

VETERINARY TECHNOLOGY - ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE (AS) – 73 credits
VETERINARY ASSISTING - CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT (CA) – 31 credits
2019-20

Graduation Checklist for Windward Community College

The Certificate of Achievement in Veterinary Assisting is designed to provide students with the basic knowledge and skills required to perform effectively as an assistant in a veterinarian's office, animal shelter or animal research facility. The two-semester program includes coursework in the physical and life sciences as well as hands-on experience through internships at local veterinary clinics.

The Associate in Science in Veterinary Technology is designed to provide the students with traditional classroom instruction with intensive hands-on laboratory and practical experience utilizing live animals in a clinical setting. Students enrolled in the program will receive didactic and practical training in pharmacology, radiology, anesthesiology, surgical assisting, dentistry, nutrition, and veterinary office procedures and will learn how to perform over 130 skill sets deemed essential by the American Veterinary Medical Association (AVMA).

This is not an official document. Check catalog for course description and prerequisite. **Check course core designation at the Class Availability website. Course core designation may differ at the various UH campuses.** See your academic counselor if you need help.

		CA	AS	COURSE	CREDIT	GRADE	SEM YEAR
YEAR 1: Veterinary Assisting - Certificate of Achievement 31 credits							
General Education and Preparatory Classes (9 Credits)							
ENG 100	Composition I	√	√		3		
PSY 100	Survey of Psychology	√	√		3		
SP 151 OR SP 181 OR SP 231 OR SP 251 OR SP 253 OR THEA 222	Personal and Public Speech OR Introduction to Interpersonal Communication OR Performance of Literature OR Principles of Effective Speaking OR Argumentation and Debate OR Acting II	√	√		3		
Veterinary Assisting Core Classes (22 Credits)							
ANSC 140	Introduction to Veterinary Technology	√	√		3		
ANSC 142	Anatomy and Physiology of Domestic Animals	√	√		3		
ANSC 142L	Anatomy of Domestic Animals Laboratory	√	√		1		
ANSC 151	Clinical Laboratory Techniques	√	√		3		
ANSC 151L	Clinical Laboratory Techniques Laboratory	√	√		1		
ANSC 153	Companion Animal Nursing and Nutrition	√	√		3		
ANSC 153L	Companion Animal Nursing Lab	√	√		1		
ANSC 191	Veterinary Office and Computer Skills	√	√		3		
HLTH 125	Survey of Medical Terminology	√	√		1		
MATH 101	Mathematics for Veterinary Assisting	√	√		3		
YEAR 2: Veterinary Technology - Associate in Science 42 credits							
General Education Classes (3 Credits)							
Humanities			√		3		
Veterinary Technology Core Classes (39 Credits)							
ANCS 152	Companion Animal Diseases		√		3		
ANSC 190	Clinical Practices & Internship I		√		3		
ANSC 252	Diagnostic Imaging for Veterinary Technicians		√		3		
ANSC 252L	Diagnostic Imaging for Veterinary Technicians Lab		√		1		
ANSC 253	Pharmacology for Veterinary Technicians		√		3		
ANSC 258	Clinical Lab Techniques II		√		3		
ANSC 258L	Clinical Lab Techniques II Lab		√		1		
ANSC 261	Anesthesiology & Dentistry for Vet Tech		√		3		
ANSC 261L	Anesthesiology & Dentistry for Vet Tech Lab		√		2		
ANSC 262	Clinical Procedures for Large Animals		√		3		
ANSC 262L	Clinical Procedures for Large Animals Lab		√		1		
ANSC 263	Exotic and Laboratory Animal Procedures		√		3		
ANSC 263L	Exotic and Laboratory Animal Procedures Lab		√		1		
ANSC 266	Clinical Practices & Internship II		√		3		
ANSC 271	Anesthesiology & Surgical Nursing for Vet Tech		√		3		
ANSC 271L	Anesthesiology & Surgical Nursing for Vet Tech Lab		√		2		
ANSC 290	Veterinary Technician Exam Review		√		1		

Graduation Requirements

Progression Requirements

In order to continue in the Veterinary Studies Program, the student must meet the following standards:

- Students in the program must attain and maintain a grade of "C" or better in each of the required courses and maintain a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher.
- If a student does not achieve a grade of "C" or better in a required course, the student may not progress in the program until the course has been repeated successfully. Course repetition will be based on instructor approval and program resources.
- Veterinary Technology courses may only be repeated once; students failing to make a grade of "C" or better in a course that has been repeated may be dismissed from the program.

Residency requirement: At least 20% of the required courses in the major area must be earned at the College. Under certain circumstances, this requirement may be waived upon request made to the Vice Chancellor of Academic Affairs.

Last day for graduation certification is the last day of instruction.

Any one course can fulfill only one area (eg: SP 151, SP 231, etc)

+When taken at WCC

HUMANITIES

ART 101, 104D, 105B, 105C, 107, 108, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 123, 126, 189, 202, 207, 208, 213, 214, 220, 223, 224, 243, 244, 251, 253, 260, 269V(1-6), 270, 280, **CM** 120, 126, 204C, 220, 223, 240, 242, 255, 280, 286, 295A, 295B, **DNCE** 121, 122, 131, 132, 221, 231, 270, **ENG** 204A, 204B, 204C, 209, 270, 271, 272, 280, **HIST** 151, 152, 230, 231, 232, 241, 242, 260, 281, 282, 284, 285, **HUM** 100, 269V(1-6), **HWST** 107, 115, 130, 131, 135, 136, 140, 222, 255, 270, 273, 275, 275L(1), 285, **IS** 160A, 160B, 160L(1), 260A, 260B, **ICS** 123, 203, **JOUR** 200, 270, 286, **LING** 102, **MUS** 106, 107, 108, 114 (2)*, 121B(2)*, 121C(2)*, 121D(2)*, 121F(2)*, 121Z(2), 122B(2)*, 122C(2)*, 122D(2)*, 122F(2)*, 122Z(2)*, 130F(2)*, 166, 177, 211(2), 221C(2)*, 222C(2)*, 240, 253, 280, **PHIL** 100, 101, 102, 211, 213, **REL** 150, 151, 201, 202, 205, 206, 207, **SP** 151, 231, 251, 253, **THEA** 101, 131, 132, 133, 177, 211, 220, 221, 222, 223, 225, 231, 232, 233, 240, 260, 280 *Any combination that totals 3 credits will be considered the equivalent of one semester course.