

CHEM 194 SciTrek

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Description

This is a **Pass/No Pass course** that offers **one unit of credit** for completing two modules and five hours of Behind-the-Scenes work with the elementary portion of the SciTrek program.

Before Enrolling in the Course

Go to the **Elementary Schedules** page: scitrek.chem.ucsb.edu/schedules/elementary-schedules

Find two modules that fit with your schedule. It is **critical that you are able to attend all days and times of both modules, including the Orientations.**

Enrolling in the Course

Email the SciTrek Coordinator at scitrekelementary@chem.ucsb.edu to request an add code for CHEM 194 and indicate which two modules you plan to participate in.

Once the coordinator confirms there is space in the modules, you will receive a confirmation email that includes your assigned add code. When enrolling in the course on **GOLD:**

- Select the course listing with **Darby Feldwinn** as the instructor
- Enter your add code in the **approval code** field (not the course code field)

The majority of SciTrek sign-ups occur on the first day of the quarter, and many modules reach mentor capacity quickly. Therefore, signing up for your two modules and registering for the CHEM 194 course before the start of the quarter helps ensure that you can attend the modules that best fit your schedule.

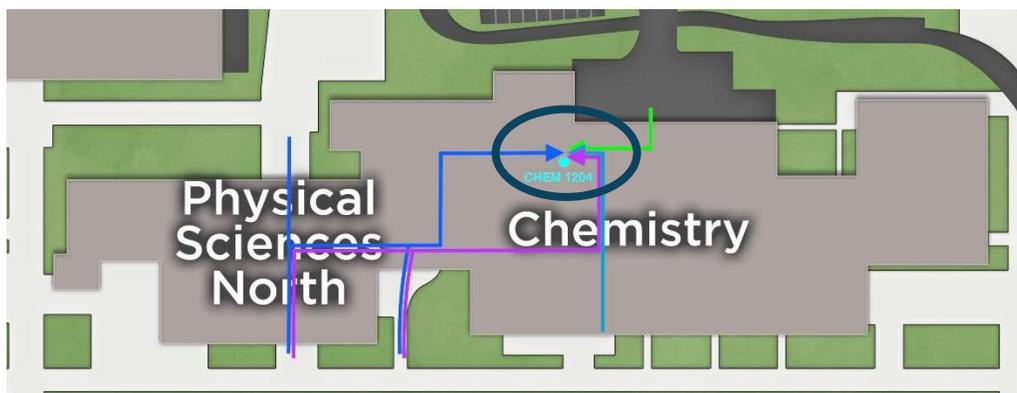
Transportation

The times listed on the website **include transportation**.

For example, if a module is schedule from **8:00 AM – 10:00 AM**, SciTrek will depart from the Chemistry Building at **8:00 AM** in the SciTrek van and return by **10:00 AM**.

SciTrek modules depart from the hallway outside **CHEM 1204** (circled on the map below).

You are **required to use SciTrek transportation**. You **may not** drive yourself or meet SciTrek at the school site.



Grading

You are allowed **two total absences** from Orientations and/or module days. All missed time **must be made up** (see instructions below).

You will receive a No Pass for the course if you:

- Miss **more than two days** (Orientations and module days both count)
- Do **not complete make-up time for absences before Week 10**
- Do not comply with instructions from the CHEM 194 course instructor, SciTrek Coordinator, or other SciTrek staff members

Exceptions to these rules must be pre-approved by the course instructor and are handled on a case-by-case basis.

Make-Up Instructions

Missed Orientation

You must:

1. Complete the **Online Orientation on Canvas BEFORE the start of the module.**
(You will not be allowed to attend the module until this is complete.)
2. Complete **one hour of Behind-the-Scenes work** (see below) **within one week of the Orientation date.**

Note:

If you miss more than 30 minutes of an Orientation, you must make up the missed portion you missed by completing the Online Orientation on Canvas and **1 hour of Behind-the-Scenes work within one week of the Orientation date.** This will not count toward your allowed absences.

Missed Module Day

You must complete **1.5 hours of Behind-the-Scenes work within one week** of the missed day.

Behind-the-Scenes Work

Behind-the-Scenes make-up work may be completed **Monday through Friday from 3:00 PM – 5:00 PM in CHEM 1009.**

When you arrive, tell the student worker that you are there to **make up time for a missed CHEM 194 day.** You will be assigned tasks to help prepare materials that will be sent to schools.

Pre-Professional Hours

If you plan to attend a **Teacher Education Program (TEP)** and need **pre-professional hours**, time spent in Orientations and in the classroom may count toward those hours. **Transportation time does not count.**

To receive pre-professional hour credit, you must complete **additional paperwork.** Please contact the SciTrek Coordinator to obtain the forms.

Volunteer Hours

If you are receiving **course credit for SciTrek**, you may **not count these hours as volunteer hours** for other organizations.