

COLLEGE OF VETERINARY MEDICINE
College Specific Tier II Writing Criteria

The College of Veterinary Medicine issued the following Tier II guidelines to the Departments, Schools and Programs that offer undergraduate degrees.

Veterinary Technology Courses contain writing requirements that ensures each student is competent in written and verbal communication skills. The student is required to use library references and text books in addition to communication skills to develop client oriented information on common animal conditions, diseases and preventative health care. Verbal presentations are also course requirements. These presentations are on specific topics graded by the instructor. All courses contain a laboratory where students are required to maintain written records of all procedures performed on the animals. Finally, each examination in the Veterinary Technology courses VM 300, VM 301, VM 302 and VM 403 and VM 404 contains a significant essay component, which is designed to enhance and assess the written communication skills of each individual.