ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE AWARD FACULTY NOMINATION CHALLENGE FOR EXCEPTION FORM

CRITERIA FOR STUDENT ELIGIBILITY TO RECEIVE ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE AWARD INCLUDES:

- Completion of a minimum of 30 units at Cerritos College with a 3.5 grade point average or higher.
- Completion of nine units in the area of recognition with a 3.5 grade point average or higher.
- Enrolled in a minimum of 2 units during the Fall semester.
- The recommendation of a faculty member in the area of recognition.

If a student you wish to nominate does not meet the above **bolded** criteria, you may submit this form along with your Academic Excellence Award Nomination Form to the committee for consideration of exception. Remaining requirements are no exception.

In order for a student to be considered for the award as an exception, they must fulfill the following criteria:

 An average GPA of 3.5 or higher when combining cumulative GPA with nomination area GPA (For example, if a student has a 3.3 cumulative GPA, then that student must have earned at least a 3.7 GPA in the nomination area in order to meet this exception criteria)

(OPTIONAL) IN ADDITION TO YOUR NARRATIVE, PLEASE EXPLAIN YOUR REASONING FOR THIS CHALLENGE FOR EXCEPTION (75 WORDS OR LESS):

DIVISION	Signature of Nominating Faculty Member	Date