

Program Number 61-006-2
Certificate • 12 credits

ABOUT THE PROGRAM

Introduces the learner to the financial and economic impact of running a successful farm operation. Establishes an understanding of financial software tools and their uses to provide a financial roadmap. Builds a basic understanding of business management practices and the economics systems and public policies.

PROGRAM OUTCOMES

- Apply understanding of basic financial software
- Apply management practices in reaching goals and objectives
- Understand a business plan and ROI

ADMISSIONS AND FIRST SEMESTER ENROLLMENT STEPS

- Submit online application
- Complete the online Student Success Questionnaire

APPROXIMATE COSTS

- \$138.90 per credit tuition (WI resident) plus \$8.33 per credit student activity fee. Material fee varies depending on course. Other fees vary by program. Visit gotoltc.edu/financial-aid/tuition-and-fees for details.

SPECIAL NOTE

This certificate is available online or in person.

CAREER AND EDUCATION ADVANCEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

These credits transfer into LTC's Agriculture Technician Technical Diploma. Students may then enter the second year of the associate degree, Agribusiness Science & Technology.

CONTACT

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Catalog No.	Class Title	Credit(s)
Term 1 (Fall)		
10006112	Farm Business Management	3
10804123	Math with Business Applications*	3
		6
Term 2 (Spring)		
10006110	Agricultural Finance	3
10006126	Agribusiness Economics	3
		6
		TOTAL 12

*A math assessment placement test is required.

Curriculum and Program Acceptance requirements are subject to change. Program start dates vary; check with your advisor for details. The tuition and fees are approximate based on 2020-2021 rates and are subject to change prior to the start of the academic year.

AGRIBUSINESS ECONOMICS...introduces agricultural economic dimensions and impacts, economic principles, calculation of economic returns, and evaluation of economic alternatives. Other topics include capital use, cost appraisal, risk considerations under a variety of economic conditions, farm credit sources, and creditor relationships. COREQUISITE: 10006110 Agricultural Finance

AGRICULTURAL FINANCE...introduces learner to major aspects of agribusiness financial management through extensive problem solving, financial analysis and planning. Students will describe and calculate the sweet 16 ratios, business cash flows, inventory controls, budgeting and borrowing considerations of various types of agribusinesses. Relevant software tools will be introduced. PREREQUISITE: 10006112 Farm Business Management

FARM BUSINESS MANAGEMENT...provides learner with basic business management practices including the development of a business plan, establishment of short and long range goals, identification and implementation alternatives for reaching goals, and development of strategies to monitor progress. The importance of designing a business mission statement based on goals is emphasized.

MATH WITH BUSINESS APPLICATIONS...covers real numbers, basic operations, linear equations, proportions with one variable, percents, simple interest, compound interest, annuity, apply math concepts to the purchasing/buying process, apply math concepts to the selling process, and basic statistics with business/consumer applications. PREREQUISITE: 10834109 Pre-Algebra or Math placement assessment equivalent and COREQUISITE: 10838105 Intro to Reading and Study Skills or Reading placement assessment equivalent