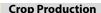
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Farm Operation Pathway

EXPERIENCE. SUCCESS. ONE STACKABLE CREDENTIAL AT A TIME.



Pathway Certificate (less than one-year)

CAMPUS

Ashland#, New Richmond#, Rice Lake#

CREDITS 9

ESTIMATED 2020-2021 TUITION

\$1.493

POTENTIAL CAREERS

Field Technician, Field Applicators, Custom Operators, Agricultural Equipment Operator

WITC 2019 GRADUATES

Not Data Available

Livestock Production

Pathway Certificate (less than one-year)

CAMPUS

Ashland#, New Richmond#, Rice Lake#

CREDITS 9

ESTIMATED 2020-2021 TUITION

\$1,493

POTENTIAL CAREERS

Farm Laborers, Feeder, Animal/Livestock Handler

WITC 2019 GRADUATES

No Data Available

Agricultural Business Fundamentals

Pathway Certificate (less than one-year)

CAMPUS

Ashland#, New Richmond#, Rice Lake#

CREDITS 12

ESTIMATED 2020-2021 TUITION

\$1,894

POTENTIAL CAREERS

Farm Bookkeeper, Agricultural Administrative Assistant

WITC 2019 GRADUATES

No Data Available

Farm Operation

Technical Diploma (one-year)

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Ashland#, New Richmond#, Rice Lake#

CREDITS 28

19 Credits Remain – if successfully completed and bringing in credits from either the Crop Production Pathway Certificate OR the Livestock Production Pathway Certificate

16 Credits Remain - if successfully completed and bringing in credits from the Agricultural Business Fundamentals Pathway Certificate

28 Credits - Total Credits Needed to Receive Farm Operation Technical Diploma

ESTIMATED 2020-2021 TUITION

\$4,486

Financial Aid Eligible

If one or more of the pathway programs are successfully completed and credits brought in, the estimated tuition listed above would be reduced.

POTENTIAL CAREERS

CSA Owner, Organic Farmer, Farm Owner, Farm Manager/Operator, Farm/Field Crop Manager, Livestock Farmer, Breeder, Farm Worker, Dairy Laborer, Dairy Herdsperson

RANGE OF YEARLY SALARY

\$25,998 to \$37,437 annually**

WTCS 2019 GRADUATES**

Employed Within 6 Months: 100% Average Yearly Salary: \$31,718

BEYOND WITC

Transfer Option

UW Stout

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Important Notes on Transferring

- Check out witc.edu/transfer for details on specific agreements listed below
- The college listed above has developed a Technical Diploma to Bachelor Degree Articulation Agreement with WITC
- To learn how your education, or previous college credits, will transfer, talk to a transfer coordinator, at the four year college listed, to learn how to maximize your credit transfer opportunities
- Transferology, <u>www.transferology.com</u>, or Transfer Evaluation (TES), may be helpful tools to assist your transfer process.

#Combination of Your Choice and In person instruction



If you have completed previous credits that transfer into the more advanced program, your costs may be less. Please speak with WITC staff if you have questions on how costs are determined. Tuition is an estimate and does not include any miscellaneous fees for various courses, tools, books, supplies or uniforms. Program book costs are in addition to tuition and fees and vary depending on course selection and where the books are purchased or rented.



^{**}Information is based on graduates' responses from the following technical colleges within the Wisconsin Technical College System (WTCS) for Farm Operation: Chippewa Valley Technical College, Fox Valley Technical College and Mid-State Technical College. No graduate data is available for the pathway certificates.

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Farm Operation Pathway

PATHWAYS TO WITC:

START COLLEGE IN HIGH SCHOOL

Take dual credit or advanced standing courses in high school. To find out what courses are available at your high school, go to: WITC .EDU and enter "Dual Credit" in the search buttom. Click on your high school. Additional opportunities may be available through AP courses, ITV Programming, or High School Academies.

ACADEMIC SUPPORT CENTER

Basic Education Courses: Basic Education Communication, Basic Education Reading, Basic Education Math

General Studies Courses: Writing Foundations, Reading Foundations, Math Foundations

Additional Academic Support Services Include: GED/HSED Preparation, Study Skills Strategies, Test Taking Strategies, Peer Tutoring, Personal Readiness, Career Exploration, (ELL) English Language Learner, Computer Literacy

CREDIT FOR PRIOR LEARNING

National Exams (AP, CLEP, DSST, IB) or Industry Credentials

Work/Life Learning, Challenge Exams, Military, Credit from Other Colleges For specifics on Credit for Prior Learning

Options, please go to WITC .EDU and enter "Credit for Prior Learning" in the search button

Getting Started is Simple:

Associate Degree or Technical Diploma (Full or Part-Time):

- Apply Online at witc.edu/apply
- Schedule and Attend an Admissions Meeting

Take one class: Register during Open Enrollment (no application required). Depending upon the course, you may be required to assess or submit other eligible college entrance scores. **Certificate:** Apply (no fee) and Register for courses

Reasonable accommodations for persons with disabilities will be made to ensure access to academic programs, activities, services and employment in accordance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), Amendments Act of 2008 (ADAA). For more details and to contact an Accommodations Specialist go online: WWW. WITC .EDU /stusvcs/disability.htm

Class Formats Offered

To view specific class times within the programs:

- 1. Go to WWW. WITC .EDU
- 2. Click on "Find a Class" on the top of the webpage
- 3. Search for courses.

Not all classes within this program are available in every format offerred at WITC. Class options available for this program include In-Person.

Upcoming Start Dates

FALL 2020: August 24, 2020 **SPRING 2021:** January 18, 2021 **FALL 2021:** August 23, 2021 **SPRING 2022:** January 17, 2022

Financial Assistance

Financial Aid (FAFSA stands for Free Application for Federal Student Aid, including loans, grants, and workstudy): www.fafsa.ed.gov
WITC Scholarships: WWW. WITC .EDU; enter "scholarships" in the search button
WITC Promise Scholarship: Tuition assistance for qualifying high
school graduates

2020-2021 Cost Per Credit

(WI and MN Residents) \$153/credit. (plus books and supplies) Online courses are an additional \$10/credit

Contact a WITC Admissions Advisor and Get Started:

Ashland: 800.243.9482 extension 3195 New Richmond: 800.243.9482 extension 4339 Rice Lake: 800.243.9482 extension 5220 Superior: 800.243.9482 extension 6243 E-mail: admissionadvisors@ WITC .EDU

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