

## SOCIETY OF WOMEN ENGINEERS



SWE – Pikes Peak Section  
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Dear Science Dept. Head, Principal, or Guidance Counselor:

Each year the Society of Women Engineers (SWE) awards, upon teacher or counselor recommendation, female students in each high school with Certificates of Merit. The certificates have recently changed and are now embossed with the student's name, date of award, and recognizes outstanding achievement in both mathematics and science. (There is no longer a three-year requirement and we will not designate levels of Honor) We will recognize up to two students. If you would like to join the nearly 500 schools who participate in this award throughout Colorado and Wyoming, please complete and return the enclosed nomination form. Certificates will be mailed to your school before your awards ceremony or graduation date. Requests for certificates should be returned at least 2 weeks before you require them, or as soon as possible.

If you would like a SWE member to present the award to your students, please indicate so on the nomination form. We regret that we may not have volunteers available to present the awards at your ceremony, however we will do our best to arrange a presenter.

The Society of Women Engineers is a non-profit organization, funded entirely by its members and donations, whose mission is to support women engineers, engineering students, and potential future engineers. The Certificates of Merit program, along with scholarship and mentoring programs, are some of the ways the Society tries to encourage students to consider engineering as a field of study in college.

Thank you for your interest. We look forward to providing these awards for your students.

Sincerely,

Brenda Wolfe  
Certificates of Merit Chair