



AG TEACHER BOOTCAMP



June 17-20, 2024 - NCTA Campus
Curtis, Nebraska



HOURS OF CONTINUED LEARNING IN THE AREAS OF . . .



AG MECHANICS



ANIMAL SCIENCE



AGRONOMY



VET TECH



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2024 COURSE OPTIONS

Day	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
AM 1	Ag Mechanics -Welding SMAW and MIG	Ag Mechanics - Welding Oxy-Acetylene and TIG	Animal Science- Livestock Management Techniques	Livestock Reproduction
AM 2	Equine Management Techniques	Coaching Secrets for a Cohesive Team	Precision Agriculture Learning Exercises	Agronomy CDE Coaching/ Preparation
PM 1	Ag Mechanics- CDE preparation	Ag Mechanics Class and Facility Management	Developing a Livestock Evaluation Team	Livestock Genetics
PM 2	Successful Fundraising Ideas	Laboratory Exercises in Soils, Crop Growth and Use, Pests	Exotics in the Classroom	Parasites – Techniques and Identification

Couch Conversations:

Nightly conversations on the couch to discuss applications of teaching tips and sharing of ideas.

Courses for Credits

Graduate hours from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln available for four day options.

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Transitional Permits or Continuing Education Credits available also available.

Costs:

2-days: \$349

4-days: \$549

Includes:

- all meals
- housing (residence hall, two per room)
- materials and supplies

Curtis Nebraska is “conveniently” located in Southwest Nebraska in the heart of canyon country.

There are several airports within driving range of NCTA:

North Platte (LBF) – United Airlines – 45 minutes

Kearney (EAR) – United Airlines – 90 minutes

Grand Island (GRI) – American – 2 hours

Lincoln (LNK) – United – 3 hours

Omaha (OMA) – American, Delta, Southwest, United – 4 hours

Denver International Airport (DEN) – 4 hours

TESTIMONIALS FROM 2023 ATTENDEES:

WHAT ASPECTS OF THE BOOTCAMP WERE MOST VALUABLE TO YOU?

- “THE HANDS-ON TEACHING AND INFO.”
- “INSTRUCTORS TAILORED ACTIVITIES TOWARDS THE STUDENTS’ WANTS AND NEEDS. INSTRUCTORS WERE VERY WILLING TO SHARE RESOURCES AND HELP WHENEVER NEEDED.”
- “EVERY ASPECT!!!! ENJOYED THE HANDS-ON LABS AND EXPERIENCES, TEACHING, AND THE AVAILABILITY OF RESOURCES.
- EXPERIENCED CLASSROOM TECHNIQUES THAT I WAS UNAWARE OF AND LEARNED BETTER OPTIONS FOR CLASSROOM MANAGEMENT. LEARNED HOW TO BETTER SUPPORT AND REPRESENT MY FFA CHAPTER TO SHOW THE VALUE OF TEACHING AG. MADE CONNECTIONS WITH AG TEACHERS ACROSS THE COUNTRY TO HELP VIEW DIFFERENT AREAS OF AG AND SHARE RESOURCES.”
- “FACE-TO-FACE INSTRUCTION AND INDIVIDUALIZATION OF CONTENT, HANDS-ON OPPORTUNITY”
- “CONTENT & KNOWLEDGE AND APPLICABLE TO THE CLASSROOM”
- “THE AMOUNT OF RESOURCES THAT WERE SHARED WITH US. ALSO, THE TALKS THAT WERE HAD WERE VERY HELPFUL AS WELL.”
- “GAINING MORE KNOWLEDGE ON DIFFERENT SUBJECTS, CONVERSATIONS WITH DIFFERENT PROFESSIONALS, AND ATTAINING MORE MATERIAL THAT WILL BE USEFUL FOR HELPING STUDENTS IN THE FUTURE.”