



Describe any other activities or achievements that might strengthen your application:

**ESSAY QUESTION**

This information will be evaluated in part based on the quality of the writing and the accuracy of spelling and grammar.

**In the space below, please describe your interest in teaching science and/or mathematics.**

How did you first learn about Science and Math Education in ACTION?

Brochure

BGSU Reception

Website

High School teacher

Phone call

Letter

Friend

High School counselor

Other \_\_\_\_\_



## Science and Math Education in ACTION Teacher Reference Letter

*For student applicants to give to a high school math or science teacher*

**Application deadline: January 15, 2010**

**Student name:** \_\_\_\_\_

Dear Science or Math Teacher,

Thank you for taking time to consider writing a reference letter for the above student who is applying for Science and Math Education in ACTION. This innovative scholarship program is for students at BGSU who are considering a career in teaching science or mathematics in any of the grades 4 through 12. Student participants will receive four-year scholarships increasing each year to the amount of \$4,250 senior year. The goal of the program is to prepare college graduates to be exceptionally effective science and/or math teachers.

This four-year program offers unique opportunities during college including a math or science research project, hands-on experience in classrooms, work exposure opportunities and an educational capstone research project. To find out more about this program, feel free to visit our website at [www.bgsu.edu/action](http://www.bgsu.edu/action).

Please give your honest feedback on the above applicant. We are especially interested in information related to their math and/or science skills as well as their potential as a future teacher. Your prompt response is appreciated, as we will not consider the applicant until a reference letter is on file.

On the one-page reference letter, please include:

- Full name of the student applicant
- Your name
- E-mail
- High School
- How long you have known the applicant and in what capacity
- Your comments regarding potential of the above applicant

Submit your letter as an attachment to:  
**action@bgsu.edu**

**OR**

Mail to:  
**ACTION Program**  
**450 Math Science Building**  
**Bowling Green State University**  
**Bowling Green, OH 43403**

If you have any questions, please call the ACTION office at 419-372-6562 or e-mail [action@bgsu.edu](mailto:action@bgsu.edu)