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STUDENT  
ORGANIZATIONS

Other degrees and areas of study offered through the Department of Agricultural Sciences:

- Agricultural Business, BS
- Agricultural Communications, BS
- Agricultural Engineering Technology, BS
- Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources Teacher Certification
- Animal Science, BS
- Equine Science Minor
- Pre-Veterinary Medicine Concentration
- Plant and Soil Sciences, BS
- Wildlife Management Minor

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# INTERDISCIPLINARY AGRICULTURE

Bachelor of Science



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## INTERDISCIPLINARY AGRICULTURE

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### POSSIBLE CAREERS FOR INTERDISCIPLINARY AGRICULTURE MAJORS

- Agricultural Education
- Agricultural Extension
- Government Agencies
- Professional Associations
- Non-profit Organizations

## BACHELOR'S DEGREE IN INTERDISCIPLINARY AGRICULTURE

The Bachelor of Science in Interdisciplinary Agriculture, or general agriculture degree, is designed to meet the needs of students desiring a program of study in agricultural production management, agricultural education, extension education, or any of several other fields of study. The program allows for the selection of a minor in special interest areas such as chemistry, biology, business, environmental science, secondary education, or computer science. Interdisciplinary Agriculture is the primary major of choice for many students interested in pursuing teacher certification or extension education, but also offers a number of career opportunities.

Students interested in becoming an Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources (AFNR) teacher will minor in Secondary Education through the College of Education's accredited educator preparation program. During the student teaching portion of the program, participation is essential in related AFNR and FFA activities such as fairs, livestock and agricultural mechanics shows, contests, FFA alumni and young farmer programs, etc.

## REQUIREMENTS

**Minor:** Interdisciplinary agriculture majors must choose an approved minor of at least 18 hours, 9 of which must be advanced. Students seeking Agricultural, Food, and Natural Resources (AFNR) teacher certification should select Secondary Education as their minor.

## SCHOLARSHIPS

Once accepted, students may apply for relevant scholarships by completing the Scholarships4Kats online application. Transfer scholarships are available for students who would like to continue their academic career at Sam Houston State University.

## STUDENT GROUPS

Students are encouraged to actively participate in professional extracurricular activities. Some of those sponsored by the department include Block and Bridle; Collegiate FFA; Delta Tau Alpha; Ducks Unlimited; Minorities in Ag, Natural Resources, and Related Sciences; Plant & Soil Science Club; Ag Engineering Technology Club; Rodeo Club; and Wildlife Society.