

INTERESTED IN LEARNING MORE ABOUT DEGREE PROGRAMS IN AGRICULTURE AND HORTICULTURE?

Spotlight on
EKU
Agriculture



SATURDAY DECEMBER 5, 2009 AT 2:30 P.M.
CARTER BUILDING, RICHMOND CAMPUS

Activities will include:

- ◆ **Attend mock lab sessions given by current faculty members**
- ◆ **Tour facilities within the department**
- ◆ **Informal discussions with current ECU students**

Please register by November 20th



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The Department of Agriculture at Eastern Kentucky University invites interested students, parents, and advisors to **Spotlight on EKV Agriculture**. The event is geared towards high school juniors and seniors, but freshman and sophomore students are also encouraged to attend. This event will take place on the campus of EKV on Saturday, December 5 starting at 2:30 PM.

The Department of Agriculture offers 2-year (associate) and 4-year (bachelor) degrees in agriculture and horticulture. Options are offered in the areas of Landscape, Turf Management, Floriculture, Agribusiness Management, Agricultural Systems Management, Agronomy and Natural Resources, Dairy Management, Livestock Production, Soils, Agriculture Education, and Pre-Veterinary Medicine. Our programs stress "hands on learning" in our many facilities, including a university farm with dairy, beef, swine, sheep, and goats, greenhouses, turf plots, and gardens. Class size is small leading to excellent student – faculty relationships.

The **Spotlight on EKV Agriculture** event will include touring departmental facilities including turf plots, perennial gardens, greenhouses, and Meadowbrook Farm. Mock hands-on lab sessions will be provided by our various faculty members. Students will also be able to visit with current undergraduate students. A more detailed schedule is attached.

If you would like to spend the night some nearby hotels are listed below:

Hampton Inn (1-859-626-1002)
Holiday Inn Express (1-859-624-4055)
Best Western (1-859-623-9220)
Jameson Inn (1-859-623-0063)
Comfort Suites (1-859-624-0770)

To reserve your spot please RSVP (mail, email, fax, or phone) for this event by November 20th. More information about the department can be found at www.agriculture.eku.edu. If you have any questions, please fill free to contact us using the contact information above. We look forward to meeting you!



Spotlight on Agriculture
Schedule

December 5, 2009
Saturday

- 2:30 Registration and welcome (A. B. Carter Building)
- 2:45 Split into areas of interest and attend mock hands-on lab sessions
- 3:30 Students meet with current undergraduates
Parents meet with faculty
- 4:15 Tour facilities
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Please email or call with the following information, or mail the following to:
Department of Agriculture
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We plan on attending the Spotlight on Agriculture event.

_____ # of students
_____ # of parents
_____ # of advisors

Please list student names and their area of interest (horticulture, turfgrass, animal production, agribusiness, ag systems).