

EXPECTATIONS OF A SUCCESSFUL VET TECH INSTITUTE STUDENT

Vet Tech Institute of Houston is a specialized institution committed to excellence and professionalism in preparing motivated students for successful careers as veterinary technicians throughout an accredited eighteen-month program that combines interactive lecture and practical training.

ATTENDANCE AND STUDY TIME

Regular and prompt attendance in class and animal husbandry is considered essential. Cultivation of desirable habits is just as important for many employers as the development of skills. Students should train themselves to be present and on time for all classes and assigned kennel duties. Development of this important habit while in school makes it considerably easier to satisfy the employer who demands regular and punctual attendance.

Students participate in a rigorous class schedule Monday through Friday typically from 7:00am to 4:00pm. Because the VTI course load is taught at an accelerated pace, students should generally expect to spend 15 to 20 hours per week on homework and preparing for success in classes.

PLAN YOUR TYPICAL SCHOOL DAY

Time

Activity

Wake Up

Leave for VTI

7.5 hours at VTI (5.5 hours in class and switching classes, 1.25 hours of study break, 0.5 hour for lunch)

Arrive home

Study/Homework (2-3 hours)

Personal Life Duties (cooking, cleaning, relaxing!)

Go to bed

