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r/science has reached 20M subscribers! To celebrate, if you have a college degree or higher in a science, get flair indicating your expertise in /r/science!

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THANK YOU, READERS OF [R/SCIENCE](#), FOR HELPING US REACH 20M SUBSCRIBED REDDITORS!

It's been a great path to 20M! Posts on [r/science](#) cover a diverse set of scientific fields; [here is a chart of submissions from this year](#) and [here's the same chart, but weighted by karma](#). We love to have people with expertise in the area comment on these recent scientific developments, and in an effort to highlight comments from these redditors, we have established a system for flairing people to note their expertise. For the curious, here is a breakdown of the [flairs we have assigned by degree](#), and [here is one by area of expertise](#).

SCIENCE VERIFIED USER PROGRAM

[/r/science](#) has a a system of verifying accounts for commenting, enabling trained scientists, doctors and engineers to make credible comments in [/r/science](#). The intent of this program is to enable the general public to distinguish between an educated opinion and a random comment without a background related to the topic.

WHAT FLAIR IS AVAILABLE?

All of the standard science disciplines would be represented, matching those in the sidebar. However, to better inform the public, the level of education is displayed in the flair too. For example, a Professor of biology is tagged as such (Professor- Biology), while a graduate student of biology is tagged as "Grad Student-Biology." Nurses would be tagged differently than doctors, etc...
We give flair for engineering, social sciences, natural sciences and even on occasion music. It's your flair, if you finished a degree in something and you can offer some proof, we'll consider it.
The general format is: Level of education | Field | Speciality or Subfield (optional)
When applying for a flair, please inform us on what you want it to say.

HOW DOES ONE OBTAIN FLAIR?

First, have a college degree or higher in a field that has flair available.
Next, send an email with your information to [redditscienceflair@gmail.com](#) with information that establishes your claim, this can be a photo of your diploma or course registration, a business card, a verifiable email address, or some other identification.
This email address is restricted access, and only mods which actively assign user flair may log in. All information will be kept in confidence and not released to the public under any circumstances. Your email will then be deleted after verification, leaving no record. For added security, you may submit an imgur link and then delete it after verification.
Remember, that within the proof, you must tie your account name to the information in the picture.

WHAT IS EXPECTED OF A VERIFIED ACCOUNT?

We expect a higher level of conduct than a non-verified account, if another user makes inappropriate comments they should report them to the mods who will take appropriate action
Thanks for making [/r/science](#) a better place!

I'm just a lowly Film MFA who likes science a lot, alas.

✎ WRITE A REVIEW

solojones1138

We love science enthusiasts here! <3

BS in Communication?

sassassinX

Yep, we'll give that

Q: How about Economics?

A: Economics is not a science and never will be.

nerbovig

We absolutely will give flair to indicate an expertise in econ!

solojones1138

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