

SPONSOR'S SUPPORTING STATEMENT

Name of Student

Name of Sponsor

Thank you for being willing to act as an Honors Project Sponsor. Your contribution to students' independent studies is a vital part of the Honors Program and we appreciate your time and expertise.

In agreeing to be an Honors Project Sponsor, you commit to:

- Help to shape and refine development of the student's Honors Project Proposal.
- Assist the student in meeting the learning outcomes you have both identified.
- Offer advice and guidance as the project develops.
- Meet with the student regularly, or as often as agreed, to discuss progress.
- Evaluate and grade the process of the project, its deliverable(s), and the presentation.
- Attend the student's presentation at the annual Honors Project Showcase.

Please offer an evaluation of the student's proposal by completing the questions below.

Have you confirmed with the student that this project is well-defined and able to be completed within the timeframe?

Yes No Maybe

Can you confirm the project is sufficiently challenging to qualify as Honors work?

Yes No Maybe

Does the scope of the project and the time commitment involved warrant the credits requested? (3 credits=10 hours/week; 6 credits=20 hours/week)

Yes No

What portions of the project, if any, represent original work?

In light of the need for you to submit a final grade for this student's project, how do you intend to evaluate the project?

How often do you plan to meet with the student?

Weekly Bi-weekly Occasional No plan yet

Please indicate any reservations you have about the ability of the student to do the proposed work.

Is this the *first time* you have sponsored an Honors project?

Yes

No

Honors acknowledges all sponsors at the conclusion of the project, and we look forward to welcoming you to the final showcase on May 1st to celebrate the students' achievements!

Sponsor's Signature

Date

Department

Phone

Email