Suggestions for a Nominee of an ACESS STEM Scholarship

University faculty members nominate a number of students for the ACESS STEM scholarships but only a few can be given a scholarship. To help ACESS decide which students should be awarded scholarships, each nominee can add his/her own statement. Here are suggestions for items that a nominee may want to include in that statement.

The beginning of a nominee's statement should show these items:

Name:
Student ID Number:
E-Mail Address:
Major(s):
Expected Graduation Date:

Then an optional paragraph titled **Experiences Before Entering College** with items like science fair projects, participation in competitions like MathCounts, and First Lego League, certificates of achievement and other awards, favorite classes in school, jobs outside of school; and other relevant experiences. This paragraph can be as long as needed.

Then an optional paragraph titled **Experiences While in College** with items like reasons for picking a major, participation in Internships, Co-op Programs, etc., other jobs outside of college, participations in student groups, and other relevant experiences. This paragraph can be as long as needed.

Then an optional paragraph titled **Career Objectives** like getting a job, going to graduate school, starting your own business, and other relevant items. This paragraph can be as long as needed.

Then an optional paragraph titled **Financial Need** with items like college expenses, other living expenses, outstanding student loan debt, and other relevant items. This paragraph can be as long as needed.

On or before Monday, March 30, 2015: Send e-mail to scholarships@acessinc.org with your name in the **Subject Line** and your statement attached. Other items can also be attached to the e-mail.

Send e-mail to **kbatcher@kent.edu** if you have any questions. K. E. Batcher – Chairman, ACESS Education Committee – 3/14/2015