

2019-2020

EQUINE STUDIES MAJOR, B.A.

Science & Health Department; School of Science, Health & Mathematics

The graduate of Equine Studies is prepared for numerous career possibilities, including Equine Administration and Management, Horse Training, Equine Ministry, and Graduate School. The Equine Studies major includes a core of various foundational equine classes with four concentration areas offered including: Equine Assisted Activities, Equine Science, Equine Management, and Equine Training.

To graduate must complete all major requirements, foundational requirements, and additional electives needed for 124 hour minimum degree requirement.

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (43) (29 Core + 15 Concentration)

1 1	EQ / PE EQ / PE	130 131	Horseback Riding I Horseback Riding II
3 3 3 3 2 6 1	EQ EQ EQ EQ EQ EQ EQ	100 200 201 202 206 251 435 475	Equine Studies Horsemanship Ministry Equine Conformation Stable Management Equine Health/First Aid Intro to Horse Training Equine Field Experience Equine Senior Seminar
3	HED	231	Injury Care & Safety

REQUIRED CONCENTRATION (choose one):

EQSA - EQUINE ASSISTED ACTIVITIES (15)

[*Use this Concentration and dual major with PSY for Equine Facilitated Mental Health]

3	EQ	208	Intro to Therapeutic Riding
3	EQ	245	Riding Instructor Certification
3	EQ	311	Therapeutic Riding Instruct
3	PSY	322	Equine Facilitated Mental Health

Choose 3 additional hours from EQ or any courses listed in other concentrations.

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EQSS - EQUINE SCIENCE (15)

Choose 15 hours from:			
3	EQ	305	Equine Nutrition & Forage Mgmt.
3	EQ	361	Equine Anatomy/Physiology
3	EQ	403	Equine Immunology/Diseases
3	EQ	406	Equine Lameness
3	EQ	420	Equine Reproduction
	EQ	451	Equine Exercise Phys & Conditioning

EQSM - EQUINE MANAGEMENT (15)

3	BU	211	Principles of Management
3	EQ	310	Farm & Ranch Management
3	EQ	320	Equine Administration
3	EQ	340	Equine Law

Choose 3 additional hours from EQ or any courses listed in other concentrations.

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EQST - EQUINE TRAINING (15)

1	EQ/PE	230	Horseback Riding III
1	EQ	257	Weanling Training
1	EQ	258	Yearling Training
1	EQ	259	Long Yearling Training
3	EQ	245	Riding Instructor Certification
2	EQ	353	Starting Under Saddle I
2	EQ	354	Starting Under Saddle II
2	EQ	355	Adv. Horse Under Saddle I
2	EQ	356	Adv. Horse Under Saddle II

PLUS FOUNDATIONAL REQUIREMENTS (49)

Plus electives needed for the 124 hour degree requirement (31)

*COMPLETE A DUAL MAJOR WITH PSYCHOLOGY FOR EQUINE FACILITATED MENTAL HEALTH