STEM scholarships round 3

Form 2

Teacher support statement for students applying for STEM Scholarships

Please scan and email the completed form.

Completed applications and supporting documents must be received by the Department for Education by 6 September 2019.

You should complete this form and forward with the student application (Form 1) and supporting documents (school report and proof of enrolment) to the school principal who will complete the principal support statement (Form 3).

Please then forward the completed application comprising 3 forms and supporting documents to the STEM Scholarships project team at education.stemscholarships@sa.gov.au

Student applicant details

Family name:

First name:

Student ID number:

The role of the teacher-mentor is to:

- assist the student with preparing and submitting their scholarship application
- monitor the student’s attendance, participation and wellbeing and make available intervention strategies when required
- mentor the student regarding their subject selections, STEM pathways, mentoring programs and careers
- support the student to manage their scholarship funds and Department for Education financial obligations
- be the contact person for the STEM Scholarship Project team and provide all required data (end of term school reports and attendance records) for the duration of the scholarship
- attend the STEM scholarships induction with the student
- consult with Math, Science and Technology teachers to determine student dispositions to STEM learning
- meet regularly with the student and submit reports to the STEM Project Administration Officer.

Teacher-mentor details

Family name:

First name:

Name of school/organisation:

Position:

Postal address:

Mobile phone:

Email address:

How long have you known the applicant?

Have you taught the applicant? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, in what subject area/s?
In the following section, please answer all of the questions to support the student's application.

1. What STEM subjects will the student study in years 11 and 12?

   **Stage 1**
   - ☐ Mathematics (pre Maths Methods or Specialist Maths)
   - ☐ Chemistry
   - ☐ Physics

   **Stage 2**
   - ☐ Mathematical Methods
   - ☐ Mathematics Specialist
   - ☐ Chemistry
   - ☐ Physics

2a. Do you think the student has the motivation and capacity to complete year 12? (Word limit of 200)

3. Please tell us why you think this applicant will benefit from a STEM Scholarship? (Word limit of 250)

4. What kind of support do you think this student might need? (eg academic or other support). (Word limit of 200)

2b. What do you expect they will do after year 12?
5. Please comment on the student's STEM learning capabilities. (Word limit of 200).

6. How do you plan to support the student?
☐ Weekly "check in" meetings
☐ Monitor attendance
☐ Monitor learning achievement
☐ Liaise with appropriate teachers
☐ Provide regular reports to STEM project administration officer

Declaration and signature

I confirm that the information in this form is true and complete, and I understand and accept the conditions of the application set out in this form. I will provide evidence in support of this application where requested.

Name:

Date: