



Robert Noyce Scholarship Application

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General Selection Criteria:

- **Undergraduates:**
 - Must be a Junior or Senior enrolled full time in an undergraduate mathematics or science major and be eligible to enroll in the teacher education program within one semester of receiving the scholarship.
 - Scholarship support is limited to a maximum of two years
- **Graduates:**
 - Must have a baccalaureate degree in mathematics or science.
 - Are required to enroll full time in the M.A.T. program.
 - Scholarship support is limited to a maximum of one year
- Minimum of 2.75 GPA in the subject area and overall
- Must be a U.S. citizen, national, or permanent resident alien
- Two letters of recommendation that indicate potential for success in teaching
- Essay describing: (1) why you want to become a mathematics or science teacher; (2) why you think you will be an effective mathematics/science teacher; (3) why you are well-qualified to meet the high need for mathematics/science teachers; and (4) how you will further your professional development once you become a teacher.
- Must participate in an interview with the Noyce Advisory Committee

Expectations of Noyce Scholars:

- Complete all requirements for teacher licensure in mathematics or science
- Maintain a 2.75 GPA or higher
- Sign an agreement committing to teach full time as a licensed mathematics or science teacher for two years for every year of scholarship support received in a high needs public school as defined by the National Science Foundation within six years of graduating.
- Participate in professional development and enrichment activities provided by UNCP and local LEA (i.e. membership in professional organizations, conducting research, or attending conferences, seminars or workshops).
- After graduation, you are required to attend annual follow-up seminars, participate in career induction activities, and submit required documents, such as employment verification forms, program evaluation forms, and surveys associated with the Robert Noyce Scholarship Program.

Your initial application should contain:

- Fully completed Robert Noyce Scholarship Application Form
- Essay
- Transcripts of all college work
- Resume
- Two letters of recommendation

