

Chinook School Division

Out of Division Learning Courses with Work Experience Requirements

Information Sheet for Administrators and Career Counsellors

Agriculture Equipment Technician 20L and 30L (Local Agricultural Dealerships and Sun West SD)			
Background Information	Registration Process	Supervision	Materials and Payment
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Agriculture Equipment Technician Fact Sheet Video Link (4.21 minutes) What is an Agriculture Equipment Technician? For more information about the program contact: lori.gasper@sunwestsd.ca or call 306-252-1000 or check out Sun West DLC at the link below: Sun West Distance Learning Centre <div style="border: 1px solid red; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px;"> <p>Please Note:</p> <p>Students can only take one course per year as it begins in Sept. and runs through April. They must begin in Sept.</p> <p>Acceptance is also based on availability of work placement. If no placement is available the student will be placed on a wait list.</p> </div>	<p>Students complete the application form which included two teacher recommendations.</p> <p>Deadline for Application is: <u>May 7, 2019</u></p> <p>Applications must be reviewed with the respective Superintendent of Schools for approval prior to May 7, 2019.</p> <p>The Superintendent will pass the application on to the Curriculum Coordinator for Work Experience (Lisa Kuntz) to assist the school and student with the process.</p>	<p><u>Online Theory (50 Hours)</u></p> <p>Students will complete 50 hours online theory at a pace, time, and place that works for them under the guidance of the Sun West DLC instructor. (Preferably in Semester 1: September to Nov/Dec.) Students are matched with a dealer at the start of the course.</p> <p><u>Work Placement (40 Hours) * 50 hours without Boot Camp</u></p> <p><i>Once the student has completed the online theory, they will be matched with an ag dealership close to the community in which they live, to begin a work placement. Sun West DLC's AET coordinator will facilitate placements at dealerships around the province and provide support to host dealers. (Placements to take place between the months of November to March with anticipation of course completion in April.) Teachers supervising Career Work Ex at the local school level will supervise students throughout the duration of the placement.</i></p> <p><u>Boot Camps (10 Hours *Optional)</u> The AET coordinator will work with teacher supervisors to coordinate two, five-hour student boot camps at Sask Polytechnic's Saskatoon campus as well as any optional extra-curricular events (such as Agribition, speaker days, Career Expo sessions, etc.) throughout the course.</p>	<p>The course is available FREE of charge to all Saskatchewan Learners.</p> <p>Students are responsible for any necessary workplace attire/materials (i.e. steel-toed work boots, coveralls, etc.)</p> <p>Students are responsible for the cost of their transportation to and from the ag dealership to complete the work experience component.</p>