**HARPER ADAMS UNIVERSITY**

**In 2021 23 Cattle, 109 sheep and 242 pigs underwent procedures under ASPA. All studies investigated dietary means to improve health, performance and reduce the environmental impact of farm animals, and were considered as mild procedures**

You'll be taught by a large team of experts in their field: Veterinary surgeons, nurses, professors, animal physiologists and nutritionists, specialists in animal behaviour, microbiology, molecular biologists and animal welfare scientists, all ably supported by laboratory and farm technicians. The department also works closely with the university's agriculture and livestock experts. Class sizes are small and staff have an open-door policy, so you'll receive personalised guidance and advice.

Your learning won't just take place in the classroom - while studies are less hands-on than in further education, there will still be lots of applied work in our extensive laboratories, the commercial farm on-campus, and in our companion animal house and veterinary services centre. There will be field trips, talks from industry figures and the chance to develop further practical skills through our Farm Skills Programme.

**Reviews**

Harper Adams University Reviews On U.K. indeed

Overall, reasonable place to work but not the best.

If you get frustrated by slow decisions, internal politics, minimal inter-departmental communication, not sticking to employment contract and inability of management planning DO NOT APPLY.

You will end up dissatisfied and unhappy.

They hire the most qualified person they can get, for as little as possible often far below market rate.

PAY RATES are NOT COMPETITIVE (with private sector)

Little to no progression prospects, very much dead man's boots

Chronically understaffed in all departments (that I interacted or worked in, which was most)

Harper Adams University used - 291 animals in scientific procedures in 2017, including the following:

**Cows - 43 Sheep - 248**