



# Press Release

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## New Horse Breeding Course now Launched

To add to extensive list of agricultural online and distance courses, ACS Distance Education has just launched a new course- **Horse Breeding**.

The Horse Breeding course gives you an understanding of all of the considerations that you need to make when breeding horses. Some of the outcomes of this course include:

- Understanding the process of selecting mares and stallions for successful breeding purposes.
- Identify and understand the anatomy and physiology of the mare's reproductive tract and the physical characteristics, which are preferable for a successful brood mare.
- Identify and understand the anatomy and physiology of the stallion's reproductive tract and the physical characteristics, which are preferable for a successful breeding stallion.
- Explain and compare different ways of breeding horses.
- Identify and explain the appropriate management of a pregnant mare.
- Understand and explain the foaling process.
- Describe the important care of a newborn foal.
- Discuss common fertility problems that can occur in a mare or stallion.

For more information on this course, please visit our website:

<http://www.acs.edu.au/courses/horse-breeding-641.aspx>

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If you have any queries or would like to arrange an interview, please call or email the ACS head office on the Gold Coast on (07) 5562 1088 and ask for our Media and Marketing Officers ( [admin@acs.edu.au](mailto:admin@acs.edu.au) ).

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