

# AGRIBUSINESS, AAS

## Program Description

The Mid-Plains Community College Associate of Applied Science in Business with an emphasis in Agribusiness program will give you the skills necessary to work in a variety of agricultural-related businesses.

The program encompasses the technologies of agriculture and business, management and production. Upon graduation, you will be prepared to start your career in a wide variety of ag-related business environments. Agribusiness uses technology to coordinate all activities that contribute to production, processing, marketing, distribution, financing and development of agricultural commodities.

## Career Opportunities

Employment opportunities with this degree may include the following:

- Financial managers
- Branch manager
- Department managers
- Purchasing agents
- Buyers for farm products
- Grain merchandisers
- Insurance agents
- Ag sales representatives
- Agribusiness office managers
- Loan officers
- Loan services

## Associate of Applied Science Degree Business

### Agribusiness Emphasis

#### Suggested Sequence of Study

Course	Title	Credit Hours
<b>First Semester</b>		
<b>Fall</b>		
AGRI 1005	Intro to Ag & Natural Resources	3.0
AGRI 1410	Intro to Ag-Economics	3.0
ACCT 1025 or ACCT 1200	Introduction to Accounting or Principles of Accounting I	3.0
BSAD 1050	Introduction to Business	3.0
AGRI Elective (See Below)		3.0
<b>Credit Hours</b>		<b>15.0</b>
<b>Second Semester</b>		
<b>Spring</b>		
AGRI 1030 & AGRI 1031	Introduction to Plant Science and Intro to Plant Science Lab	4.0
AGRI 1745	Agribusiness & Food Marketing	3.0
AGRI 2040 & AGRI 2041	Farm & Ranch Management and Farm & Ranch Management Lab	4.0
BSAD 1030	Business & Professional Speaking	3.0
<b>Credit Hours</b>		<b>14.0</b>

### Third Semester

#### Fall

AGRI 1015	Animal Agriculture	3.0
AGRI 2560	AG Law	3.0
BSAD 1100	Personal Finance	3.0
BSAD 2510	Business Computer Systems	3.0
BSAD 2540	Principles of Management	3.0
<b>Credit Hours</b>		<b>15.0</b>

### Fourth Semester

#### Spring

AGRI 2910	Agribusiness Internship	3.0
BSAD 2250	Business Communications	3.0
ENTR 1050	Introduction to Entrepreneurship	3.0
AGRI Electives (See below)		7.0
<b>Credit Hours</b>		<b>16.0</b>
<b>Total Credit Hours</b>		<b>60.0</b>

## Agribusiness Electives

Code	Title	Credit Hours
ACCT 1210	Principles of Accounting II	3.0
AGRI 1540 & AGRI 1541	Introduction to Soil Science and Intro to Soil Science Lab	4.0
AGRI 2100	Animal Products	3.0
AGRI 2500	Animal Management	3.0
AGRI 2620	Intro to Pest Management	4.0