

bachelor's degree

on campus

Agricultural Sciences

Degree Type:

Bachelor of Science (B.S.)

Program Length:

4 years (120 credit hours)



What Can You Do With an Agricultural Sciences Degree?

There are a wide variety of careers and graduate programs you could pursue with a B.S. degree in Agricultural Sciences. Here are just a few:

- Agronomist
- Animal Scientist
- Food Scientist
- Plant Scientist
- Rangeland Scientist
- Soil Scientist
- Research Technician
- Feedlot Manager
- USDA Program Manager
- Animal Production Manager

With three working farms, the CAMPP meat production and processing facility, and a commercial kitchen, McNeese graduates achieve a true farm-to-table educational experience.

MCNEESE STATE UNIVERSITY

WHY MCNEESE?

Here are just a few reasons to make McNeese your first choice ...



Applied Research:

Build on what you've learned in the classroom and play a role in supporting faculty research. Attend **national and international conferences** to present your results.

Financial Aid and Scholarships:

Over 150 ag-specific scholarships are available for agricultural science majors.

Specialized Facilities:

- State-of-the-art **CAMPP meat production and processing facility**
- **Three working farms** covering a combined 1,000 acres, where students get hands-on experience with livestock, native plants and biomass, and crop production
- **Commercial kitchen**, where students and faculty collaborate with Second Harvest food Bank to produce meals for the local community

Career Development and Leadership Events

Participate in events designed to **enhance your technical, leadership, and teamwork skills:**

- Area and State FFA Leadership and Career Development Events
- Youth and Collegiate Livestock Judging Contests

Clubs, Organizations, and Teams

Participate in **extracurricular activities** related to your major:

- Collegiate FFA and Block and Bridle Clubs
- Ducks Unlimited
- Hunt Seat Team
- National Championship Rodeo Team

The Harold and Pearl Dripps School of Agricultural Sciences equips you with the skills necessary for careers in agriculture, food science and agribusiness.

From animal science to pre-veterinary medicine, each degree program offers high-quality, student-focused instruction with expert faculty who are committed to your success.

Agricultural Sciences Degree Concentrations

Agribusiness

Learn the business, economics and management side of agricultural and food industries.

Agricultural Education Grades 6-12

Prepare students to be effective classroom teachers in agricultural science.

Animal Science

Study the biology, genetics, nutrition, physiology, growth, behavior, care and management of animals.

Food and Nutritional Science

Learn the principles of food science and nutrition management.

Equine Science

Engage in the scientific and behavioral study of horses and explore the business, management, and recreational aspects of the equine industry.

Food Technology

Design, develop, and test new food technologies while gaining hands-on experience in the food industry.

General Agriculture

Cultivate a broad knowledge of agricultural and food science areas and achieve flexibility in career options.

Nutrition and Dietetics

Understand the nutritional health of individuals and communities and learn medical nutrition therapy.

Pre-Veterinary Medicine

Build a strong foundation in animal science to continue your studies to veterinary school.



Hands on experience from the get go!

In the first week of class, you will work directly with animals, plants and the environment and begin learning skills for real world jobs!



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