



Do you want to go to Vet School?

Admissions & Financing





Welcome!

At UC Davis, you can study with leading experts and specialists, offering you unique chances to shape your career and future role as a health professional.



DVM Curriculum

The DVM curriculum is build on 104 weeks of dedicated coursework and 54 weeks of clinical experience. Recognizing that students learn in different ways, it utilizes a variety of methodologies.

- Problems
- Cases
 - Lectures

- Small group discussions
- Laboratories



Career Focus Areas

- Small Animal
- Large Animal
- Equine
- Livestock
- Zoologic
- Mixed Animal

- Poultry
- Lab Animal
- Aquatic Medicine
- Pathology
- Public Health
- Research



Additional Educational Opportunities

- Veterinary Science Training Program (VSTP)
- Student Training in Advanced Research (STAR) Program
- Summer Clinics for year 1 and 2 students
- International Summer Externship through the Office of Global Programs





Additional **Experience**

• Pursuing this career path can take up to 8 years after high school. To prepare, excel in science and math courses while maintaining good grades.

Classes you can take now:

- Math (algebra, geometry, trigonometry, statistics, calculus)
- Laboratory sciences (biology and chemistry); physics.

Admissions Requirements

- Bachelor's degree, required pre-requisites
- Minimum 180 hours of veterinary experience
- Three (3) letters of recommendation
- Completion of MMI Interview (multiple mini-interview)
- While a minimum GPA of 2.5 (on a 4.0 scale) is required for all completed coursework, competitive applications often boast higher GPAs. Aim high and strive for excellence in your academics to stand out in a competitive pool of applicants!



For additional information about the application process, please visit: https://www.vetmed.ucdavis.edu/admissions/

Resources



Food Animal Medicine Program





Farmvet2b.vetmed.ucdavis.edu



Ways To Fund Veterinary Medicine Education

Current in-state tuition

\$32,923 year / for years 1-3 \$37,081 for year 4

Total= \$135,850

There are many resources you can use, including the following. For more resources, visit farmvet2b.vetmed.ucdavis.edu.

Veterinary Medicine Loan Repayment Program

- •Federal loan repayment for several years of federal service.
- Relevant for those in the Veterinary Corps.

Public Service Loan Forgiveness (PSLF)

- •Alleviates educational debt for those in public/nonprofit sectors.
- •Forgives remaining debt after 10 years of public service.



Questions? Feedback?

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