

Calallen ISD 2025-2026

Syllabus

Campus: Calallen High School

Course and/or Grade Level: Veterinary Science

Course Description: This course explores commonly encountered ethical dilemmas from veterinary practice. Students are introduced to the profound influence that veterinary laws, standards, and regulations have on practice. Included in this subject, students are introduced to federal and state laws governing the practice of pharmacy. Upon successful completion of the course, students should have attained skills that will enable them to identify unethical behaviors, identify possible solutions, and analyze solutions for appropriateness using ethical decision-making models, while noting the laws and regulations that govern the practice.

Semester 1: August 13 – December 19, 2025

1st Quarter Topics	2nd Quarter Topics
• Careers • Laws/Ethics • Terminology • Animal policies • Safety • Anatomy/Physiology	• Nutrition/feeding • Large and small animal breeds • Hospital procedures • Parasitology

Semester 2: January 5 – May 29, 2026

3rd Quarter Topics	4th Quarter Topics
• Hospital procedures II Pharmacology • Surgical procedures	• Clinic prep • Hospital procedure III • Surgical procedures II

**Minor adjustment to the schedule may be made based on campus schedules and student needs.*