



DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA STATE ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION
SY 14-15 STUDENT ATHLETE ESSAY APPLICATION

Purpose of Scholarship:

Each scholarship recognizes the distinguished academic, leadership and sportsmanship achievements of District of Columbia high school female and male student athletes and the positive influence of athletics in each student's life.

Criteria:

1. Applicant must demonstrate the following:
 - A. Earned a minimum of a cumulative 3.0 grade point average;
 - B. Played at the varsity level in a DCSAA championship sport for at least two years;
 - C. Acceptance to an accredited college/university or trade school with enrollment on a full-time basis beginning no later than January 2016;
2. Applicant must complete and submit attached scholarship application, along with supporting materials, no later than 4:00 p.m. on April 17, 2015.
3. Applicant must provide a letter of recommendation from high school administrator (e.g. principal, academic counselor).
4. Applicant's high school principal and athletic director must sign the application to ensure that the academic and athletic information submitted is accurate.

Applicant must attend a member school of the District of Columbia State Athletic Association and be in compliance with all rules and regulations set forth in 5 DCMR A § 5001.1 and those governing eligible non-residents.

Completed applications and supporting materials must be submitted, no later than 4:00 p.m. on April 17, 2015, via U.S. mail or in person. The address for submissions is:

District of Columbia State Athletic Association
Office of the State Superintendent of Education
Government of the District of Columbia
810 First Street, NE, 4th Floor
Washington, DC 20002





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Payment of Scholarship Funds:

1. In order for scholarship funds to be provided directly to the accredited college/university or trade school, the following documents must be provided to the D.C. State Athletic Association by December 31, 2015:
 - A. An official copy from the Registrar's Office verifying enrollment and number of credit hours.
 - B. An official copy from the Finance Office of the student's bill.
 - C. Student College/University Identification #
 - D. Mailing address for the accredited University/College where the scholarship award will be sent.
2. ***All scholarship funds will be applied directly to student accounts to cover tuition and fees, room and board and books at an accredited college/university or trade school. No funds will be disbursed to students or families.***
3. ***All scholarship funds not claimed by 4:00 p.m., December 31, 2015 will be forfeited.***



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BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION (PLEASE TYPE or PRINT CLEARLY)

HIGH SCHOOL SPORT(S) PLAYED _____			
High School _____			
Cumulative GPA _____			
Legal Name _____	Home Phone _____	Male ___	Female ___
Home Address _____		_____	_____
	Street	City	State
Zip _____			
Email Address _____		Cell Phone _____	

LEADERSHIP:

Please identify all high school clubs and organizations you have been involved in, including your specific areas of contribution and any leadership positions held.

Please identify all community groups or organizations you have been involved in, including your specific areas of contribution and any leadership positions held.

Please identify all community service activities and volunteer positions held, which may or may not be associated with your high school.



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Principal Signature

Athletic Director Signature

Please Print Name

Please Print Name

SPORTSMANSHIP:

Briefly describe (250 words or less and double spaced) the meaning of sportsmanship to you. Cite one unique personal sportsmanship experience that made a positive impact on you, an opponent, your team, your high school or your community.

ESSAY:

Please write an essay answering the following question (400 words or less and double spaced):
"How has high school athletics positively impacted your life?"