

LCCTC

New Student Orientation



Animal Production
Science & Technology

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Uniforms

- Fully Promoted
 - See Samples
 - Recommended to order by June 27
- FFA Jacket & Official Dress
 - Optional, but necessary for certain FFA events
 - Some available to borrow
 - Recommended to have a white shirt with a collar and black pants
- It is a great idea to keep a spare uniform in your locker!



Career & Technical Student Organizations (CTSO)

- Aavidum - host school activities
- Skills USA - optional membership
- NTHS - National Technical Honors Society
- FFA - all students in APST are members





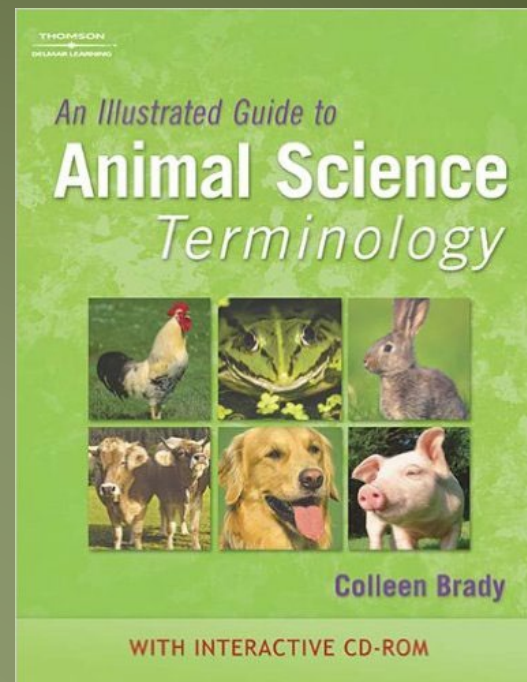
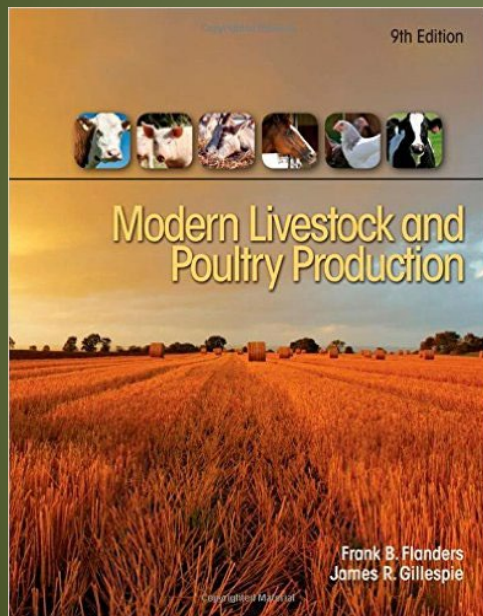
LCCTC FFA Opportunities

- Officer Elections
- Supervised Agricultural Experience
- Agricultural Experience Tracker
- Livestock Judging, Showing at Fairs
- Regional Career Development Events
- Farm Show Mid Winter Convention
- Degrees: Ex. Greenhand, Chapter, Keystone, American
- ACES, SLLC
- National FFA Week
- Lancaster County Leadership Conference
- State Convention/Activities Week



Textbooks

- Modern Livestock and Poultry Production
- Animal Science Terminology
- Purchased by LCCTC; available to borrow for the year



Task Grid Review

- Beef
- Swine
- Dairy
- Poultry
- Sheep
- Goats
- Horses
- Also: Alpacas, Rabbits



LCCTC Grading Procedures

- Knowledge
 - Tests, Quizzes, Projects, Homework, etc.
- Skills
 - Task Grid Statements – Ex. Labeling anatomy, haltering, etc.
- Daily Grade (formerly Work Ethic)
 - Attendance, Behavior/Discipline
 - See Student Handbook



Co-op/API

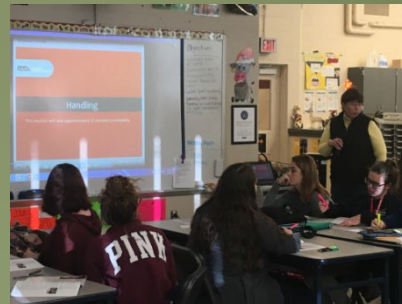
- Co-op = Paid Position
- API = Advanced Placement Internship – Unpaid
- Job Shadowing Days (as a class)





Industry Credentials

- Artificial Insemination (\$300) in Dairy Cows
- Certified Poultry Technician (\$10)
- OSHA (\$25 – covered by LCCTC)
- Free Certifications:
 - Beef Quality Assurance
 - FEMA (Animals in Disasters, Community Planning, Livestock)
 - Masters of Beef Advocacy
 - Pork Quality Assurance
 - Transport Quality Assurance
 - Dairy Leaders of Tomorrow



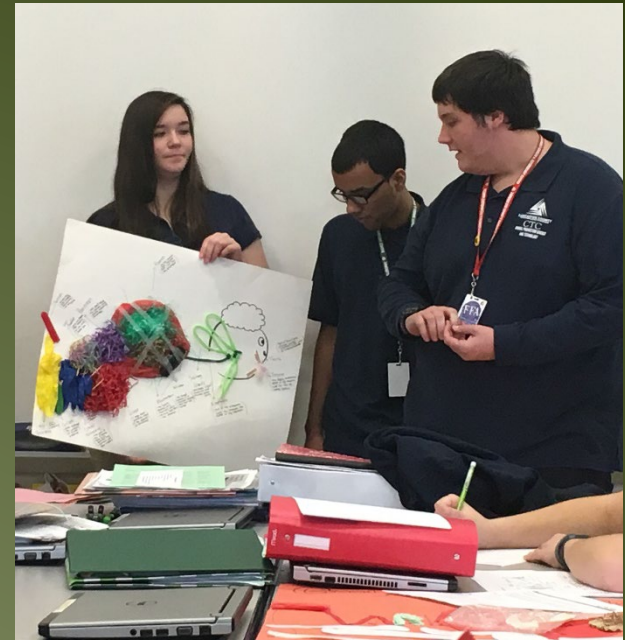
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DOES NOT APPLY TO THIS CLASS



ID Cards

- Issued at the beginning of the school year
- Wear them!



Driving Permits

- Complete application – will have a fee TBD
 - Temporary day pass available for extended days
- Drivers stay from 8:00-2:35
- Bus Schedule posted
- Students picked up from school need to stay until the driver time



Parent Portal

- Check your student's grades
- Updated weekly
- IT Dept. can help with issues



Field Trips, Lunch, & Financial Aid

- Field Trip – permission form must be completed to attend
- Class work must be complete to attend most trips!
- Lunch in the cafeteria
 - Can get the cafeteria to pack a bag lunch using account to take on trip
 - Apply for free or reduced lunch
- Financial Aid is available
 - Check with your sending school (high school)
 - Check with the Lancaster County Career & Technology Foundation



Cell Phones & Technology

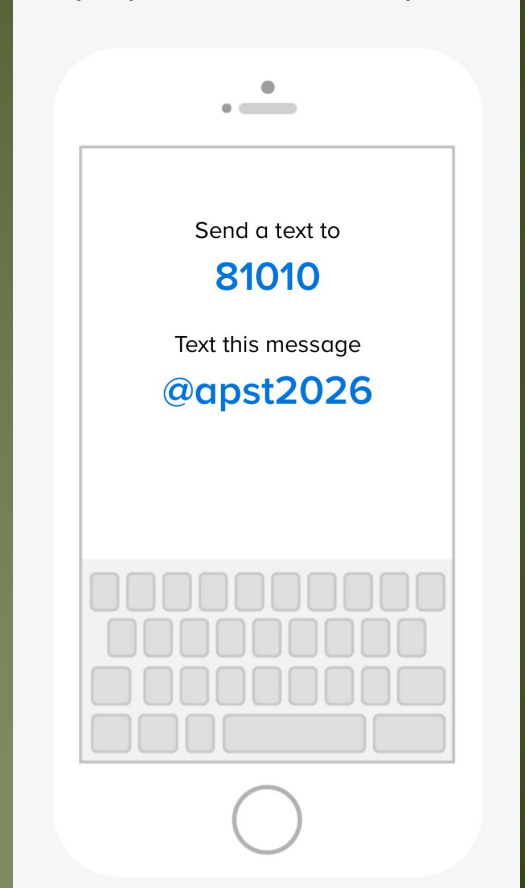
- Cell Phones
 - Locked away upon arrival & again after lunch
 - Students may use cell phones during lunch
 - Available after class jobs (around 1:20 p.m.)
- Technology
 - Issued Chromebook – take home to charge each night and bring back to class
 - Most assignments given through Canvas
 - Virtual Days – Check in with Microsoft Teams Meeting & look for assignments in Canvas
 - Absent – look for message in Canvas regarding what you missed



Class Attendance Policies

- Contact Mrs. Lefever if student is absent (student should contact, but ok if parent makes contact)
 - Email llefever@lancasterctc.edu (Best option!)
 - Text Message using the Remind App
 - Text 81010 @apst2026 to sign up!
 - Call 717-464-7067
- May need to contact others (co-op, job shadowing, etc.)
- Preplanned Trip or Hunting Forms Available
- Excuse forms available on school website
 - www.lancasterctc.edu
- Daily points may be deducted for absences
- Bring in a signed excuse note when absent
- Ability to make up graded work may depend on if the absence was excused or unexcused

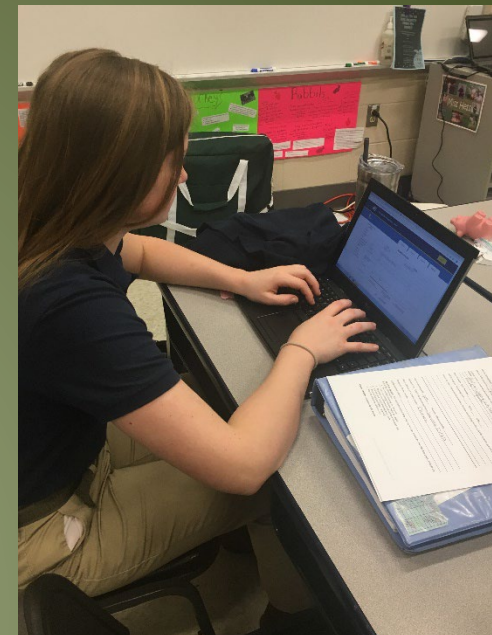
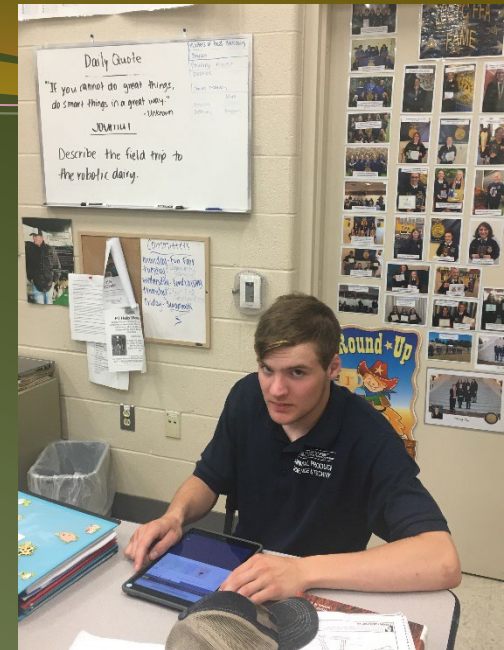
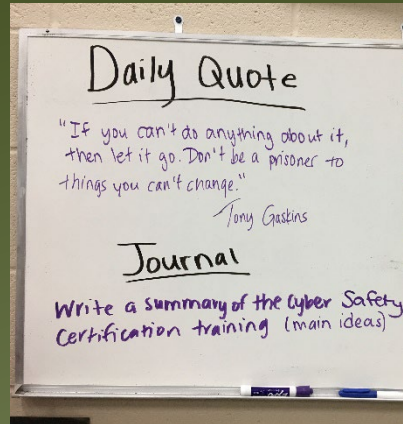
Tell people to take out their phones.



Journals

• Journal Board

- First assignment each day in Canvas
- Worth 2 Knowledge points per day (even if you were absent)
- Lose 2 Daily Points per day for not completing journal
- Students have dropped a letter grade in a marking period by not completing journals
- All journals for the week will close the first day of the following week

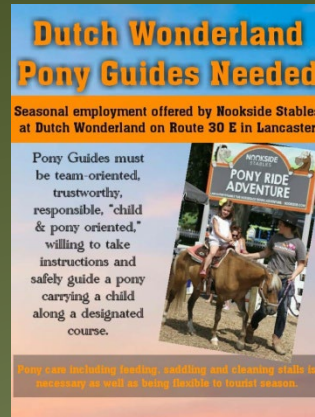


- Watch carefully for updates
- Color coded
 - Black – School/General Information,
 - including tests/quizzes
 - Blue – Guest Speaker in Classroom
 - Green – Field Trip
 - Red – Assignment Due
- Check email or weekly plan for updates



Job Boards

- Job Posting Board
 - Announce available positions (real-world)
- Class Jobs
 - Rotate weekly
 - Sometimes students will be asked to help with room cleanup that does not pertain to the weekly job



Front Board

• Daily Agenda

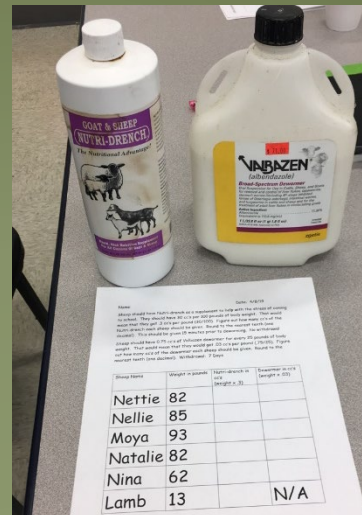
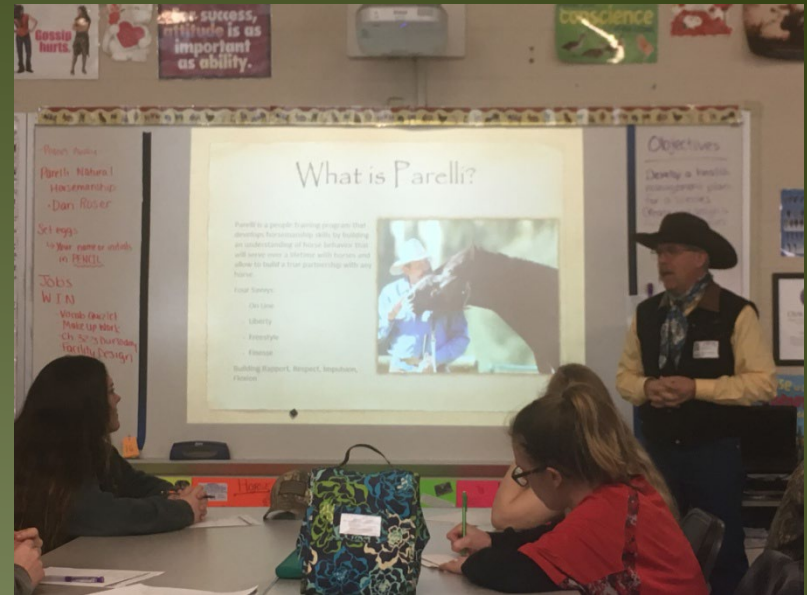
- Morning Schedule
- Afternoon Schedule
- W.I.N. Time – What I Need (to work on) time – like study hall
- Any morning work not complete during arrival time is due by the following morning

• Objectives

- Relate to what we are learning about in class

• Weekly Math

- Relates to class
- Due Friday, unless otherwise noted/announced



Student Mailboxes & Lockers

- Student Mailboxes

- Check daily for:
 - New Assignments/Morning Work
 - Graded Assignments
 - Missed Work (if absent)

- Student Lockers

- Assigned to each student
- Combination lock
- Store supplies



Student Awards – Certificate & Awards Night

- Outstanding Student
- Student of Merit
- Hardest Working Student
- DEKALB Agricultural
Accomplishment Award
- LCCTC School Awards
 - Student Continuing Education
 - Student Entering the Workforce



Post Secondary Opportunities

College in a field related to animal science:

- Articulation Agreement for 3 college credits at Delaware Valley University for their Survey of Agriculture Class
 - Delaware Valley University also offers an articulation agreement for up to 6 college credits by completing the Dairy Leaders of Tomorrow certification (our dairy unit)
- Articulation Agreement for 3 college credits at Harcum College for the Animal Center Management Associates Degree Program



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LCCTC offers a two-year Veterinary Technology Program



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Announcements/Questions

- LCCTC FFA Fun Fair
 - Monday, May 19, 2025 from 9:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.
 - Opportunity to visit the program for the day with busing arranged through our school counselor and your sending school!
 - Still accepting vendors and raffle donations!
- Looking forward to a great year with the Class of 2026!

