

**Iowa State University
College of Agriculture
Agricultural Education Eight Semester Plan
Communications Option*
2009 - 2011 Catalog**

Semester 1

AgEds 110A	Orientation	0.5
Ag Elective	Technical Agricultural Elective	3
Biol 211	Principles of Biology I	3
Engl 150	Critical Thinking and Communication	3
Lib 160	Library Instruction	0.5
Math 104 or 150	Intro Prob & Matrices or Math for Bus	3
Econ 101 or 102	Principles of MicroEconomics or Macro	3
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Semester 3

Chem 163 & Lab	General Chemistry & Lab	5
Prof Comm Elective	Prof Communications Elec (from list)	3
Ag Elective	Technical Agricultural Elective	3
Ethics Elective	Ethics Elective	3
Stat 104	Introduction to Statistics	3
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Semester 5

AgEds 315	Personal & Professional Leadership	3
Prof Comm Elective	Prof Communications Elec (from list)	3
U.S. Diversity Elective	U.S. Diversity Elective	3
Ag Elective	Technical Agricultural Elective	3
Elective	General Elective	3
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Semester 7

AgEds 412	Internship in AgEdS	6
Ag Elective	Technical Agricultural Elective	5
Prof Comm Elective	Prof Communications Elec (from list)	3
Elective	General Elective	3
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Semester 2

Biol 212	Principles of Biology II	3
Engl 250	Written, Oral, Visual, & Electronic Comp.	3
Psych Elective	Psychology Elective	3
Life Science Elective	Life Science Elective (from list)	3
Ag Elective	Technical Agricultural Elective	3
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Semester 4

BMBB 221 or Phys 106	Structure & Reactions or Physics	3-4
Prof Comm Elective	Prof Communications Elec (from list)	3
Ag Elective	Technical Agricultural Elective	6
Int Perspectives Elective	International Perspectives Elective	3
AgEds 215	Career Seminar	1
AgEds 211	Early Field-Based Experience	1
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Semester 6

Prof Comm Elective	Prof Communications Elec (from list)	6
Ag Elective	Technical Agricultural Elective	6
AgEds 311	Presentation & Sales Strategies	3
Humanities Elective	Humanities Elective (from list)	3
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Semester 8

Prof Comm Elective	Prof Communications Elec (from list)	3
Elective	General Elective	6-7
Ag Elective	Technical Agricultural Elective	3
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Total Credits

128

*In addition, students would have to meet requirements in the following areas:

Select one technical agricultural area in which you will complete at least 10 credits (6 of these must be 300-400 level courses)

Select two other technical agricultural areas in which you will complete at least 6 credits (2 courses) in each area

A 2.0 grade point average is required