



**MIDWEST ALLIANCE  
IN SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY,  
ENGINEERING AND MATHEMATICS**

As a high school student with a disability who is interested in a science, technology, engineering, or math, you have overcome barriers in order to succeed. Would you like to work with a college or university student with disabilities who is pursuing similar goals? Would you like to work with a college or university student who has first hand experience with transition to higher education, study skills, and accommodations?

You should apply to become a MIDWEST Scholar!

You must:

- be interested in a science, technology, engineering, or mathematics career
- be enrolled in a science, technology, or math courses in high school
- be a student with a verifiable disability
- be a U.S. citizen

As a MIDWEST Scholar you will be matched with a MIDWEST Mentor with a similar disability and career interest. You will be assigned to one of three communication groups and communicate with your mentor in one of the following ways:

Face-to-Face: The MIDWEST Mentor will come to your school once a month to meet with you.

Computer-Mediated-Communication: You will meet with your Mentor through the internet, using chat rooms or e-mail.

Hybrid: You will meet with your Mentor during face-to-face sessions at your school, and through the internet.

To apply to be a MIDWEST Scholar, submit the following materials:

- Scholar Application**
  - Please see attached sheet.
- One-Page Cover Letter**

In two to three paragraphs, please tell us about yourself. Why are you applying? What goals do you have for college and career?
- Verification of Disability**

Documents indicating you have received accommodations while in high school. A copy of your IEP would be sufficient.
- Proof of Enrollment**

A copy of your current class schedule would be suitable.
- Transcript**

This should be a recent copy of your transcript.

Then, submit the packet to:

MIDWEST Alliance in STEM—Mentorship Program  
427 Goodnight Hall  
1975 Willow Drive  
Madison, WI 53706



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Mentorship Program: **Scholar Application**

**Personal Information:**

\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
Name (Please Print) Date of Birth (MM/DD/YY) Gender (M or F)

Local Mailing Address

\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_(\_\_\_\_\_)\_\_\_\_\_  
City State Zip Phone Voice/TDD: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address

Primary Disability: \_\_\_\_\_/Secondary Disability: \_\_\_\_\_  
(OPTIONAL—information will ONLY be used to match you with a Mentor)

**High School Information:**

High School

\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
City State Zip

Major/Field of Study

Check one: Junior \_\_\_\_\_ Senior \_\_\_\_\_  
Anticipated Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_

As a MIDWEST Scholar, I understand that I will be communicating with Mentor on a regular basis. I understand that this program is designed to support and to enhance my academic endeavors.

**I acknowledge that I have read and understand my responsibilities as a MIDWEST Scholar.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature Date

**I consent to let my son or daughter participate in the mentorship program as a MIDWEST Scholar.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature Date

**Parents or Guardians—Please complete the following:**

Phone (Work): \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (Work): \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (Cell): \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (Cell): \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_