Student Sample Letter to your Representative or Senator:

Your name Your address

Date

Representative or Senator XXX Address

Dear Representative/Senator XXX:

I am a ______ (your year) at the ______ (name of your college/university) and have been awarded an scholarship /fellowship for ______ (amount) from the Wisconsin Space Grant Consortium for academic achievement in ______ (your major). I am a graduate of _______ (high school) in (______city, state). I am very pleased to receive this award and want to thank you for providing the funding for this prestigious program in support of basic science and engineering education.

The National Space Grant College and Fellowship Program (Space Grant) had its start in 1990 when the Congress called for the improvement of science and math education nationwide. The Space Grant program was established within NASA to help address this need. Since then it has provided fellowships and scholarships for undergraduate and graduate students, supported K-12 curriculum development and professional development, and facilitated interaction among faculty and NASA scientists and engineers.

I hope that the U.S. Congress will continue to support the contributions of the Wisconsin Space Grant Consortium to basic science, technology, engineering, and mathematics literacy which is essential to our nation's success.

Sincerely,

Your Name

cc: Wisconsin Space Grant Consortium spacegrant@carthage.edu