

AGRONOMY

Class

AGRI 1407

Purpose: Principles and practices in the development, production, and management of field crops including growth and development, climate, plant requirements, pest management, and production methods. Laboratory activities will reinforce the fundamental principles and practices in the development, production, and management of field crops including growth and development, climate, plant requirements, pest management, and production methods.

Description: Principles and practices in the development, production, and management of field crops including plant breeding, plant diseases, soils, insect control, and weed control. Classification and distribution of farm crops; importance of good varieties and good seed; crop improvement; preparation of the seed bed; commercial fertilizers; harvesting; meadow and pasture management; weeds; crop rotation; disease and insect enemies. Three hours lecture, three hours laboratory per week

Required Textbooks

Principles of Field Crop Production, Martin, J. H. et al Pearson Prentice Hall

Evaluation Standards

Instructor evaluation of the student's competency in each subject area will be measured during the semester by daily attendance/participation, written examination and by laboratory exercises.

Attendance 25%

Tests & Term Paper 25%

Lab 25%

Final Exam 25%

Total 100%

Grades will be based on the percentages made from each of the areas listed above along 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
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