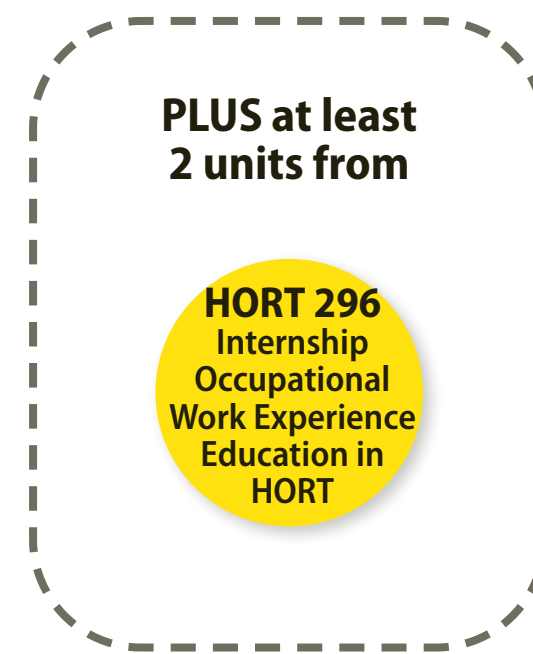
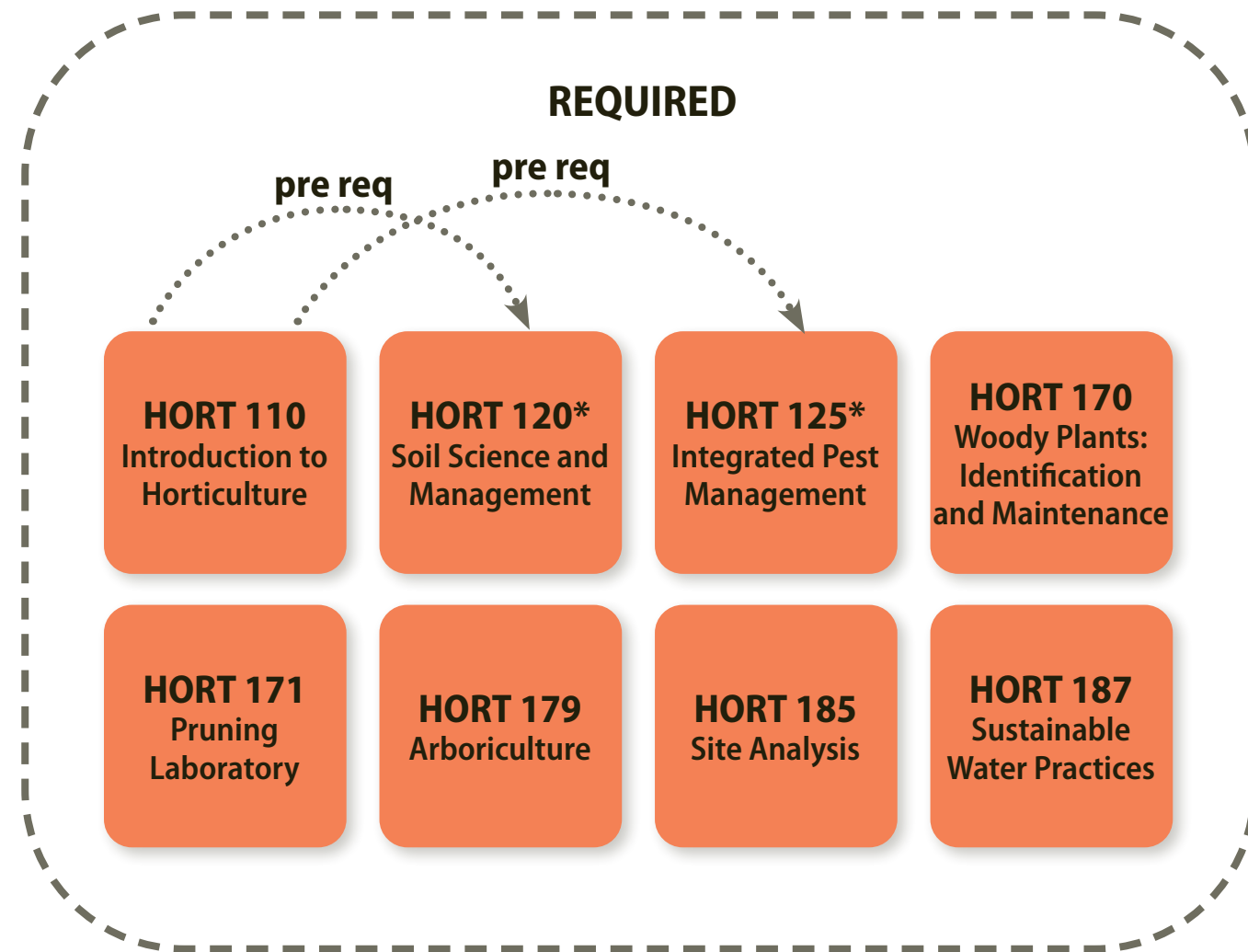
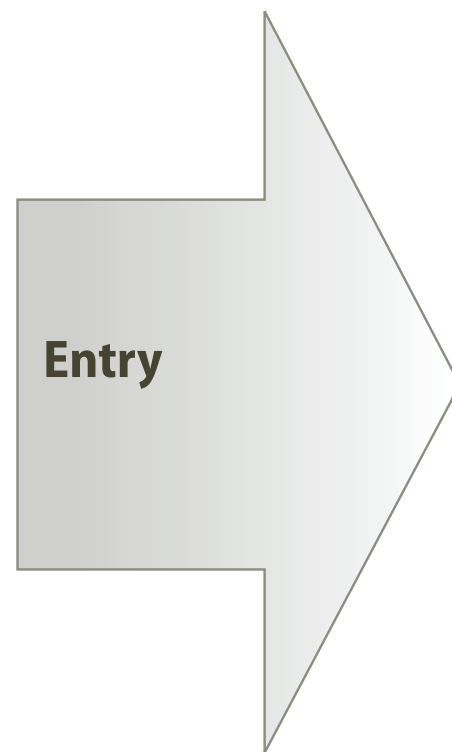


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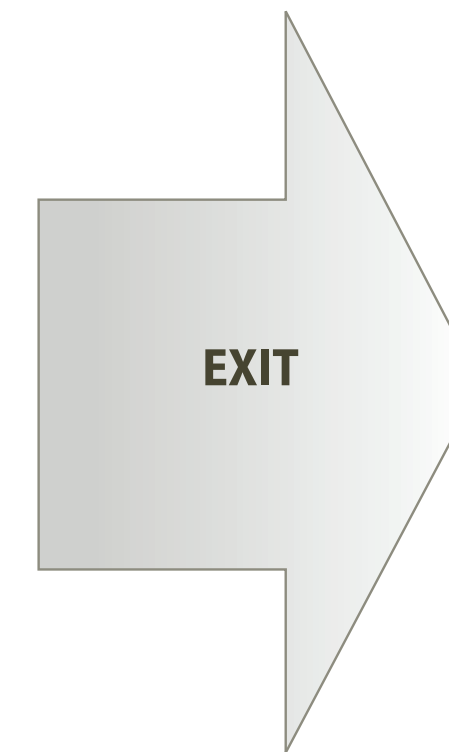
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- Required
- Elective
- * This course has prerequisites.

PROGRAM LEARNING OUTCOMES

Students completing this program will be able to

1. Identify commonly planted trees in local landscapes.
2. Use dichotomous keys to correctly identify tree species.
3. Use site analysis data to determine appropriate tree species.
4. Explain how trees should be planted, staked, pruned, and irrigated.
5. Identify common insect pests and disease pathogens of common trees.
6. Assess tree health and recognize potential hazards.
7. Interpret local tree ordinance regulations for county residents.
8. Describe tree selection mistakes.
9. Demonstrate techniques to mitigate tree pruning errors.



Careers in

- Arborist in a variety of settings including public and private gardens, parks, golf courses, institutions, municipalities, utilities, government agencies, and commercial and residential tree care services.

You need to see a Counselor for specific recommendations about courses that will best meet your educational goals. Not all courses on the map are offered every term. Consult the Catalog and the Schedule of Classes for more details.

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