



Veterinary Science

Mrs. Scholz · 2008-2009 · 2nd Semester

Class Overview

The Veterinary Sciences class is designed for the advanced study of animal sciences and veterinary medicine. Students will examine the parallels between animal science and human biology in addition to learning vocabulary, operating techniques, diseases and parasites, physiology, and more.

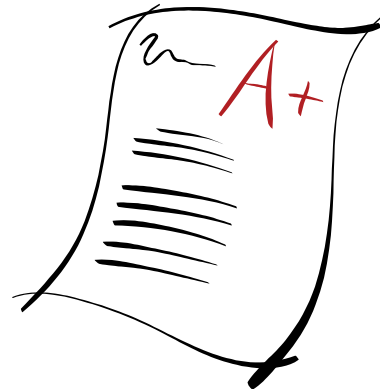
Grading

Your grade is the result of three criteria:

Daily Work
Tests/Projects
FFA Participation*

Letter grades are assigned as follows:

90-100%	A
80-89%	B
70-79%	C
Less than 70%	F



* FFA is an extension of the agriculture classroom where students apply classroom knowledge in real-world settings. Alternative assignments will be provided to students who chose not to participate in FFA activities.

Expectations

- Act in a safe manner.
- Be respectful of yourself, your classmates, the building, and the equipment.
- Come to class on time and prepared (paper, pen/pencil, and any other assigned materials).
- Students are responsible for asking for work missed due to an absence.
- Students should be in the room, seated, and ready to work when the bell rings. Students who enter the room after the final bell will be counted tardy.

Expectations

Absences

Students with absences may turn in work when they return to school under the following conditions:

- For work assigned before the absence: Due at the beginning of class on the student's return.
- For work assigned during the absence: Due at the beginning of class the same number of days following the student's return as was originally assigned. **Students are responsible for asking for work missed due to an absence.**

Classroom Policies:

- Act in a safe manner.
- Be respectful of yourself, your classmates, the building, and the equipment.
- Come to class on time and prepared (paper, pen/pencil, and any other assigned materials).

Late Work

Late assignments will receive a 10% deduction from the final grade.

Tardy Policy

Students should be in the room, seated, and ready to work when the bell rings. Students who enter the room after the final bell will be counted tardy. Tardies result in the following consequences:

- First and second tardies result in a warning.
- Third and fourth tardies result in a 1/2 hour detention in my classroom.
- Subsequent tardies result in referrals.

Shop Safety

Before working in the woods and welding shop, students will be required to pass safety tests for any power tools that will be used. Students will also be required to wear safety goggles when in the shop.

Note to Parents/Guardians

- Due to the nature of this course, it may be necessary to take educational field trips during the class period. Permission slips will be required for any trips that are longer than the assigned class period.
- On occasion, short clips from feature films such as Remember the Titans (PG), Hoosiers (PG), Footloose (PG), etc. may be shown during class. All film clips will be pertinent to the day's lesson and will not exceed a rating of PG-13 (*per School District policy*).
- If there are any concerns or objections to any classroom procedures or policies, please feel free to contact me at (503) 897-2311.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

Student Signature

Date