

David Li

Dear Mrs. Murphy,

In 7th grade when I first moved here and attended Skyridge, I did not know what Science Olympiad was. However, there was a real buzz among my newly met friend group how we, the Skyridge Scioly team, are planning to make nationals next year. I decided to join and see what my friends are all excited about. I attended the clubhouses, which was a great experience for me to find a community of common-minded people, especially since I was new. Scioly also gave us a great opportunity to explore various fields and topics, and also rewarding curiosity, creativity, and hard work with medals in tournaments. Participating in tournaments was also an exciting mix of strategic planning, adrenaline, and comradery. Over time, I've realized Scioly is more than placements and medals, it's the journey, the memories, and the experiences that last long (this is cliché but it's true!). It's safe to say Scioly changed my life, giving me new knowledge, new interests and new friends. Coaches, parents, and various volunteers are what makes Scioly run. Therefore, I'd love to give back to Scioly by being a student advisor.

I've dedicated time, passion and effort to Scioly for more than four years at this point, so I'm familiar with how various events and processes work, and my passion for engineering and science have driven me to explore beyond the basic curriculum through AP classes and summer projects. I've also co-wrote the B division tests at Camas Invite, regional and state tournaments. Overall, I believe I would have the necessary knowledge to provide potential feedback for events or tests as student advisor. Additionally, as an ASB representative of our magnet program and the vice president of our coding club, I've honed in my communication skills, serving as an effective liaison between teacher and student as well as . I've also successfully co-hosted events at our Scioly elementary school day camps as well as programming workshops for the coding club, demonstrating my organizational and coordination skills.

Thank you for your consideration!

Sincerely,
David Li