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COMMUNICATION

• Text Service – Text @tamuagec to 81010
• Email
• Voicemail
• Appointment

Read all AGEC emails!!!
GOOD PRACTICES

- **CHECK HOLDS** - What is a hold? How does it affect you?

- **APPOINTMENTS** - October and February Meet with an advisor one time per semester

- **CALL 979-845-4911** to schedule an appointment

**FINAL OFFICIAL HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT**
WHAT ADVISORS DO

We are your primary resource regarding academic issues, opportunities, and programs.

PLEASE read all emails from the AGEC Department!
WHAT ADVISORS DON’T DO

• Read your mind

• Make your decisions

• Have daily check-ins
HIGH IMPACT OPPORTUNITIES
1. To qualify for Latin Honors, students must complete 60 credit hours at TAMU and have a minimum GPA of 3.5

2. Transfer students will be invited to join the AGEC Honors Program on a provisional basis
GET INVOLVED

• AES (Agricultural Economics Society)
• FIRE (Society of Finance, Insurance and Real Estate)
• FPSA (Financial Planning Student Association)
• NAMA (National Agri-Marketing Association)
• PSSA (Professional Sales Student Association)
• Aggie Reps
ENHANCE YOUR DEGREE

Minors and Certificates

- Agricultural Economics - (AGBU only)
- Financial Planning
- Agribusiness Entrepreneurship
- Weston Agrifood Sales

Certificate in International Trade and Agriculture
GPA

Agribusiness – 4 GPAs:
1. CBK
2. Major
3. Overall
4. Term

Agricultural Economics – 3 GPAs:
1. Major
2. Overall
3. Term

Grade Points
A 4
B 3
C 2
D 1
F 0
1. A grade of D (1.00) is the minimum passing grade in each class.

2. Students must have a minimum average of C (2.00) in each GPA category.

3. Students must earn a C or better in ECON 202.
## SAMPLE SCHEDULE

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30 grade points/15 hours = 2.00

### AGBU
- ** CBK: 0.00
- * MAJOR: 3.00
- OVERALL: 2.00
- TERM: 2.00

### AGECE
- * MAJOR: 3.00
- OVERALL: 2.00
- TERM: 2.00
RULES AND REGULATIONS

Q-Drops and Withdrawals

1. Q-Drops: 6 at State schools and 4 at TAMU

2. ADD/DROP WEEK: Dropping a class during the first 5 days of the semester are not Q-Drops

3. If you need to drop all classes – you must withdraw
CAMPUS RESOURCES
ASC, Dis. Serv., FAID, SAS, SBS, SCS, SHS
AGRIBUSINESS – AGBU AND AGBL
**LOWER TO UPPER LEVEL – AGBL TO AGBU**

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Prerequisites for **AGEC 217**: AGEC 105, ENGL 103/104, MATH 140, MATH 142
1. You are currently classified as a lower-level Agribusiness student (AGBL)

2. To be classified as upper-level (AGBU) all of the following courses must be successfully completed: AGEC 217, ECON 202, ECON 203, ACCT 229, ACCT 230, and MGMT 211

3. You must be classified as AGBU to take the following classes: FINC 341; MKTG 321; MGMT 363; SCMT 303 and SCMT 364

4. Students may take either SCMT 303 or STAT 301/302/303

5. International Electives will also satisfy the International and Cultural Diversity requirement
AGEC 317

- Must be completed in the semester prior to your planned graduation date.
- Prereqs: ECON 323, STAT 303 or SCMT 303 and AGEC 217.
- AGEC 317 and Capstone classes are not offered in the summer.
AGRICULTURAL ECONOMICS – FRE, FMS, PEA, RUE, 3+2
AGEC DEGREE PLAN CONCENTRATIONS

- Finance and Real Estate (FRE)
- Food Marketing Systems (FMS)
- Policy and Economic Analysis (PEA)
- Rural Entrepreneurship (RUE)
- 3+2 – B.S. AGEC and M.P.S. Bush School (BPS)

* Each option has their own Non-AGEC Electives...pay attention!
* AGEC electives can be met with any AGEC course that is not required (EXCEPT AGEC 414, 431, 440)
AGEC COURSE INFORMATION

Finance and Real Estate
• AGECS 424 is required and is only offered in the fall semester
• AGECS 432 or 434 or 435
  o AGECS 432 – Real Estate (spring)
  o AGECS 434 – Finance (spring)
  o AGECS 435 - FINP (summer, spring, fall)

Rural Entrepreneurship
• AGECS 424 Fall only and then AGECS 425 Spring only
• AGECS 324 as AGECS elective very helpful for this option – take in Spring prior to
  AGECS 424 if possible
Food Marking Systems and Policy Economic Analysis

• AGEC 452 and AGEC 447 – Fall only
• AGEC 453 and 448 – Spring only

• AGEC 452 and AGEC 453 are also International and Cultural Diversity Classes

• AGEC 330 requires completion of ACCT 209 or 229
RULES AND REGULATIONS

Degree Sheet Information

1. If not already completed, then AGEC 105 is required of all students in first term
2. Completed classes will have a line through the Hours (HRs) column
3. Suggested courses have a dot to the left of them
4. Refer to AGEC Handbook for complete lists of electives and AGEC prerequisites
5. In addition to other published prerequisites, all 300- and 400-level AGEC courses require Junior or Senior classification
CORE CURRICULUM

- 6 hours Math (140 and 142)
- 3 hours Social and Behavioral Science (AGEC 105)
- 6 hours Communication (One course must be ENGL 104 or ENGL 103)
- 3 hours Language, Philosophy and Culture
- 3 hours Creative Art
- 6 hours American History
- 6 hours Political Science/Government (POLS 206 and 207)
- 9 hours Life and Physical Science

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REGISTRATION FOR CLASSES

• Where: AGLS 111 – [http://aggiemap.tamu.edu](http://aggiemap.tamu.edu)
• When: 1:30 PM
• What to bring:
  • Patience
  • Flexibility
  • 1\textsuperscript{st} choice and 2\textsuperscript{nd} choice Schedules
  • Any questions you may have