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TO: Council on Academic Affairs

DATE: August 8, 2006

From: Department of Agriculture

RE: Curriculum Changes in Associate Degree Program and Horticulture course changes.

Please consider the following curriculum changes:

1. Associate Degree Program
 - a. Change to Associate of Applied Science to meet CPE requirements
 - b. Add MAT 105 into supporting courses.
2. Drop Vegetable Production (OHO 386).
3. Change Fruit Production (OHO 373) to Fruit and Vegetable Production.
4. Add course Herbaceous Ornamental Plants (OHO 263).
5. Modify course title and catalog description of OHO 262.



Curriculum Change Form
(Present only one proposed curriculum change per form)
(Complete only the section(s) applicable.)

Part I

(Check one)	Department Name	Department of Agriculture		
<input type="checkbox"/> New Course (Parts II, IV)	College	Business and Technology		
<input type="checkbox"/> Course Revision (Parts II, IV)	*Course Prefix & Number			
<input type="checkbox"/> Course Dropped (Part II)	*Course Title (30 characters)			
<input type="checkbox"/> New Program (Part III)	*Program Title	Technical Agriculture (A.S.)		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Program Revision (Part III)	(Major <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> , Option <input type="checkbox"/> ; Minor <input type="checkbox"/> ; or Certificate <input checkbox"="" type="checkbox/>)</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="/> Program Suspended (Part III)		*Provide only the information relevant to the proposal.	

Proposed Approved by:	<u>Date</u>		<u>Date</u>
Departmental Committee	8/16/06	Graduate Council*	N/A
<i>Is this a SACS Substantive Change?</i>	Yes**** <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Council on Academic Affairs	
College Curriculum Committee	8/23/06	Approved <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Disapproved <input type="checkbox"/>	09-21-06
General Education Committee*	N/A	Faculty Senate**	
Teacher Education Committee*	N/A	Board of Regents**	
		Council on Postsecondary Edu.***	

*If Applicable (Type NA if not applicable.)
 **Approval needed for new, revised, or suspended programs
 ***Approval/Posting needed for new degree program or certificate program
 ****If "yes", SACS must be notified before implementation. Please contact EKU's Office of Institutional Effectiveness.

Completion of A, B, and C is required: (Please be specific, but concise.)

A. 1. Specific action requested: (Example: To increase the number of credit hours for ABC 100 from 1 to 2.)

1. Change the Associate Degree in Technical Agriculture from Associate of Science to Associate of Applied Science to meet the general education requirements for Associate Degrees as established by the Council on Postsecondary Education.
2. Add MAT 105 to supporting classes and reduce free electives to reflect additional course requirement.

A. 2. Effective date: (Example: Fall 2001) Spring 2007

A. 3. Effective date of suspended programs for currently enrolled students: (if applicable)

B. The justification for this action:

1. Meet State Requirements
2. MAT 105 is a prerequisite for AGR 210 that is required in the program.

C. The projected cost (or savings) of this proposal is as follows:

Personnel Impact: None.

Operating Expenses Impact: None.

Equipment/Physical Facility Needs: None.

Library Resources: None.

Part III. Recording Data for New, Revised, or Suspended Program

1. For a new program, provide the catalog description as being proposed.
2. For a revised program, provide the current program requirements using ~~strikethrough~~ for deletions and underlines for additions.
3. For a suspended program, provide the current program requirements as shown in catalog. List any options and/or minors affected by the program's suspension.

New or Revised* Program Text
 (*Use ~~strikethrough~~ for deletions and underlines for additions.)

Associate Degree
 Technical Agriculture (~~A.S.~~) (A.A.S.)
 CIP Code: 01.9999

Supporting Course Requirements	20 hours
BTO 100, six hours of English composition*, three hours of general education humanities*, ECO 230, CHE 101 and 107 or 105 and 107, <u>MAT 105</u> .	
Free Electives	4 hour 1 hour
Major Requirements	43 hours
Core	31 hours
AGR 130 & 131 or OHO 131 & 132, AGR 210, 213, 215, 304, 305, 308; 6 hours of practicum; 4 hours departmental electives, and one of the following options:	
Agriculture Systems Management	12 hours
AGR 272, 301 (1), 362, 381 and 383.	
Agribusiness Management	12 hours
AGR 310, 350, 409, 440.	
Floriculture/Greenhouse Management	12 hours
OHO 362E, 364, 388, 389; 384 or 385.	
Landscape Horticulture	12 hours
OHO 261, 262, 370 or 391; 371 or 372.	
Livestock Management	12 hours
AGR 125, 126, 321, 327 or 328 or 380.	
Turfgrass Management	12 hours
AGR 362, OHO 301 (1), 351, 352 and 370.	
Total Curriculum Requirements	64 hours

*Courses meeting general education requirements.