation: Both classroom and laboratory participation is essential for you to succeed in this class. Laboratory participation is based on productive time spent in groups or on assigned tasks. A large number of points are derived from classroom and laboratory participation.

Student Expectations: Success in this class depends on your attitude and willingness to learn.

1. Prepared to learn!:

- Writing utensil (Pen or Pencil)
- Notebook with paper
- Textbook or other materials
- Lab closes

2. Classroom Behavior:

Golden Rule!!: Treat others as you wish to be Treated

- Maintain a Positive Attitude
- Respecting others, their property, their right to learn, and respect yourself.
- Be on time to class (you are tardy if you are not in your seat when the bell rings)
- I will excuse you when the bell rings
- Being honest at all times (cheating will not be tolerated)
- Be respectful and polite to all guest
- Treat my Substitutes better than you would treat me.
- Inappropriate actions and poor choices come with consequences.