Academics at Maryland

College Park Scholars

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http://www.scholars.umd.edu

http://orientation.umd.edu/virtualfolder.html
What?

University and Scholars curricula

How?

Processes and support

Students hear all of this, too.

http://www.advising.umd.edu/
GENERAL EDUCATION
SCHOLARS
MAJOR
MINORS & CERTIFICATES
General Education

Fundamental Studies
- Math
- Academic Writing
- Professional Writing
- Oral Communication
- Analytic Reasoning

Distributive Studies
- Natural Sciences
- History and Social Sciences
- Humanities
- Scholarship in Practice
- I-Series

Diversity
- Understanding Plural Societies
- Cultural Competence

http://www.gened.umd.edu
Prior Learning Credit

Writing

AP English Language and Composition 4 = ENGL101S

Mathematics

AP Calculus AB 4 = MATH140; BC 4 = MATH140 and 141
IB Higher Mathematics 5,6,7 = MATH140

http://orientation.umd.edu/MathPlacement.html

http://www.transfercredit.umd.edu/plc.html
Scholars Foundations

First-year programs

Sustained orientation to academic life

Learning communities

Peers in connected courses

Experiential practica

Application and reflection
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| **Fall Freshman** | Colloquium (1-2 credits)  
                        English 101S (Gen Ed) |
| **Spring Freshman** | Colloquium (1-2 credits)  
                        Supporting Course (Gen Ed) |
| **Fall Sophomore** | Colloquium (1-2 credits)  
                        Supporting Course (Gen Ed) |
| **Spring Sophomore** | Practicum (1-3 credits) |
91%: Demonstrated capacity to think critically, communicate clearly, and solve complex problems more important than major.

73%: requiring a significant applied learning project would improve the quality of preparation for careers.

Requirements

The Degree

>2.0 GPA
>120 credits
15 credits at 300- and 400-level
Final 30 in residence
Major by 60 credits
Transfer credits - pre-advised/approved
Four-Year Plans [http://www.4yearplans.umd.edu/](http://www.4yearplans.umd.edu/)

The Scholars Citation

>15 credits
>3.0 GPA
Good citizenship
Academic Showcase
Contribute to assessment
Resource Links

Schedule of Classes https://ntst.umd.edu/soc/
Undergraduate Catalog https://catalogundergraduate.umd.edu
University FAQs https://www.umd.edu/faqs-heoaconsumer-information

Libraries http://www.lib.umd.edu/
Financial Aid http://www.financialaid.umd.edu/
Counseling Center http://counseling.umd.edu/
  Disability Support Services
  Learning Assistance Services
  After Hours Crisis Support (301) 314-7651
University Health Center http://health.umd.edu/
Office of Multi-Ethnic Student Education http://omse.umd.edu/
Career Center http://careers.umd.edu/
Pre-Health Professions Advising http://www.prehealth.umd.edu/
Pre-Law Advising http://www.prelaw.umd.edu/
Tutoring http://tutoring.umd.edu/
Writing Center https://www.english.umd.edu/academics/writingcenter
Office of Civil Rights and Sexual Misconduct http://www.umd.edu/ocrsm/

Terp Parent and Family Association www.terpfamily.umd.edu (301) 314 8429
Questions?
Looking Ahead

Move in Day *Thursday, August 24*

Convocation *Thursday, August 24*

College Park Scholars Service Day *Friday, August 25*

New Student Welcome *Friday, August 26*

First Day of Classes *Monday, August 28*

Scholars Block Party *Friday, September 1*

Commencement *Friday, May 21 and Saturday, May 22, 2021*