

## FAQ

### 1. How can I board my horse at ABAC?

#### **1. Acquire a boarding contract.**

\*There is a waiting list, so you will need to submit a contract to have your name on the list. When a stall opens, you will be contacted.

Contact the School of Agriculture and Natural Resources:

Dr. Katheryn Cerny, Associate Professor  
Agricultural Sciences Building, Room 109  
kcerny@abac.edu  
229-391-4822

For additional information, contact the ABAC Stables Manager:

Mrs. Kathy Cooper, Administrative Associate  
Agricultural Sciences Building, Room 135E  
kcooper@abac.edu  
Phone: 229-391-4790 Fax: 229-391-4791  
Mailing: ABAC 8, 2802 Moore Highway  
Tifton, GA 31793-2601

#### **2. Read, understand, and complete the contract.**

#### **3. Return the contract to Dr. Katheryn Cerny (kcerny@abac.edu).**

#### **4. When we have your contract and a stall opens, you will be contacted and will need to provide the following:**

**A. Proof of ABAC Acceptance.**

**B. \$100 deposit (check made payable to ABAC).**

**C. Up to date vaccine record and negative Coggins (see contract for required vaccines).**

**D. Photo of yourself and horse for identification purposes.**

### 2. What is the minimum GPA and credit hours I need to board my horse at ABAC?

Boarders must maintain a minimum overall GPA of 2.25 and be enrolled in a minimum of 12 credit hours. Students who do not maintain the minimum GPA will be dismissed from boarding.

### 3. How much are the boarding fees?

Boarders will pay a \$100/stall deposit to be refunded, upon request of the boarder at the end of the contract, provided that the Barn Manager is satisfied with the condition of the facilities.

Boarding rental fees are \$700 per semester due at the beginning of each semester.

4. What amenities are provided for the boarding fee?

The ABAC stables is a self-care facility. It is the responsibility of the student (owner) to feed and maintain their horse daily, which includes providing hay, water, milled diet, minerals, stall bedding, and stall cleaning for horse **daily**.

Boarding rental fees provide one assigned stall, pasture space shared with other horses, riding arena, and trails.

5. How many horses can I board at the ABAC stables?

A student who meets the minimum requirements can board one horse.

6. How many stalls are available at the ABAC horse stables?

20 stalls are available. Stalls will fill up fast and there is typically a waiting list to board a horse on-campus. Please see steps for boarding your horse at ABAC to sign-up on the waiting list.

7. What vaccines are needed to board my horse at the ABAC stables?

Students are required to have horses up to date on ALL vaccines listed below and a current negative Coggins prior to arrival on campus and at all times during the boarding contract.

\*Proof of vaccines is required from a licensed veterinarian. A receipt or letter from the veterinarian will do.

Vaccines required:

Strangles (*required every 12 months*)

Eastern and Western Encephalomyelitis (*required every 12 months, recommend every 6 months*)

Tetanus (*required every 12 months*)

Rabies (*required every 12 months*)

West Nile virus (*required every 12 months, recommend every 6 months*)

Rhinopneumonitis (*required every 6 months*)

Influenza (*required every 6 months*)