

SUNY Geneseo Noyce Teacher Scholarship Application: Personal Statement Guidelines

The Robert Noyce Teacher Scholarship Program at SUNY Geneseo rewards talented science and mathematics majors who want to share their knowledge, skills, and enthusiasm in high-needs school districts as STEM teachers.

TO THE STUDENT:

Please write a personal statement of no more than 600 words addressing the following question:

What motivates you to want to teach science or math to students in a high-needs school?

(In your answer, you should highlight your teamwork, leadership, collaboration, and/or mentoring experiences as well as your experiences working with adolescents and young adults.)

Send your Personal Statement in hard copy or as e-mail attachment to the address below by
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