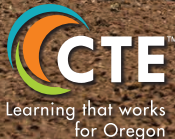


# Ranch Animal Technician



## RANCH ANIMAL TECHNICIAN (20 credits)

The Ranch Animal Technician certificate will prepare the student for entry level positions in agriculture. Students will learn the foundations of farm business and animal science as well as have hands-on experience working with ranch animals. The successful student will possess applied skills in ranch animal production and management including nutrition and reproduction.

This program prepares students for a wide variety of careers in Ranch Management, including manager of a small ranch, ranch hand, feedlot operator, brand inspector, and artificial inseminator. The program combines theory with practical skills needed for daily cattle operations.

*The Career Pathways Certificate of Completion is awarded to students fulfilling the following requirements.*

<b>ANS 121</b>	Intro to Animal Science	<b>4</b>
<b>ANS 216</b>	Beef Pregnancy Checking	<b>3</b>
<b>ANS 215</b>	Beef/Dairy Cattle Production	<b>3</b>
<b>ANS 205</b>	Food Animal Health & Disease	<b>2</b>
<b>ANS 217</b>	Artificial Insemination	<b>3</b>
<b>AG 111</b>	Ag Computers	<b>3</b>
<b>AG 201</b>	Current Issues in Agriculture	<b>2</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>20</b>

*All courses required for the Ranch Animal Technician Career Pathway Certificate of Completion (CPCC) are included in the Ranch Management Associate of Applied Science degree. Students seeking ONLY the CPCC may not be able to utilize financial aid.*