

Education Feature Set of Tables

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<p>Agricolleges International The training is mainly done online but includes an on-site practical. 060 559 4760 Admissions@agricolleges.com https://agricolleges.com/courses</p>	<p>National Certificate in General Agriculture NQF4</p>	<p>1 year</p>	<p>This full-time programme provides students with a broad understanding of all types of agriculture. Successfully completing this course will prepare a student for entry-level positions in agriculture or for further study in an agriculture related field.</p>	<p>R32,900 (Several Finance Options available)</p>	<p>February 2021</p>
	<p>Fundamentals of Macadamia Production Short Course</p>	<p>9 Weeks</p>	<p>A comprehensive overview of macadamia biology, soil preparation, cultivation, pest and disease control and harvesting.</p>	<p>R7,400</p>	<p>2 February 2021</p>
	<p>Fundamentals of Maize Production Short Course</p>	<p>9 Weeks</p>	<p>A comprehensive overview of maize biology, soil preparation, cultivation, pest and disease control and harvesting.</p>	<p>R7,400</p>	<p>2 February 2021</p>
	<p>Fundamentals of Agribusiness</p>	<p>12 Weeks</p>	<p>Students will receive training to be pro-active participants in the analysis, planning and management of an agri-business.</p>	<p>R6,600</p>	<p>February 2021</p>

	Introduction to Plant Production	7 Weeks	Students will receive a comprehensive overview of plant biology, ecological concepts, soils and pests.	R4,400	February 2021
	Introduction to Animal Production	7 Weeks	Students will receive a comprehensive overview of animal management, nutrition and feed, health and breeding.	R4,400	February 2021
	Introduction to Agribusiness	7 Weeks	Learners get solid foundational knowledge About the agricultural sector, operational requirements on a farm as well as general working and supervisory Activities.	R4,400	February 2021

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Agricultural Skills Transfer K112 Farm, Klipfontein View, Cullinan 012 460 9585 admin@agriskills.net	National Diploma: Animal Production NQF Level 5	2 years	Matric certificate. Learners who do not have a matric certificate should complete the National Certificate NQF Level 4 in Animal Production first. Should be living or working on a farm – proof of some experience.	Planning; business and management practices; animal nutrition and health; animal production and harvesting; mathematics and data collection; optimisation of agricultural ecotourism and integration of various farming systems; small and large stock production.	R84 600 (payment options available)	February 2021/ July 2021
	National Diploma: Plant Production NQF level 5	2 years	Matric certificate. Learners who do not have a matric certificate should complete the National Certificate NQF Level 4 in Plant Production first. Should be living or working on a farm – proof of some experience.	Planning; business and management practices; mathematics and data collection; optimisation of agricultural ecotourism and integration of various farming systems. Vegetables and/or fruit production.	R84 600. (payment options available)	February 2021/ July 2021
	Distance learning National Diploma: Animal	2 years	Matric certificate. Learners who do not have a matric certificate should complete the National Certificate NQF Level 4 in Animal	Planning; business and management practices; animal nutrition and health; animal production and harvesting; mathematics	R84 600. (payment options available)	February 2021/ July 2021

	Production NQF Level 5		Production first. Should be living or working on a farm – proof of some experience.	and data collection; optimisation of agricultural ecotourism and integration of various farming systems; small and large stock production.		
	Distance learning National Diploma: Plant Production NQF level 5	2 years	Matric certificate. Learners who do not have a matric certificate should complete the National Certificate NQF Level 4 in Plant Production first. Should be living or working on a farm – proof of some experience.	Planning; business and management practices; mathematics and data collection; optimisation of agricultural ecotourism and integration of various farming systems. Vegetables and/or fruit production.	R84 600. (payment options available)	February 2021/ July 2021
	Short course Basic Pig Husbandry Skills	3 days	The learner should have basic knowledge about feeding animals, animal anatomy and keeping records.	Introduction to keeping pigs	R4 500	February 2021
	Short course Management of Broilers & Layers	3 days	N/A	Introduction to egg or broiler production	R4 500	February 2021
	Short course Plant Production	3 days	The learner should have some knowledge of plant production systems	Define and understand plant production systems and production	R4 500	February 2021

				management		
	Short course Beef Cattle Production	5 days	The learner should have some basic knowledge of animal anatomy and breeding behaviour of farm animals.	Understanding basic breeding practices, animal nutrition and management of cattle.	R5 500	February 2021

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African Snakebite Institute Cradle Moon Lakeside Lodge, Mulersdrift. admin@asiorg.co.za or 073 186 9176	Snake Awareness, First Aid for Snakebite and Venomous Snake Handling	1 Day	A full day of snake education, starting off with theory on snake identification, awareness, what to do if a snake is encountered, myths and first aid for snakebite, followed by a practical session where delegates are taught how to safely remove and relocate venomous snakes.	R1650.00	Courses run throughout the year 29 January 2021. 27 February 2021.
	Snake Handling Bootcamp	1 day	A full day course of practical snake removals, including learning how to tail venomous snakes, as well as work through a number of live removal scenarios.	R1400.00	30 January 2021

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Agricultural Research Council ARC Irene, Olifantsfontein Rd, Pretoria 012 672 9153, makhanyam@arc.agric.za	Beef Cattle Management	5 days	Knowledge of Beef cattle breeding, nutrition, feedlot and health Management	R3200.00	All courses are repeated throughout the year 23-27 March 2021
	Small Stock Management	5 days	Knowledge of Animal Husbandry in Sheep and goats, nutrition, and health Management	R3200.00	Repeated throughout the year 15-19 March 2021
	Poultry Production	5 days	Knowledge of Broiler, Layers and Free range chicken production, nutrition and health Management	R3200.00	Repeated throughout the year 8-12 February 2021
	Pig Production	4 days	Knowledge of Pig Production, nutrition and health Management	R3000.00	Repeated throughout the year 23-26 February 2021
	Dairy Processing: Cheese /Yogurt	4 days	Training in the basic principles of cheese and yoghurt making for home and small dairy	R5 000	Repeated throughout the year 16-19 February 2021

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Buhle Farmers' Academy Plot IR 205, Delmas Call / WhatsApp 063 287 2732 email applications@buhle.org.za . Online course: https://learn.buhle.org.za/learn	Livestock Production	2 ½ months	Provides new farmers with an excellent grounding in livestock production. Includes modules in beef and dairy cattle, sheep and goat production, pig production, artificial insemination and farm business management.	R3750	11 January – 19 March 2021 12 July – 17 September 2021
	Vegetable Production	3 ½ months.	The course equips trainees with the expertise and skills to set up their own vegetable production business in the open field or under hydroponics	R3850	08 February – 09 April 2021 09 August – 08 October 2021
	Poultry Production	2 months	The course equips trainees with the knowledge and ability to set up their own poultry farming unit; broiler and layer production.	R3250	22 March – 21 May 2021 20 September – 19 November 2021
	Grain Crop Production		Crop planning & land preparation; crop establishment & management; financial management & business plan development; harvesting & crop	R2000 for a single crop production module and R5050 for all four modules	Module 1: 30 November - 18 December 2020 Module 2: 11 - 29 January 2021 Module

			evaluation.		3: 22 March - 09 April 2021 Module 4: 24 May -11 June 2021
	Tractor Operation and Maintenance	5 days	This course teaches professional tractor operations. This includes driving the tractor, optimal use of implements for land preparation and maintenance of the tractor.	R1500	12 - 16 April 2021 11 – 15 October 2021
	Introduction to Layer House Management	5 days	This course serves to introduce the important aspects of managing a layer hen unit.	R1500	24 - 28 May 2021 26 -30 July 2021
	Introduction to Broiler Production	5 days	This course teaches the essential aspects of broiler production.	R1500	3-7 May 2021 02 -06 August 2021
	Introduction to Piggery Management	5 days	This course introduces the basic aspects of managing a piggery unit.	R1500	28 June -02 July 2021 22-26 November 2021
	Hydroponics	5 days	This course introduces the basic principles of vegetable production under hydroponics.	R1500	05-09 July 2021 29 November - 03 December 2021
	Seedling	5 days	This course teaches the	R1500	12 - 16 July

	Production		essential of propagation of a variety of vegetable and crop seedlings in a nursery environment.		2021 18 -22 October 2021
	Introduction to Basic Vegetable Production	5 days	This introduction to vegetable production focuses on the principles of vegetable production under irrigation.	R1500	26 -30 April 2021 01 -05 November 2021
	Online Financial Management Course: Learn the fundamentals of financial management and gain business skills.		The course incorporates farm business management, business plan development and the other skills required to grow a successful farming business.		

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Ekurhuleni Agricultural College 43 2nd Rd, Cloverdale, Putfontein, Benoni 011 969 6022/ 072 627 1149 / 074 024 4616 (What's up No. 072 627 1149) info@ ekurhuleni- agri-college.co.za	National Certificate: Plant Production Level 1 - 4	1 year per level	Learners must be able to read, write, count and make calculations to a minimum of Gr 7 level.	Topics include managing a farming enterprise, agricultural production planning, and management, Plant production and marketing of agricultural products.	Apply per course	2 February
	National Certificate: Animal Production Level 1 - 4	1 year per level	Learners must be able to read, write, count and make calculations to a minimum of Gr 7 level.	Topics include agri-business, agricultural practices, principles of animal and animal production.	Apply per course	2 February
	National Certificate: Mixed Farming System Level 1 - 2	1 year per level	Learners must be able to read, write, count and make calculations to a minimum of Gr 7 level.	Topics include agri-business, agricultural practices, principles of animal and plant production.	Apply per course	2 February
	National Diploma: Plant Production	3 years	Matric certificate. Learners who do not have a matric certificate should complete the National Certificate NQF Level 4 in Plant Production first. Should be living or	Training covers research and learning methodology, farm business management, managing staff in a farming operation, financial management in a farming business,	Apply per course	2 February

			working on a farm – proof of some experience.	marketing of agricultural products, plant production, infrastructure, resource and technology management.		
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	National Certificate: Agriculture Equipment Services & Repair Level 2	1 year	No prior learning or experience is required.	Learn how to service agricultural equipment, remove, dismantle and install system components of agricultural equipment, as well as apply basic business principles in a mechanical workshop.	Apply per course	2 February
	General Education and Training	1 year	Learners must be able to read, write, count and make calculations	Learn about basic differences between the various plants, plant	Apply per course	2 February

	Certificate: Horticulture Level 1		to a minimum of Gr 7 level.	categories, preparing the growing and handling plants.		
	Short Course plant production	5 – 21 days	N/A	Horticulture, cash crops, grain, subtropical fruit, citrus, macadamia & cotton	R6 000	2 February
	Short Course animal production	5 – 21 days	N/A	Beef cattle, sheep, goats, and piggery production, poultry production (broiler & layer)	R6 000	2 February
	Short Course Agri- business	5 – 21 days	N/A	Agribusiness start-up, agribusiness financial management, production knowledge, managing agribusiness relations, agribusiness marketing and customer care	R6 000	2 February

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Farmers' Academy Cradle Farms, Plot 26, R563, Zwartkranz, 010 444 0252 info@farmers.academy	Animal Husbandry	4 days	4 days	R4200	Contact for dates
	Poultry Production	4 days	Broiler and/or layer production	R4200	Contact for dates
	Operate a tractor	4 days	Learn how to drive and maintain a tractor	R4200	Contact for dates
	Horticulture	4 days	Plant production	R4200	Contact for dates
	Hydroponics	4 days	Learn all about growing plants in mineral nutrients and water	R3200	Contact for dates
	Online course in Broiler Production	In your own time	You will learn about the process of growing broilers, different structures, processes and equipment required to be successful.	R 250	Contact for dates
	Online – Successful Hydroponic Farming	In your own time	You will learn about how to grow plants in hydroponics and the building blocks to become successful in Hydroponics.	R350	Contact for dates

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Honeybadger Plot 765 Wewer and Kameeldrift road, Kameeldrift, Pretoria. 083 738 6202	Beekeeping	2 days	Theory and practical skills and knowledge about beekeeping	R1300	Call for dates

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Hygro Training College Plot no. 23, road no. 6, Eloff 071 354 9535 / 076 814 0478. Email chantelle@hygro.co.za or nico@hygro.co.za	Plant production NQF Level 1	12 month	Learners must be able to read, write, count and make calculations to a minimum of Gr 7 level.	Learn all the core elements of farming, from managing your finances, employees and stock on the farm, to planting and harvesting.	R24000.00 excluding vat	25 January 2021
	Tractor driving	1 week		Focus on the fundamental of tractor driving and safety	R2500.00 excluding vat	22 February 2021
	Nature Conservation and Sustainable farming NQF level 1-4	6 weeks	Learners must be able to read, write, count and make calculations to a minimum of Gr 7 level.	This is a good practical course to understand the importance of Nature conservation and sustainable farming.	R5750.00 incl vat	15 February 2021
	Animal Handling and Animal Health NQF	2 months	Learners must be able to read, write, count and make calculations to a minimum of Gr 7 level.	Keep your animals healthy. Learn how to observe your animals and recognize certain	R9500.00 incl vat	23 March 2021

	level 1-4			behaviours, how to use animal health products effectively, animal control, how to treat diseases and much more.		
	Poultry Production NQF level 1-2	5 weeks	Learners must be able to read, write, count and make calculations to a minimum of Gr 7 level.	Learn the basics in Poultry production, including anatomy and physiology of Poultry, feed management, marketing and basic finances.	R5250.00 incl vat	5 April 2021
	Hydroponic Production NQF level 1,2 & 4	3 weeks	Learners must be able to read, write, count and make calculations to a minimum of Gr 7 level.	Learn routine hydroponic operations, systems and more.	R3000.00 incl vat	10 May 2021

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University of South Africa UNISA Centre for Lifelong Learning Tel: 011 471 3092 Email: Lphidza@unisa.ac.za or ucl@unisa.ac.za	Short Course in the Introduction to Agribusiness Management	6 months	Senior Certificate or an equivalent NQF level 4 qualification	The course is aimed at people managing small, medium and micro enterprises without any formal academic training in agribusiness management.	Apply per course	Registration periods: First semester: 28 November - 25 January