



University of Connecticut
Ratcliffe Hicks School of Agriculture

Students – please check one:
 _____ Preliminary Plan
 _____ Final Plan

Office of
Academic Programs

**CATALOG YEAR 2011-2012
GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS**

**RHSA Associate of Applied Science (AAS) Degree
Plan of Study**

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- This Plan of Study (plan) is used as a *worksheet* during initial registration and every subsequent semester to determine minimum requirements and progress toward completing the degree. Students should use their Academic Requirements Report (accessible in Student Admin) along with the Plan of Study to view their graduation requirements and assess status toward completion of the degree.
- **A final plan (completed in ink) must be approved by advisor and submitted to the RHSA Director's Office (Young 211) no later than the end of the tenth week of classes of the semester prior to graduation.**
- Students must pass all required courses, adhere to registration requirements and restrictions of RHSA, and earn:
At least 64 credits toward the degree
At least a 2.0 Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA)

Note - Transfer students must complete at least 32 credits of RHSA courses taken at UConn.

- No more than 19 credits of 1000 level coursework (including courses listed in Part I) may be used toward the AAS degree, unless approved by the Director. No more than 6 credits of Independent Study, Internship and Special Topics may be applied toward the AAS degree, unless approved by the Director. Courses taken on Pass/Fail may NOT be used to meet any requirements.

STUDENT AND DEGREE INFORMATION

The information below must be filled out completely on your final plan of study.

Name _____ Student I.D. _____
First Middle Last

Phone # _____ Email Address _____

Current Address: _____
Street City/Town State Zip Code

Month and Year of Anticipated Graduation May August December Year: _____

At the completion of semester you intend to graduate, will you have earned 64 or more credits to be applied toward your graduation? Yes No

Please select your major:	Please select your concentration:
Animal Science _____	Dairy/Livestock Management _____
Ornamental Horticulture & Turfgrass Management _____	Equine Science _____
	Ornamental Horticulture _____
	Turfgrass Management _____

APPROVAL SIGNATURES (required on final plan of study)

Student's Signature _____ Date _____

Advisor's Signature _____ Date _____

Director's Signature _____ Date _____

**The final plan must be submitted to the RHSA Director's Office (Young 211).
Please remember to keep a copy of the plan for your records.**

PART I: GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (FOR BOTH MAJORS)

Freshman Seminar

SAAG 250

(An exemption may be granted based on prior college-level coursework.)

Sem./Year Grade

_____/____ _____

Writing

ENGL 1004, 1010, or 1011

(Placement based on SAT scores)

Sem./Year Grade

_____/____ _____

Mathematics

MATH 1011Q or higher

(Placement based on SAT scores and/or placement exam.

An exemption may be considered based on SAT scores.)

Sem./Year Grade

_____/____ _____

Arts and Humanities

One of the following:

ART 1000, DRAM 1101, DRAM 1110, FREN 1171, GEOG/URBN 1200,
GERM 1171, HIST 1201, HIST 1501, HIST 1502, ILCS 1158, MUSI 1001,
MUSI 1004, NRE 1235, PHIL 1102, PHIL 1104, POLS 1002, WS 1104,
SPAN 1001, SPAN 1002, FREN 1161, FREN 1162

Dept. & Course No.

Sem./Year

_____/____

Grade

Social Science

POLS 1602 **AND** one of the following:

ANTH 1000, ANTH 1006, ARE 1110, SARE 450,
ECON 1000, ECON 1201, ECON 1202, GEOG 1000,
GEOG 1700, HDFS 1070, POLS 1202, POLS 1207,
POLS 1402, SOCI 1001, SOCI 1251, SOCI 1501

Sem./Year

_____/____

Grade

Other Alternatives

Students may substitute COMM 1100, NUSC 1167 or PLSC 1125 for the additional course requirement (not for POLS 1602) in the Social Sciences category.

Dept. & Course No.

Sem./Year

_____/____

Grade

Natural Science

Expectations fulfilled by major area requirements.

Computer Technology

Expectations fulfilled by major area requirements.

PART II: MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

Animal Science Core Requirements

		<u>Sem./Year</u>	<u>Grade</u>
SAAS 101	Introduction to Animal Science	___/___	___
SAAS 111	Anatomy and Physiology of Domestic Animals	___/___	___
SAAS 112	Anatomy and Physiology of Domestic Animals	___/___	___
SAAS 113	Nutrition and Feeding of Livestock	___/___	___
SAAS 121	Animal Breeding and Genetics	___/___	___
SAPB 301	Health and Disease Management of Animals	___/___	___

Horticulture: Ornamental Horticulture Core Requirements

SAPL 100	Orientation to Plant Science and Landscape Architecture	___/___	___
SAPL 110	Turfgrass Management	___/___	___
SAPL 120	Introduction to Plant Science	___/___	___
SAPL 300	Introduction to Soil Science	___/___	___
SAPL 410	Woody Land Plants I: Common Trees, Shrubs and Vines	___/___	___
SAPL 640	Plant Propagation	___/___	___
SAPL 750	Landscape Plant Maintenance	___/___	___
SAPL 800 or SAPL 810	Turfgrass Pests and Control Plant Pest Control	___/___	___
SAPL 840	Integrated Pest Management	___/___	___

Horticulture: Turfgrass Management Core Requirements

SAPL 100	Orientation to Plant Science and Landscape Architecture	___/___	___
SAPL 110	Turfgrass Management	___/___	___
SAPL 120	Introduction to Plant Science	___/___	___
SAPL 300	Introduction to Soil Science	___/___	___
SAPL 750	Landscape Plant Maintenance	___/___	___
SAPL 800	Turfgrass Pests and Control	___/___	___
SAPL 840	Integrated Pest Management	___/___	___
SAPL 991	Internship	___/___	___

PART III: AREA OF SPECIALIZATION (FOR BOTH MAJORS)

In addition to General Education Requirements and the Major Requirements listed above, students must complete at least 12 credits related to an Area of Specialization within the major. These courses must be Ratcliffe Hicks courses, numbered 100-999, and must be approved by the student's advisor.

<u>Dept. & Course #</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Sem./Year</u>	<u>Credits</u>	<u>Grade</u>
_____	_____	___/___	___	___
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