

CMNS - COMPUTER, MATH, AND NATURAL SCIENCES

CMNS100 Becoming a Science Terp (1 Credit)

Introduces students to the College of Computer, Mathematical, and Natural Sciences (CMNS) and the University. In a small classroom setting taught by CMNS faculty/staff, students will explore their college transition with a focus on: academic success skills, navigating college and campus resources, diversity, identity and inclusion, and career exploration. Each section of the course will have a CMNS Peer Mentor teaching assistant.

Restriction: Primary major must be in the College of Computer, Mathematical and Natural Sciences (CMNS); and must be first semester CMNS freshman student .

Credit Only Granted for: UNIV100 or CMNS100.

CMNS210 Peer Mentoring Fundamentals (2 Credits)

A foundational course for newly hired CMNS Peer Mentors. The course introduces mentors to all components of their new student leadership role and provides hands-on training. As part of this course, CMNS Peer Mentors will learn and be assessed on CMNS academic policies, CMNS100: Becoming a Science Terp teaching assistant responsibilities, CMNS major curricula and four-year sample plans, graduation planning, and the training required to provide front desk support in the CMNS Office of Student Services.

Restriction: Must have permission of the College of Computer, Mathematical, and Natural Sciences.

Credit Only Granted for: CMNS208A or CMNS210.

Formerly: CMNS208A.

Additional Information: This course is restricted to students who are selected and hired for the CMNS Peer Mentoring position.

CMNS211 Student Leadership and Development for Peer Mentors (3 Credits)

Prepares CMNS Peer Mentors to succeed in their roles within the CMNS Office of Student Services by developing core leadership and professional skills. Through interactive sessions and hands-on training, students will explore mentorship strategies, leadership, communication, equity, and student support. This course empowers peer mentors to lead with confidence while gaining valuable experience for academic and professional growth.

Prerequisite: CMNS210.

Restriction: Must be a CMNS peer mentor.

Credit Only Granted for: EDUC388U or CMNS211.