

DAIRY SCIENCE, BS

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Admissions to the Dairy Science, BS were suspended as of spring 2025 and will be discontinued as of fall 2029. If you have any questions, please contact the department.

Students interested in the Dairy Science BS may be interested in the following new majors:

- Dairy and Food Animal Management BS (<https://guide.wisc.edu/undergraduate/agricultural-life-sciences/animal-dairy-sciences/dairy-food-animal-management-bs/>)
- Animal and Veterinary Biosciences BS (<https://guide.wisc.edu/undergraduate/agricultural-life-sciences/animal-dairy-sciences/animal-veterinary-biosciences-bs/>)

Requirements	Details
How to get in	No application required. All students who meet the requirements listed below are eligible to declare. For information on how to declare, visit Advising & Careers.
Courses required to get in	None
GPA requirements to get in	None
Credits required to get in	Must have fewer than 86 credits.
Other	Students who do not meet the requirements above or are not in good academic standing should schedule a meeting with CALS Dean on Call (https://go.wisc.edu/g85h79 (https://go.wisc.edu/g85h79/)) to discuss exceptions.

PROSPECTIVE UW-MADISON STUDENTS

All prospective UW–Madison students must apply through the Office of Admissions and Recruitment (<https://www.admissions.wisc.edu/>).

Students interested in this major should select it as the first choice major on their UW–Madison application. Admitted students who enroll at UW–Madison and attend Student Orientation, Advising, and Registration (SOAR) with the College of Agricultural and Life Sciences have the option to declare this major at SOAR. More information is available here (<https://cals.wisc.edu/academics/undergraduate/future-students/>).

The Dairy Science BS, cannot be earned in combination with the Animal and Veterinary Biosciences BS, Animal Sciences BS, or Dairy and Food Animal Management BS.