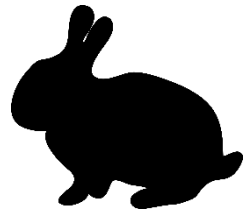


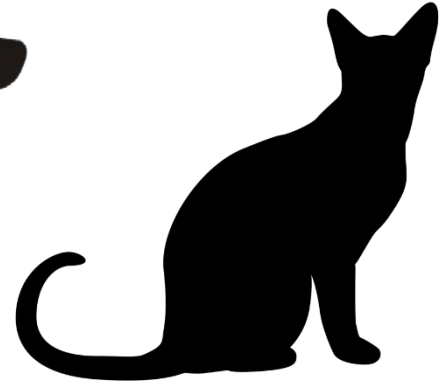
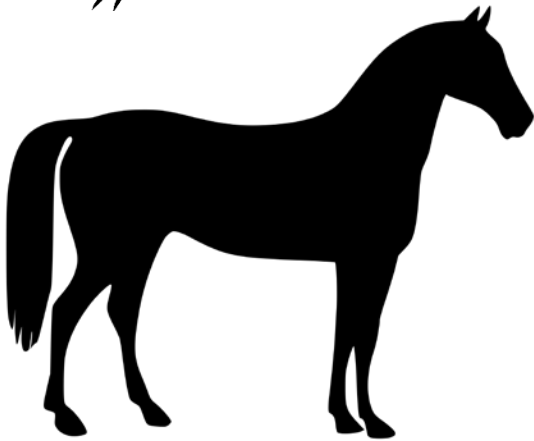


# Companion Animals



(AnSci 2140 - 3 credits)

Spring Semester



Companion animals form an important part of our society. They serve us, provide companionship and many become members of our families. This class focuses primarily on dogs, cats, and horses. Topics covered include: the pet industry, breeds, wellness, management, care, training, zoonotic diseases, evolution and domestication, toxicology, nutrition, reproduction, genetics, human animal interactions, companion animal enterprise, and biomedical research.

## **This class is designated a Biological Science Course**

This is a service-learning course. However, 8 seats are available as traditional course (requirements vary). Two sections are available.

AnSci 2140 (section 1) - service learning = 40 seats

AnSci 2140 (section 2) - traditional course = 8 seats

### **What is Service-Learning?**

"Service-Learning (SL) integrates community service into university coursework. Through SL, students meet real needs in the community while developing important personal and professional skills" MU Office of SL. Current course partners include; Central Missouri Humane Society, Second Chance, MU Vet School-Greyhound and Raptor programs, D-D Farms Animal Sanctuary, Cedar Creek Therapeutic Riding Center, Riley Equine Center and others.

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