

Congratulations on being nominated for a STEM Excellence Award! The next step is to complete the application. The following information is what you will need to complete the Nominee Application for a **STEM Excellence Award**.

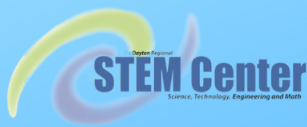
You will need to provide answers for three (3) specific questions. You must also provide at least one (1) and no more than three (3) letters of recommendation. These letters must be submitted in PDF format as an email attachment sent to Marti Baker (Marti.Baker@mcesc.org) **no later than April 21st, 2023**.

Here are the questions:

1. Describe the STEM Education program or project that is the focus of this nomination (**not to exceed 600 words**). The nominated program or project efforts must occur between January of the previous year through January of the current year. Work outside of this timeframe will not be considered as acceptable evidence. (NOTE: Please refrain from using specific names of staff and/or buildings in the description)

The most competitive applications will be those that meet the following criteria:

- Have the greatest degree of alignment with the Dayton Regional STEM Center's nationally recognized STEM Education Quality Framework. (To learn more about the STEM Education Quality Framework and the 10 associated components visit DaytonRegionalSTEMCenter.org and use the search function, key term: SQF. (For a copy of the framework go to this URL: <http://goo.gl/q3SdwM>)
 - Provide as much specific, verifiable information as possible within the stated word limitations.
 - Include time frame of work/programming.
2. What outcomes have resulted based on your program implementation (**not to exceed 200 words**). (Note: Please refrain from using specific names of staff and/or buildings in your response).



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Nominees for the ***STEM Education Leadership and Service Award*** will also answer the following question:

3. Describe the specific ways how your efforts demonstrate your leadership and service from January of the previous year to January of the current year as it applies to STEM Education (not to exceed 200 words). Please refrain from using specific names of staff and/or buildings in your response.

Nominees for the ***Community Collaboration Award*** or ***School-based Collaboration Award*** will also answer the following question:

3. Describe the specific ways how your efforts demonstrate your school-based or community-based collaboration from January of the previous year to January of the current year as it applies to STEM Education (not to exceed 200 words). Please refrain from using specific names of staff and/or buildings in your response.

Please note the application does not autosave.

Once started you must complete the submission or start over.