



Science Student Resource Guide

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Connect with SSA - quick links!

- General Inquiries - sciencestudentsassociation@umanitoba.ca
- Academics Team - ssaacademics@gmail.com
- Communications Team - umssa.communications@gmail.com
- Student Services Team - ssastudentservices@gmail.com

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1. Academic Support

○ SSA Tutoring:

“The SSA’s Tutoring Service is a course-specific tutoring service providing support in course material at your convenience. Every peer tutor has been through a rigorous approval process, which includes a verification that they have achieved 80% or higher in the courses that they would like to teach. The best part? It’s a free service!”

- [Download the Nimbus app today on google play or the app store.](#)
- Create an account!
- Search up your course code to see all available tutors.
- If there are no SSA tutors available for your course, please send us an email at ssaacademics@gmail.com

○ Academic Learning Centre:

- [Services](#)
- Located in Room 201 of the Tier Building
- Email: academic_learning@umanitoba.ca
- Phone: (204) 480-1481

○ Virtual Math Help Centre:

- [About](#)

○ Statistics Help Centre:

- [About](#)

○ FoS Academic Advising:

- [About](#)
- [Program Planning](#)
- [Performance Assessments](#)
- [Final Exams & Academic Misconduct](#)

○ Meet with an advisor:

- [Current Students](#)
- [Prospective Students](#)

○ UM Academic Integrity:

- [Policy](#)

2. Programs and Majors:

○ Degree Planning:

- [Actuarial Mathematics \(BSc\)](#)
- [Applied Mathematics \(BSc\)](#)
- [Biochemistry \(BSc\)](#)
- [Biological Sciences \(BSc\)](#)
- [Chemistry \(BSc\)](#)
- [Computer Science \(BCSc\) \(BSc\)](#)
- [Data Science \(BSc\)](#)
- [General \(BSc\)](#)

○ Co-Op Information:

- [Prospective Students](#)
- [Current Students](#)

- Located in E2-482, 483, 484 & 499 EITC
- Email: science.co-op@umanitoba.ca
- Phone: (204) 474-7863

3. Course Catalog & Academic Calendar:

- [2023/24 UM Course Catalog](#)
- [2023/24 UM Academic Calendar](#)

4. Financial Aid & Awards:

- [Faculty of Science Undergraduate Bursaries, Scholarships & Prizes](#)
- [SSA Community Scholarships](#)

5. SSA & UMSU Student Services:

- [SSA Funding Request Form](#)
- [Science Locker Rentals](#)
- [Science Lounge Booking Form \(209E Armes Building\)](#)
- [SSA Equipment Rental Services \(Lab Coats, Goggles, etc\)](#)
- [UMSU Harship Fund](#)
- [UM Food Bank & UMSU Holiday Hampers](#)
- [UPASS: Eligibility, Fees & Opt-out Information](#)
- [StudentCare Health & Dental Plan: Eligibility, Coverage & Appeals](#)

6. Student Life – Resources:

○ Accessibility:

● **Student Accessibility Services (SAS)**

- Email: student_accessibility@umanitoba.ca
- Phone: (204) 474-7423
- Located in 520 UMSU University Centre
 - **Disability Assessment Form**
 - **SAS Consent Form**

○ Mental Health:

● **Student Counselling Centre:**

- Hours: Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
- Phone: (204) 474-8592
- Located in 474 UMSU University Centre

○ Physical Health:

● **University Health Centre:**

- Hours: Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 3:45 p.m.
- Phone: (204) 474-8411
- Located in 100 UMSU University Centre

● Sexual Violence Supports:

● **REES:**

- REES can be accessed online anywhere, anytime. Go to <https://reescommunity.com/campus> and select UMSU from the drop-down list.

“UMSU has partnered with REES (Respect, Educate, Empower Survivors) to provide online reporting for sexual violence on campus. REES allows members of our campus community to Create a Record of an incident and choose from multiple reporting options: Anonymous Report, Connect to My Campus, or Repeat Perpetrator Identification (RPI). REES provides information about campus and community-based resources such as sexual assault centres, healthcare, and support services.”

● **Sexual Violence Resource Centre:**

- Email: svrc@umanitoba.ca
- Phone: (204) 474-6562
- Located in 537 UMSU University Centre

● **Office of Human Rights & Conflict Management:**

- Email: human.rights@umanitoba.ca
- Phone: (204) 474-6348

- Located in 201 Allen Building

- [Campus Supports for Marginalized Communities:](#)

- **Women-Identifying Students**
 - UMSU Women’s Centre:
 - Email: womensrep@umsu.ca
 - Instagram: [@womenscentre_umsu](#)
- **Students Living with Disabilities**
 - UMSU Accessibility Centre:
 - Email: accessrep@umsu.ca
 - Instagram: [@accesscentre_umsu](#)
- **2SLGBTQIA+ Students**
 - UMSU Rainbow Pride Centre:
 - Email: lgbttqrep@umsu.ca
 - Instagram: [@rpc_umsu](#)
- **Racialized Students**
 - UMSU Racial Equity & Inclusion Alliance
 - Email: racializedrep@umsu.ca
 - Instagram [@reia.uofm](#)
- **Black Students**
 - UMSU Black Students Centre:
 - Email: bsr@umsu.ca
 - Instagram: [@blackstudentsuofm](#)
- **Indigenous Students:**
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 - UMSU Indigenous Students Centre:
 - Email: indigenousrep@umsu.ca
 - Instagram: [@indigenouscommunity_umsu](#)
- **International Students:**
 - UMSU International Students Centre:
 - Email: isr@umsu.ca
 - Instagram: [@umanitoba_icc](#)

7. Student Life – Getting Involved in Science:

- [SSA Events \(Orientation, LabTREK, Bisons Walk-a-Thon, Gala, etc.\)](#)
- [SSA Peer Mentorship Program](#)
- [Wawatay Program](#)
- [Undergraduate Research Opportunities](#)

- [UMSU Clubs](#)
- [Sports & Recreation at UM](#)
- **Marginalized Communities in Science:**
 - [2SLGBTQIA+](#)
 - [Accessibility](#)
 - [First Years](#)
 - [Indigenous](#)
 - [International](#)
 - [Women](#)
- **Departmental Science Student Groups:**
 - **BUGS (Biology Undergraduate Students' Association)**
 - Email: bugs@umanitoba.ca
 - Instagram: [@bugs.uofm](#)
 - Located in 111 Biological Sciences Building
 - **CHEM CLUB**
 - Email: uofmchemclub@gmail.com
 - Instagram: [@uofmchemclub](#)
 - Located in 134 Parker Building
 - **CSSA (Computer Science Students' Association)**
 - Email: cssa@umanitoba.ca
 - Instagram: [@umanitobacssa](#)
 - Located in E1-586 EITC
 - **EIGEN CLUB (U of M Mathematics Club)**
 - [Website](#)
 - [Sign-Up Form](#)
 - Instagram: [@umeigenclub](#)
 - **MISC (Undergraduate Microbiology Student's Club)**
 - Email: uofm.microclub@umanitoba.ca
 - Instagram: [@misc.uofm](#)
 - Located in 134 Parker Building
 - **OPUS (Organization of Physics Undergraduate Students)**
 - Email: opus.uofm@gmail.com
 - Instagram: [@opus_uofm](#)
 - Located in 206 Allen Building
 - **UMS^2 (U of M Statistics Students)**
 - [Website](#)

- [Sign-Up Form](#)

Non-Departmental Science Student Groups:

- **.devClub**
 - Email: umdevclub@gmail.com
 - Instagram: [@umdevclub](#)
- **UM CrewSEC (U of M Crew for Software Engineering Conferences)**
 - Email: manitoba@cusec.net
 - Instagram: [@cusecofficial](#)
- **Let's Talk Science U of M**
 - Email: lts.uofm@gmail.com
 - Instagram: [@lts_uofm](#)
- **STEAM UManitoba**
 - Email: steam@umanitoba.ca
 - Instagram: [@steamumanitoba](#)
- **UMAC (U of M Actuarial Club)**
 - Email: umacexec@gmail.com
 - Instagram: [@umactuarialclub](#)
- **UMULH (U of M Undergraduate Leaders in Healthcare)**
 - Email: executive@umulh.com
 - Instagram: [@um_ulh](#)
- **UMWICS (Women in Computer Science Council)**
 - Email: uofmwics@gmail.com
 - Instagram: [@umwics](#)
- **UMWIC (Working for Inclusion in Chemical Sciences)**
 - Email: wic.manitoba@gmail.com
 - Instagram: [@wicumanitoba](#)
- **Prairie iGEM**
 - Email: igem@umanitoba.ca
 - Instagram: [@prairie_igem](#)

8. UMSU Student Guide:

- **Check out the UMSU Student Guide ([linked here](#)) for a list of all campus-wide resources!**