

JMU Noyce Teacher Scholarship Program
Reference form for Spring 2023 applications
Due February 1st, 2023

About the scholarship: The JMU Noyce Teacher Scholarship Program supports students pursuing secondary (grades 6-12) science or mathematics teaching careers. Students in the last two years of their science/mathematics teacher education program are eligible for one year of funding and will receive \$14,000 for tuition and fees. In addition to the financial support, Noyce Scholars participate in a variety of professional learning and development activities. This support continues into their first two years of teaching including one-on-one professional mentorship. Scholars become part of a tight-knit community of fellow Scholars and 10 Noyce faculty representing each of the five departments in the College of Science & Mathematics, and Secondary Education in the College of Education. 2023-2024 scholars are committed to teaching for two years in a high needs school district within 8 years of graduation. For more information, please visit <https://www.jmu.edu/teach-stem/index.shtml>

Instructions: This form is to be completed by a professor, supervisor, former teacher, mentor, etc., who is not a family member of the applicant. Once completed, please send this as an attachment to teachstem@jmu.edu. In order for the applicant to be considered for the program, this form must be received by February 1st, 2023

1. Name of applicant: _____

2. Your name: _____

3. Your title or position: _____

4. Your email address: _____

5. Please describe your relationship with the applicant, including how long you have known the applicant and in what capacity/role:

6. Please estimate the extent to which the applicant has demonstrated the qualities listed below using a scale of 1-4.

1= Below Average

2= Satisfactory

3=Excellent (top 10%)

4= Outstanding (top 2-3%)

N/A = No basis to evaluate

	Quality	Score
A	Content knowledge	
B	Reliability	
C	Responsibility	
D	Engagement	
E	Responsiveness to feedback	
F	Respect and tolerance of others	

7. In the space below, please provide a narrative of the applicant's potential to become a science or mathematics teacher. Please share examples that illuminate your responses to some of the qualities listed in the table above.

Signature: _____

Date: _____