

# Western Technical College

# 10006137 Agribusiness Computer Application

# **Course Outcome Summary**

#### Course Information

**Description** This course will apply the use of spreadsheets, software, decision aid software and

farm business accounting software on PC computers. Applications made will be a variety of ag uses including: farm financial records, crop records, crop and field mapping, ag financial analysis, tax planning, crop & livestock enterprise analysis and GIS systems. Students will also apply Excel spreadsheets to analyze herd data

and to build charts.

Career Cluster Agriculture, Food and Natural Resources

Instructional

Level

Associate Degree Courses

Total Credits 2

**Total Hours** 54

#### **Textbooks**

No textbook required.

### **Program Outcomes**

- Interact as a professional in Agribusiness
- 2. Investigate opportunities in Agribusiness
- 3. Apply relevant technologies
- 4. Apply economic and marketing strategies to Agribusiness Industry
- 5. Create a Crop Management Plan
- 6. Create a Livestock Management plan

#### **Course Competencies**

## 1. Explore Ag related Internet, apps, and social network resources

#### **Learning Objectives**

- 1.a. Explore computer programs useful to the operation of agricultural functions
- 1.b. Specify uses of computers in agriculture
- 1.c. Compare agriculture functions with and without computer capabilities
- 1.d. Identify reliable internet sources for agribusiness information.
- 1.e. Explore social media use in agribusiness.

- 2. Create a simple 590 Nutrient Management Plan using SnapPlus software
- 3. Explore basic farm business accounting programs
- 4. Explore unique computer programs used in AG
- 5. Explore effective use of Excel spreadsheets in everyday farming operations
- 6. Produce an effective power point presentation