

# SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING, MATHEMATICS PROGRAM (STEM)

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The (STEM)<sup>2</sup> Program is intended to create opportunities for STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics) students to become informed and prepared to apply for diverse hands-on opportunities within STEM career pathways. Our STEM Center offers a space for students to form study groups and engage with peer mentors, faculty and staff. Students involved in our program will learn to develop academic and leadership skills, increase educational performance, and leave Cypress College confident in their ability to compete academically and professionally in any STEM discipline they choose.

## Advising Staff

STEM Counselors provide academic advisement. Students are also advised in financial aid, research and internship opportunities, scholarships, and other enrichment opportunities. The outcome is that students are competitive applicants to four-year universities.

## Facilitation of Research Opportunities

Through partnerships with four-year universities and federal and state-funded grants, students are given the opportunity to participate in research experiences at top universities with renowned researchers. This program has been instrumental in engaging students in STEM fields, and in increasing the number of students interested in obtaining graduate and doctoral degrees.

## Loan Program

On a semester basis, the STEM program loans out books and calculators to help ease the burden of coming up with financial resources. Students must be in good academic standing and comply with the STEM Program's guidelines to be eligible for this resource.

## We offer the following services:

- Priority Registration
- Transfer Support to any four-year university
- Summer Research, internship and scholarship opportunities
- Individualized counseling
- Textbook loan program
- STEM Workshops offering information on all aspects of the transfer process and STEM careers
- Special guest speakers and networking opportunities
- STEM professional conferences and hands-on experiences

## Application Filing Period:

**Fall**  
**July to early September**

**Spring**  
**January to early February**

Contact Us:  
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