

## Course Calendar - Crop and Food Science

This is the “official” Course Calendar for unit dates and assignments due.

- Most modules run from Monday to Sunday with assignments and book exercises due on the last day of the week/module (Sunday, 11:55 p.m.) **Note: Make sure to read on this calendar the modules you are to do and the due date. I have highlighted in yellow those that are combined.**
- Initial Discussion postings are due 11:55 p.m. on listed due date
- Discussion postings are due by Sunday night 11:55 p. m.
- All assignments are due by Sunday night 11:55 p.m. listed on date due.
- Last day to drop with refund: 1/12/2017

*Please refer to the calendar frequently as it may change as needed by the instructor.*

Date	Unit	Readings	Assignment Due by 11:55 p.m. on date due	Pts	Date Due (ALL)
<b>*Intro plus Module 1 Below* Jan 5-8</b>	Introduction to course	<b>Review:</b> Course Policies, syllabus, course calendar	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Intro Discussion 1</li> <li>• Intro Assignment 1 a</li> <li>• Intro Assignment 1 b</li> <li>• Intro Quiz 1</li> <li>• Profile and Survey</li> </ul>	20 5 5 5 5	Jan 8th
Module 1 Jan 5-8	Importance and development of Agriculture; Crop terminology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chapter 1 - Importance and development of agriculture</li> <li>• Chapter 2 - Crop Terminology</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Discussion 1</li> <li>• Assignment 1</li> <li>• Review Activity 1</li> <li>• Quiz 1</li> </ul>	20 20 10 20	Jan 8th
Jan 12	Last day to drop with refund				
Module 2 Jan 9-15	Agroecology and crop production systems	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chapter 3 - Agroecology</li> <li>• Chapter 4 - Crop Production Systems</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Discussion 2</li> <li>• Assignment 2</li> <li>• Review Activity 2</li> <li>• Quiz 2</li> </ul>	20 20 10 20	Jan 15th
<b>*Module 3 Jan 16- 22</b>	Crop Improvement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chapter 11 Crop Improvement</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Discussion3</li> <li>• Assignment 3</li> <li>• Review Activity 3</li> <li>• Quiz 3</li> </ul>	20 20 10 20	Jan 22nd
Jan 16-22	Insect and Disease Control	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chapter 13 - Crop Pests and Control</li> <li>• Chapter 14 - Crop Diseases and Control</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Discussion 11</li> <li>• Assignment 11</li> <li>• Review Activity 11</li> <li>• Quiz 11</li> </ul>	20 20 10 20	Jan 22nd

<b>Module 4</b> Jan 23-29	<b>Corn</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">Corn Growth and Development presentation</a></li> </ul> Iowa State Extension Corn Diseases- Iowa Extension	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Discussion 4</li> <li>• Assignment 4</li> <li>• Quiz 4</li> </ul>	20 20 20	Jan 29th
<b>Module 5</b> Jan 30- Feb 5	<b>Soybeans</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">Soybeans Growth and Development Presentation</a></li> </ul> Iowa State Extension	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Discussion 5</li> <li>• Assignment 5</li> <li>• Quiz 5</li> </ul>	20 20 20	Feb 5th

<b>Feb 27</b>	<b>Last day to drop</b>				
<b>Module 6</b> Feb 6-12	<b>Wheat and grain sorghum</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wheat Production Handbook</li> <li>• Grain Sorghum Production Handbook</li> </ul> Kansas State Extension	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Discussion 6</li> <li>• Assignment 6</li> <li>• Quiz 6</li> </ul>	20 20 20	Feb 12th
<b>Module 7</b> Feb 13-19	<b>Seeds, seeding and crop roots</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chapter 6 - Seeds and Seeding</li> <li>• Chapter 7 - Crop Roots</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Discussion 7</li> <li>• Assignment 7</li> <li>• Review Activity 7</li> <li>• Quiz 7</li> </ul>	20 20 10 20	Feb 19th
<b>Module 8</b> Feb 20-26	<b>Crop stems and leaves; flowering and reproduction</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chapter 8 – Crop Stems and Leaves</li> <li>• Chapter 10 – Flowering and Reproduction</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Discussion 8</li> <li>• Assignment 8</li> <li>• Review Activity 8</li> <li>• Quiz 8</li> </ul>	20 20 10 20	Feb 26th
<b>Module 9</b> Feb 27- March 5	<b>Photosynthesis and respiration</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chapter 9 – Photosynthesis and Respiration</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Discussion 9</li> <li>• Assignment 9</li> <li>• Review Activity 9</li> <li>• Quiz 9</li> </ul>	20 20 10 20	March 5th
<b>Module 10</b> March 6-14	<b>Climate, weather and crops</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Read Chapter 12 – Climate, Weather, and Crops before meeting face to face</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Assignment 10</li> <li>• Review Activity 10</li> <li>• Quiz 10</li> </ul>	20 10 20	March 14th
<b>Final</b> March 16	<b>Over all material covered throughout the course</b>				