WHAT IS TERRAPIN TEACHERS?
Terrapin Teachers is an exciting program at the University of Maryland. Participants in Terrapin Teachers are not only prepared to pursue a wide variety of careers in their major areas, but also to teach in middle or high schools. The program is a replication of the nationally known and highly regarded UTeach program that was developed at the University of Texas at Austin. Terrapin Teachers will answer growing local and national needs for highly qualified math and science teachers.

WHAT INITIAL COURSES WILL I TAKE?

TLPL 101
This one-credit course will introduce teaching as a career. You will work with UMD master teachers and experienced public school teachers to develop and implement science or math lessons in local elementary school classrooms.

AFTER YOU SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETE TLPL 101 YOU ARE NOT OBLIGATED TO CONTINUE, BUT IF YOU DO, YOU WILL ENROLL IN...

TLPL 102
In this one-credit course, you will build upon the lesson design and teaching approaches you learned in TLPL 101 and apply them to the middle school level. You will have the opportunity to teach science or math lessons to local middle school children.

DIVERSIFY YOUR CAREER OPTIONS—GRADUATE WITH YOUR SCIENCE OR MATH DEGREE AND ELIGIBILITY FOR CERTIFICATION AS A MIDDLE OR HIGH SCHOOL TEACHER

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