

**Required Classes and Their Recommended Order
toward a College Park Scholars Citation in
Science, Discovery and the Universe (SDU)
for students entering in the Fall 2019 semester**

Semester 1		Semester 2	
The following requirements are presented in recommended order. Consult with the SDU Program Director and your academic advisor for how to best accommodate your academic major requirements.			
1.	CPSD 100 or 101: 1 st Year Colloquium A or B (1 credit) – required	4.	CPSD 101 or 100: 1 st Year Colloquium B or A (1 credit) – required
2.	ENGL 101S or exemption (FSAW) (3 credits) – recommended	5.	Supporting Course (see list below) (3-4 credits) – recommended
3.	Gen Ed Natural Sci w/Lab or exemption (DSNL)(4 credits) – recommended		
Semester 3		Semester 4	
6.	CPSD 200 2 nd Year Colloquium (1 credit) – required	8.	Capstone: CPSD 230/240/250 or CPSP 359D or substitute (3 credits) – required
7.	Supporting Course (see list below) (3-4 credits) – recommended		

Supporting courses¹ are courses that deepen your learning of the theme of your Scholars program, providing you opportunities to connect your Scholars learning to relevant courses. Most often, supporting courses satisfy General Education requirements. In addition to your Natural Lab Sciences credit (DSNL), SDU students must complete **two** courses of their choice on this list by the end of their sophomore year. **Courses may be fulfilled through transfer credit granted by the University's Registrar's office, such as for AP and community college classes.**

Your DSNL and two supporting courses <i>must</i> be from three different departments			
Any 3-4 credit 100 level Astronomy, Biology, Chemistry, Geology or Physics course			
ANTH220 (NL/UP)	CLAS170 (HU)	GEOL212 (NS)	LING240 (HU)
ANTH222 (NL/UP)	CLAS275 (HU/IS)	GVPT241 (SP)	MATH1x0 (MA)
ANTH260 (HS/UP)	CLAS289A (HU/IS)	GVPT273 (SP)	PHIL100 (HU)
ANTH263 (HS/UP)	ECON111 (HS/IS)	HIST110 (HU)	PHIL140 (HU)
ANTH266 (HS/CC/IS)	ECON175 (HS/IS)	HIST111 (HS/UP)	PHIL170 (AR)
AOSC123 (NS/IS)	ENGL130 (HU/IS)	HIST133 (HS/IS)	PHIL201 (HU/IS)
AOSC200 (NS/IS)	ENGL134 (HU/UP/IS)	HIST141 or 142 (HS/IS)	PHIL209- (varies)
AOSC200+201 (NL)	GEOG110 (HS/UP)	HIST204 (HS)	PHIL236 (HU)
ASTR220 (NS/IS)	GEOG130 (HS/SP)	HIST205 (HS/HU)	PHIL308- (varies)
ASTR230 (NS/IS)	GEOG201+211 (NL)	HIST210 or 211 (HS/UP)	PSYC100 (HS/NS)
ASTR315 (NL or SP)	GEOL124 (NS/IS)	JOUR175 (SP/UP)	PSYC289- (varies)
ASTR340 (NS)	GEOL204 (NS/IS)	LGBT200 (HS/UP)	RELS289- (varies)

¹ Students may request to substitute an alternative course to this list. The petition must include the rationale for the selection of the course, how the course will enrich his/her understanding of SDU themes, and how his/her learning in SDU will enrich his/her understanding of the requested course.

All SDU Scholars are expected to meet the following requirements. The director will ensure you have met the following criteria:

- Model good community citizenship (confirmed w/Res. Life and Student Conduct);
- Comply with the University’s Code of Academic Integrity (no XFs on transcript);
- Participate in the College Park Scholars Academic Showcase;
- Integrate your Scholars learning by satisfactorily completing a learning outcomes assessment through a sophomore reflection essay;
- Earn a minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.0 in SDU Citation requirements, and a minimum 2.5 GPA for all UM coursework²;
- Complete all requirements within your first four semesters at UM; and
- Complete a minimum of 19 credits as outlined below.

Accurate completion and timely submission of this document will ensure your review for your Scholars Citation or Certificate of Completion. Upon conclusion of your sophomore year:

- _____ Attach an updated copy of your résumé including allusions to your capstone project;
- _____ Attach an unofficial copy of your transcript to this form and:
 - _____ Circle your cumulative GPA
 - _____ Highlight your College Park Scholars Required courses
 - _____ Highlight your Supporting Courses;
- _____ Fill out the table below with the requested information (leave unreceived grades blank);
- _____ Submit to your Scholars faculty as directed.

	Course/ Requirement	Name	General Educ. Category (if any) or “AP,” etc	Grade (or exempt)	Credit
1.	CPSD 100	Freshman Colloquium A	N/A		1
2.	ENGL 101S	Academic Writing	Fundamental Studies		3
3.	Lab Science		Distributed Studies (NL)		4
4.	CPSD 101	Freshman Colloquium B	N/A		1
5.	Supporting Course 1		Distributive Studies:		3-4
6.	CPSD200	Sophomore Colloquium	N/A		1
7.	Supporting Course 2		Distributive Studies:		3-4
8.	CPSD230, 240 or CPSP359D/S/W, or _____	Practicum	Distributive Studies: (or N/A)		3
Total Credits earned toward your Scholars Citation					19-21

I certify the information provided on this form and attached documentation is true and accurate.

Student Signature

____/____/____
Date signed

² Students who complete all course and program requirements but who do not meet the minimum GPA are eligible to receive a certification of program completion. This does not appear on your academic transcript but it is an accomplishment you can reflect on your résumé.

Fall 2019

Advising Information

College Park Scholars

First-Year Students in



Science, Discovery and the Universe



Scholars in Science, Discovery & the Universe (SDU) are *required* to register for the following:

1. College Park Scholars Colloquium I: Science, Discovery and the Universe

Note: at the end of freshman year, SDU students need to have completed CPSD 100 and CPSD 101; however, they can be taken in either order.

CPSD 100	Section 0101	Th 3:30-4:30	1 Credit
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CPSD 101	Section 0101	Th 3:30-4:30	1 Credit
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Scholars in Science, Discovery & the Universe (SDU) are *encouraged* to register for the following this fall, but may postpone until as late as sophomore spring. All supporting courses must be completed on the citation checklist by spring of sophomore year. Please consult with departmental academic advisor for the appropriate semester to take these courses if they cannot be taken in the first semester.

2. Introduction to Writing (unless exempt by AP, etc.)

Please note: Scholars students are permitted to take any “S” section of ENGL101 offered in the fall. This is recommended as the course is taught on the north campus. If students cannot fit ENGL101S into their schedule, they are permitted to take a “non-S” version of ENGL101.

ENGL 101S	Section – see www.testudo.umd.edu	3 Credits
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3. General Education Natural Science Lab Course (NL) (unless exempt by AP, etc.)

SDU faculty and staff recommend that students consider registering for a NL in their first semester unless exempt. Please see College Park Scholars SDU citation checklist for more information about this requirement.

If possible, take this sheet with you to your advising session.

Need More Information?

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