

Academic Programs

Agriculture Production Technology - Certificate (A14)

Students interested in production agriculture with an emphasis on agricultural technology should consider the Agricultural Production Technology certificate. Graduates of this program may become employed as farm operators, herdsman, equipment operators, or general farmhands.

Work and Employment

This program prepares students for positions as assistant managers, farm operators, equipment operators, or general farmhands. Practical, hands-on experience will be emphasized.

Program Contacts at Sauk Valley Community College

- Academic Advising, 815-835-6354
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- Jeff Johnson, Multicraft Instructor, 815-835-6279

Total Hours Required - 29 Hours

Major Field Requirements

- AGR109 - Soil Science (4 Semester Hours)
- AGR116 - Introduction to Animal Science (4 Semester Hours)
- AGR130 - Intro to Agr Mechanics (4 Semester Hours)
- AGR150 - Intro to AG Bus Management (4 Semester Hours)
- AGR199 - Ag Issues & Perceptions (3 Semester Hours)
- AGR201 - Crop Science (4 Semester Hours)
- CIS109 - Introduction to Computers (3 Semester Hours)
- UAS101 - Intro to Unmanned Aircraft Sys (3 Semester Hours)

Suggested Program

First Semester - 15 Hours

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- AGR150 - Intro to AG Bus Management (4 Semester Hours)
- AGR201 - Crop Science (4 Semester Hours)
- UAS101 - Intro to Unmanned Aircraft Sys (3 Semester Hours)

Second Semester - 14 Hours

- AGR109 - Soil Science (4 Semester Hours)
- AGR130 - Intro to Agr Mechanics (4 Semester Hours)
- AGR199 - Ag Issues & Perceptions (3 Semester Hours)
- CIS109 - Introduction to Computers (3 Semester Hours)