The STEM Scholars program is designed for motivated high school and college students who want to pursue opportunities in science, technology, engineering or mathematics (STEM) and transfer to a four-year institution after completion of their associate degree at Carroll Community College.

This selective honors program emphasizes hands-on research, professional development, and transfer preparation.

STEM Scholars Program Features

- **Cohort Model:** Progress through the program with a group of no more than 20 high-achieving students while having the flexibility to take appropriate courses for your program of study.
- **One-on-One Advising:** Receive direction and guidance from your academic adviser, who is by your side from your first course all the way to graduation.
- **A Dedicated Faculty Mentor:** Get the personalized guidance you need to strengthen your research skills and develop as a STEM Scholar.
- **Guaranteed Transfer Scholarship:** Upon graduation, receive $1000 transfer scholarship for four-year College of your choice.
- **Free Research Course:** Get reimbursement for the high-impact, rich, authentic and interdisciplinary undergraduate research undergraduate research course (2 credits)
- **Professional Development:** Take part in three complimentary seminar courses (0.5 credits each) where you will listen to industry guest speakers, create your resume, and explore career and job opportunities.
- **Transfer Planning:** Participate in road trips to STEM industry and four-year transfer institutions. Receive help with planning your transfer to four-year schools from filling out applications to finding and applying for scholarships.

Admission Requirements

- High school and college students with a cumulative GPA of 3.00 with no more than 30 college credits prior to the start of the academic year
- Students must be college ready and have no requirement to complete any developmental courses at Carroll Community College
  - Placed into credit bearing courses through Carroll Community College’s placement test (mathematics, reading and English), or
  - SAT or AP scores, or
  - Completed any required developmental courses at the College, if applicable.

How to Apply

Submit the following items to Admissions Office (A101):

- Completed STEM Scholars application (carrollcc.edu/STEMscholars)
- Unofficial high school transcript and college transcript (latter if applicable)
- Official AP, SAT or ACT scores (if any)
- Recommendation letter from a teacher, guidance counselor or college faculty if applicable (optional, but recommended)
- Students’ course load, academic achievement, extracurricular and leadership activities are strong factors in the admissions process.

Applications will be received and reviewed until seats in the program are filled.

www.carrollcc.edu/STEMscholars