



AG BIZ MASTERS

Year 2 Curriculum Highlights

Ag Biz Masters is an FSA Certified interactive learning series designed specifically for young and beginning farmers. The two-year program takes a blended learning approach with on-demand, eLearning modules and three live webinar connection check-ins. For each online module, you should budget one to two hours to watch the module and complete the associated activities. Module exams will allow you to personally assess your comprehension and understanding of the materials presented. Your class runs from January through March 2026.

Steps for Success!

Year 2 Course Overview	Date	Checklist
Registration Confirmation & Course Preparation	January 5-January 10, 2026	✓
Participant Welcome Email	January 6, 2026	
Live Course WEBINAR Kick-off Future-Proofing Your Business with Dr. Kohl, Q&A, and Ag Biz Alumni Spotlight	January 16, 2026 from 12:00-1:30pm Click here to join.	
Receive FCU Login and Registration Email Invite *This email will come directly from Farm Credit University to the primary registrant email provided with your registration.	Afternoon of January 16, 2026	
Homework: Login and set-up password on your own. Email JRohrer@HorizonFC.com and let her know that you have successfully logged into FCU.		
Finish January Live Kick-off Course Survey	Click here to complete the survey.	
Complete FCU Module 6: Cash Flow Planning	Week of January 19-23, 2026	
Record FCU Module 6 Exam		
Complete FCU Module 7: Balance Sheet Ratios and Financial Analysis	Week of January 26-30, 2026	
Record FCU Module 7 Exam		
Participant Course Check-in Email	January 29, 2026	
Homework: Read the Profitable Porkers Case study and farm financial assessment guide, prior to Live Course Check-in.		



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Live Course WEBINAR Check-in featuring, the Farm Financial Assessment Guide and Ag Biz Alumni Spotlight	February 4, 2026 from 12:00-1:30pm Click here to join.	
Finish February Live Course Check-in Survey	Click here to complete the survey.	
Complete FCU Module 8: Repayment Ability, Profitability and Financial Efficiency	Week of February 9-13, 2026	
Record FCU Module 8 Exam		
Participant Course Check-in Email	February 12, 2026	
Live Course WEBINAR Check-in featuring Integrating Technology and Tracking for Farm Success	February 19, 2026 from 12:00-1:30PM Click here to join.	
Finish February Live Course Check-in Survey	Click here to complete the survey.	
Complete FCU Module 9: Growth and Transition Management	Week of February 23-27, 2026	
Record FCU Module 9 Exam		
Participant Course Check-in Email	March 2026	
Live Course WEBINAR Check-in. Join us as we conclude the course with a session featuring Tools for Resilience	March 2, 2026 from 12:00-1:30pm Click here to join.	
Finish March Live Course Check-in Survey	Click here to complete the survey.	
Complete FCU Module 10: Leadership, Communication and Ethics	Week of March 9-13, 2026	
Record FCU Module 10 Exam		
Module and Course Completion Deadline	March 20, 2026	
Grading Period	March 20, 2026 -April 3, 2026	
Reimbursement, Graduation Certificates, and FSA Letters of Completion Issued to Completed Participants.	April 15, 2026	