

Quick Guide: Completing the Former Student-Athlete Degree Achievement Program Application

Former Student-Athlete Degree Achievement Program.

In August 2018, the NCAA Division I Board of Directors adopted legislation that require institutions to provide degree completion funding to former men's and women's basketball players beginning fall 2019. The Board established a fund for limited resource institutions to fund degree completion. Institutions defined as Limited Resource Institutions within the past five years are eligible for funding. For institutions eligible for the Former Student-Athlete Degree Achievement Program, the application period opens April 1, 2019.

Criteria to be eligible to apply for the fund:

- Participated in the sports of men's or women's basketball;
- Received athletics aid;
- Previously enrolled for at least two years;
- Met NCAA progress-toward-degree requirements when student-athlete departed campus;
- Has not attended another institution full time since departure;
- Met institution's re-admission and financial aid requirements;
- Departed institution within 10 years; and
- Exhausted other degree completion funding options (e.g. National Basketball Association Tuition Reimbursement).

How to Apply:

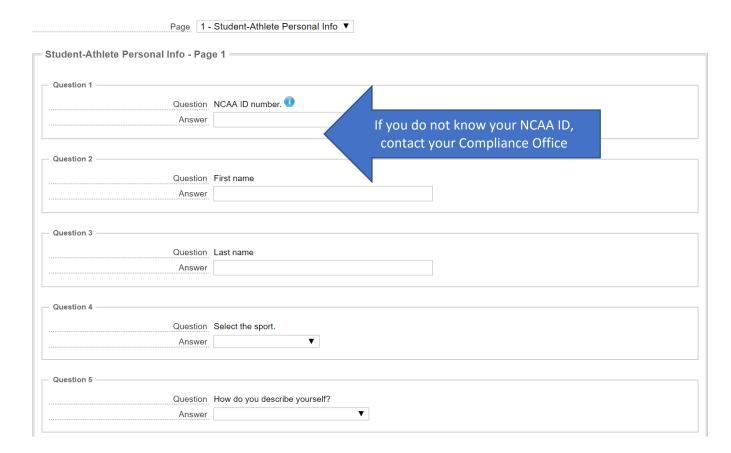
Your institution must initiate the application process by nominating you to complete the application. Once you have been nominated, you will receive an email notification with a link to the application.

Information you will need to complete your application:

- Official transcript;
- Degree audit;
- Number of credits remaining to complete degree;
- List of courses remaining to complete graduation; and
- Cost of tuition, fees, books for term funding is being requested for.

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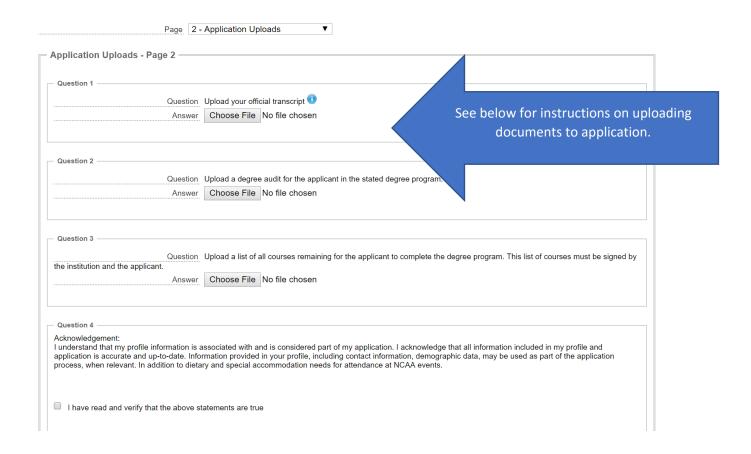
The application begins with a series of questions to collect personal information:



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	Question	Have fewer than 10 years elapsed since your departure from the institution?	
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Question 9			
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	Answer		
			Please only include hours complete
Question 10 ————			that count towards graduatio
		Hours completed toward undergraduate degree.	Answer to questions 10 + 11 shou
	Answer		equal the total hours required for
			graduation.
Question 11 ————			*Note – you will ONLY be funded f
		Number of hours remaining towards earning the degree?	hours remaining to complete prima
	Answer		degree.
Question 12			
		Expected undergraduate degree completion date	
	Answer		
Question 13			,
	Question	List your major(s) 1	
	Answer		

*Note – You will ONLY be funded for hours remaining to complete primary undergraduate degree. Be sure you carefully review your degree completion plan with your Academic Advisor.



- Save PDF file to your computer that you will be using to complete application.
- Click on "Choose File".



- You CANNOT upload multiple documents. One of the uploads requires signatures from two different individuals. Please get signatures from both individuals prior to uploading the document.
- Applications submitted with any missing signatures will be considered incomplete.

For questions regarding the application, please contact Marcus Brown at mabrown@ncaa.org.