

# The Agriculture Industry

## **Class**

AGRI 1131

Overview of world agriculture, nature of the industry, resource conservation, and the American agricultural system, including production, distribution, and marketing. This is an introductory course to the field of agriculture with emphasis placed on career guidance, on counseling, educational requirements to the job market, and on current trends in the field. 1 semester hour - lecture

## **Course Learning Objectives**

1. Upon successful completion of this course, students will:
2. Explain the history and importance of agriculture.
3. Identify the various industries of agriculture.
4. Assess careers in agriculture and related educational requirements.
5. Apply verbal and written communication skills in agricultural context

## **Required Textbooks**

No text required

## **Evaluation Standards**

Instructor evaluation of the student's competency in each subject area will be measured during the semester by assignments, presentation and interview.

Weekly Assignments 65%

Final Assignment 10%

Presentation 10%

Interview 15%

Total 100%

Grades will be based on the percentages made from each of the areas listed above with attitude, attendance, and participation.

## **Disabilities**

## **ADA Statement:**

Any student with a documented disability (e.g. learning, psychiatric, vision, hearing, etc.) may contact the Office on the Weatherford College Weatherford Campus to request reasonable accommodations. *Phone:* 817-598-6350  
*Office Location:* Office Number 118 in the Student Services Building, upper floor. *Physical Address:* Weatherford College 225 College Park Drive Weatherford, TX.

## **Academic Integrity**

Academic Integrity is fundamental to the educational mission of Weatherford College, and the College expects its students to maintain high standards of personal and scholarly conduct. Academic dishonesty of any kind will not be tolerated. Academic dishonesty includes, but is not limited to, cheating on an examination or other academic work, plagiarism, collusion, and the abuse of resource materials including unauthorized use of Generative AI. Departments may adopt discipline specific guidelines on Generative AI usage approved by the instructional dean. Any student who is demonstrated to have engaged in any of these activities will be subject to immediate disciplinary action in accordance with institutional procedures.