



**DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL SCIENCE**

**COURSE OUTLINE – WINTER 2016**

**AH481 FIELD TRIP – (0-0-30)**

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**PREREQUISITE(S)/COREQUISITE:**

- Students must be enrolled in Second Year Animal Health Courses.

**REQUIRED TEXT/RESOURCE MATERIALS:**

- N/A

**CALENDAR DESCRIPTION:**

The field trip may include attendance at the Animal Health Technologist Conference and/or tour of veterinary clinics and related facilities. Students will be required to cover field trip personal expenses.

**CREDIT/CONTACT HOURS:**

**1 (0-0-30) 1 week, 30 Hours**

**DELIVERY MODE(S):**

- Field Trip
- Assignment

**TRANSFERABILITY: (if applicable)**

\*\* Grade of D or D+ may not be acceptable for transfer to other post-secondary institutions. Students are cautioned that it is their responsibility to contact the receiving institutions to ensure transferability

**GRADING CRITERIA:**

<b>GRANDE PRAIRIE REGIONAL COLLEGE</b>			
<b>GRADING CONVERSION CHART for ANIMAL HEALTH PROGRAM</b>			
<b>Alpha Grade</b>	<b>4-point Equivalent</b>	<b>Percentage Guidelines</b>	<b>Designation</b>
<b>A<sup>+</sup></b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>90 – 100</b>	<b>EXCELLENT</b>
<b>A</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>85 – 89</b>	
<b>A<sup>-</sup></b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>80 – 84</b>	<b>FIRST CLASS STANDING</b>
<b>B<sup>+</sup></b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>77 – 79</b>	
<b>B</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>73 – 76</b>	<b>GOOD</b>
<b>B<sup>-</sup></b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>70 – 72</b>	
<b>C<sup>+</sup></b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>67 – 69</b>	<b>SATISFACTORY</b>
<b>C</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>63 – 66</b>	
<b>C<sup>-</sup></b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>60 – 62</b>	<b>MINIMAL PASS*</b>
<b>F</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>55 – 59</b>	<b>FAIL</b>
	<b>1.0</b>	<b>50 – 54</b>	
	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0 – 49</b>	
<b>WF</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>FAIL, withdrawal after the deadline</b>
			*overall grade point average has to be 2.0 or higher to be successful in the AHT program.

## EVALUATIONS:

### EXAMINATIONS

### Mark Distribution

<b>A.</b> Assignments	30%
<b>B.</b> Attendance, Participation, Professional, Department	70%
	<b>100%</b>

A passing grade for this course is a minimum of 80%. This course is a pass or fail.

A deduction of 5-10% per incident will occur for tardiness, missed tours, inattentiveness and / or disruptive behaviour at any of the organized events.

### STUDENT RESPONSIBILITIES:

Enrolment at GPRC assumes that the student will become a responsible citizen of the College. As such, each student will display a positive work ethic, take pride in and assist in the maintenance and preservation of Institute property, and assume responsibility for his/her education by researching academic requirements and policies; demonstrating courtesy and respect toward others; and respecting instructor expectations concerning attendance, assignments, deadlines, and appointments.

For your safety, the safety of others and the safety of the animals there will be a zero tolerance for anybody showing up for sessions, under the influence of alcohol or other medication that may cause physical impairment or disruptive behaviour.

Attendance is mandatory on the AHT 2 field trip. Included in tuition for this course are accommodations, conference registration (if applicable) and transportation within regular school day hours (extra – curricular travel will be on your own). Students will be required to cover field trip expenses, e.g. meals.

If a student is not permitted or has permission from instructor not to attend the field trip – a supplemental project will replace the Attendance/Participation and Professional Department mark.

## STATEMENT ON PLAGIARISM AND CHEATING:

Refer to the College Policy on Student Misconduct: Plagiarism and Cheating at [https://www.gprc.ab.ca/files/forms\\_documents/Student\\_Misconduct.pdf](https://www.gprc.ab.ca/files/forms_documents/Student_Misconduct.pdf)

\*\*Note: all Academic and Administrative policies are available at <https://www.gprc.ab.ca/about/administration/policies/>

## COURSE SCHEDULE/TENTATIVE TIMELINE:

- Field Trip TBA
- Upon returning to the campus each student will be required to submit a summary and evaluation of the sessions they attended. Deadline TBA.

YEAR: 2015/2016

