



## REGION 16 YOUTH ATHLETICS ASSOCIATION

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**Purpose:** Region 16 awards scholarships to college bound high school seniors that strive for excellence, demonstrate academic & athletic achievement, while developing a commitment to teamwork and service to the community.

**Criteria:**

1. The students eligible for the scholarship must be a graduating high school senior who resides in Region 16 - (AR, MO Valley or OK)
2. Continuing their education at a two or four year college/university or enlisting into a branch of the military. Must include acceptance letter to college or letter of enlistment and to which branch of the military.
3. Consideration will be given to academic achievement with a minimum GPA of 2.5. Must show proof with most recent grade card.
4. Must be a current member of AAU.
5. Write a short essay about "How sports have changed your life?"
6. One letter of recommendation from a high school teacher, counselor, coach or a church member.

**Guidelines:** Scholarship recipients will be announced at the Regional Qualifier Meet on the first full day of the open Track & Field Day.

**Amount:** There will be six scholarships given out in the amount of \$250.00. A scholarship will be given to a male and female athlete from each district in Region 16.

**Deadline:** The application deadline is **June 17**.

Email applications to:

[R16scholarships@gmail.com](mailto:R16scholarships@gmail.com)



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**If application is illegible it will not be reviewed please write so we can read.**

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address:

Street: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Telephone Number: (     ) \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Current High School: \_\_\_\_\_

Graduation date: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade Point Average (GPA): \_\_\_\_\_ (On a 4.0 scale)

**Attach proof of GPA: your most recent grade card required.**

List Colleges you have applied to:

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_

Colleges you have been accepted to:

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_



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What specialty/major do you plan to major in as you continue your education?

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**Please list the following information on a separate sheet if needed.**

**SCHOOL EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES:** Please list school extra-curricular activities in which you have participated. Note leadership roles.

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**ORGANIZATIONS:** Please list community organizations such as service, volunteer and religious organizations in which you are now active or have previously been active. Note leadership roles.

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**RECOGNITIONS:** Please list important awards and recognitions received. Note organizations presenting honor.

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The following items must be submitted with this application in order for the application to qualify to be reviewed by the scholarship committee. Your application will not be reviewed if these items are not submitted with the application. (No exceptions.)

Circle “YES” or “NO” to be sure you have submitted each item as required.

Yes	NO	Graduating High School Senior from Region 16 residing in Arkansas, Missouri Valley or Oklahoma.
Yes	NO	One letter of recommendation from a high school teacher, counselor, coach or a church member
YES	NO	Acceptance letter from a two/four year college or enlistment letter to a branch of the military
YES	NO	Most current grade card showing minimum GPA of 2.5
YES	NO	250 – 500 word essay about “How sports have changed your life.”

**STATEMENT OF ACCURACY**

I hereby affirm that all the above stated information provided by me to the Region 16 Scholarship Committee is true, correct and without forgery. I hereby understand that if chosen as a scholarship winner, I must provide evidence of enrollment/registration at the post-secondary institution of my choice before scholarship funds can be awarded.

Signature of scholarship applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**The deadline for this application to be received by the Region 16 Scholarship Committee by June 12 to [r16scholarships@gmail.com](mailto:r16scholarships@gmail.com)**

**No exceptions!**