

CSUB Math and Science Teacher Initiative Recommendation Form



Applicant's Name _____ CSUB ID _____

To the recommender:

The Math and Science Teacher Initiative program is designed to increase the number of highly qualified prospective middle or high school math or science teachers graduating from CSUB. Students will be part of a prestigious program that will help them receive the best education in preparation to be a middle or high school math/science teacher.

Please attach this form to a statement about the applicant. In your letter, we would like you to answer the following questions:

1. How long have you known the applicant and in what capacity?
2. Why do you think this person would be a successful math/science teacher?
3. Evaluate the applicant's academic aptitude.

On the scale below, please rate the applicant by circling the appropriate descriptor.

Collaboration: The applicant works effectively with others.	Strong	Average	Below average	Not Observed
Reflective: The applicant demonstrates problem solving and critical thinking skills.	Strong	Average	Below average	Not Observed
Ethical: The applicant demonstrates ethical behavior, including integrity towards academics, obligations, and responsibilities.	Strong	Average	Below average	Not Observed
Student/Peer Centered: The applicant makes connections between and among individuals and maintains trusting relationships.	Strong	Average	Below average	Not Observed
Leadership Ability: The applicant demonstrates leadership skills such as effective communication and organization.	Strong	Average	Below average	Not Observed
Academic Competence: The applicant demonstrates the potential to positively impact 7-12 learners of math and science.	Strong	Average	Below average	Not Observed

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Name: _____

Title: _____

Address: _____

Phone: (____) _____

Please mail this form directly to Jesus Esquibel CSUB Math and Science Teacher Initiative, 9001 Stockdale Hwy, Education Building, Bakersfield, CA 93311 as soon as possible or seal in an envelope with the seal signed and give back to the student. If you have any questions, please contact Jesus Esquibel at (661) 654-3908 or via email at jesquibel@csub.edu