



PROGRAM FOR WOMEN IN SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING

Student Role Models - Spring 2025

The SRM program offers an exciting opportunity for ISU undergraduate students who are in a STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics) major to work with K-12 students. Through this program, SRMs visit classrooms, community events, after school programs, career conferences, and school fairs across the state. SRMs will present one of a variety of pre-designed, hands-on STEM activities.

Requirements:

- 8-week “Facilitating Exceptional Outreach” training (January 21-March 13)
 - Tuesday/Thursday from 3:40pm-4:30pm
 - Upon successful completion and instructor approval you will be hired officially as an SRM.
 - Demonstrated competency in outreach/education may be considered in place of the 8-week training.
 - In the interview we will be asking if you are available to assist with the following two programs beginning ASAP.
 - Jasmine- Every other Wednesday 2:45pm-5pm
 - Sawyer Elementary
 - Help facilitate tasks with the girls (i.e., passing out supplies, asking guiding questions, keeping teams on track, providing feedback, talking about what they're studying and why it interests them, etc.)
 - CyMath- Tues/Thurs times Vary
 - Sawyer Elementary
 - <https://cymath.iastate.edu/>
- Maintaining a 2.0 GPA
- Minimum of 4 visits per semester required in order to maintain your status as an SRM

Hours/Schedule:

- Schedule availability Mon-Fri and weekends
 - The SRM position offers flexibility around academic schedules.
 - Blocks of consecutive time (3+ hours) in your schedule on a minimum of 1 week day.

Skills:

- Strong interpersonal communication skills with all ages of children and peers
- Self-motivated and positive attitude
- Exhibit a willingness to say “yes” when asked to attend classroom visits, STEM fairs, on campus outreach events, etc.

Preferred Qualifications:

- Undergraduate students majoring in a STEM field
- Ability to drive university vehicles
 - WiSE reserves ISU rental cars for Role Models to use to visit schools across Iowa

Compensation:

Student Role Models receive a salary of \$12.00/hour and are paid for time spent preparing, travel time, and visit time.

Questions about the Student Role Model position or the application process should be directed to Taylor Bryan at tbryan@iastate.edu.