



VETERINARY
TECHNOLOGY

Boot Camp

"Boot Camp" is a one-day orientation and exploration into the teaching formats, physical demands, mental exercise, and manual dexterity requirements that every Yuba College Veterinary Technology student can expect to encounter on a daily basis in the second year of our two year AVMA fully accredited program.

Attendance and participation at "Boot Camp" are a **mandatory** requirement for each candidate before her/his final transition to the world of the living (live animal care and treatment).

Candidates need to dress "ready for work": scrubs, shoes/boots with closed toes and heels, hair tied back, and no dangling jewelry. Bring a sack lunch as there are no fast food or cafeteria services close to the Yuba College Program compound. Coffee, water, and sodas are provided. Bring your stethoscopes.

Our "Boot Camp" will be held on a Saturday in mid August in room 810 from 0800 (sharp) to 1500 and will provide students with the foundation of knowledge to begin working with live animals within our clinic.

0800 Welcome SRR Haskell, DVM and BL Loghry, RVT

0830 How does this all work? Procedural formats within our case load. Go ask Mama..... Go tell Doc.....

0900 What do I do next? Review of weekly laboratory format for VETT53A. Review of the required kennel care program.

0930 Come on, is this really a clinic? Review of our facilities, the big picture and how do I fit in.

1000 Is SOAP just for washing? Records and record keeping expectations at Yuba College; what it be or whad's zup? Review of current record examples.

1030 Examinations: not just on paper any more. What constitutes a thorough P.E.?

1100 OK but does it really matter? What constitutes appropriate professional behavior with clients/patients/faculty/staff/peers and how do I fit into animal care at YCC?

1230 Parts is parts. A review of the anatomy and clinical pathology needed for the comprehensive physical examination of domestic animals.

1300 So you want to anesthetize animals do you? Controlled death and veterinary anesthesia, the basics.

1330 Slice um and dice um..... The ins and outs of surgical assisting.

1430 OMG, putting it all together, the skills test.