

Livestock Selection Techniques/Advanced Livestock Selection
Fall 2020

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Course #: AT 147/AT 248
Textbook: Terminology packet
Credits: 4
Meets: MW: 1:00-3:50 PM & beyond
Classroom: WOH 217
Required Supplies: Appropriate clothing & footwear
Notepad & writing utensil

Student Learning Outcomes:

- Analyze and rank four animals based on basic priority traits and correctly mark a standard placing card
- Develop organized notes that accurately describe the evaluated livestock
- Formulate a basic oral reasons speech that is organized in the standard format
- Present an oral reasons speech without the aid of notes

Grading Procedure: Your final grade in these courses is based on the following:

AT 147

(Placing Avg x 12) + (Reasons Avg x 6) + (Participation Pts = 600 total (20 x 30pts))
divided by 1500. Placing and reasons averages will include both practice and contest results.

Example:

A student averages 48.5 on all placing scores and 37 on all reasons scores while missing a total of five participation events (class or contests).

$$(48.5 \times 12) + (37 \times 6) + 450 = 1254/1500 = 84\%$$

A = 90% <
B = 80-89%
C = 70-79%
D = 60-69%
F = 59%>

AT 248

Sophomore students must judge better than 90% on average through the fall to earn an "A". Students that achieve below 90% will receive a "B" grade.

Tentative Course Schedule

Week 1:	Class introduction, expectations, & activity
Week 2:	Judge livestock & practice oral reasons
Week 3:	Judge livestock & practice oral reasons
Week 4:	Judge livestock & practice oral reasons
Week 5:	Judge livestock & perfect oral reasons
Week 6:	Judge livestock & perfect oral reasons
Week 7:	Judge livestock & perfect oral reasons November 11, 2020, *Veteran's Day*
Week 8:	Judge livestock & perfect oral reasons
Week 9:	Judge livestock & perfect oral reasons November 26 & 27, 2020 *Thanksgiving Holiday*
Week 10:	Review & Reflection (and more oral reasons) Discussion on winter work-out and calendar of judging events

Students who may need accommodations due to documented disabilities, or who have medical information which the instructor should know, or who need special arrangements in an emergency, should speak with the instructor during the first week of class. If you believe you may need accommodations, but are not yet registered with CFAR, please go to <http://linnbenton.edu/cfar> for steps on how to apply for services or call 541-917-4789.

You have until Friday 5pm of the seventh week (November 13, 2020) to drop a class without a grade penalty. If dropping this class puts you below 12 credits and you are on financial aid, you may lose your financial aid. If you fail to drop by November 13, 2020, and you do not fall into a or b from above, you will receive a letter grade for this course.

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