

ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT STAFF DIRECTORY

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CRITERIA FOR EARNING A VARSITY AWARD

Basketball Soccer Volleyball	- Participate in 1/3 of the varsity contests
Cross Country Golf Tennis	- Participate as a scoring entrant in 1/3 of the varsity contests
Baseball Softball	- Participate in 1/3 of the varsity contests as a position player
	- As a pitcher, pitch at least 10% of the total innings during the season
Track	- Participate in 1/3 of the meets and score at least 10 pts during the season

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NATIONAL COLLEGE ATHLETE HONOR SOCIETY

CHI ALPHA SIGMA

Huntington University is a member of Chi Alpha Sigma. It is an honor society designed to give recognition to college student-athletes who excel both academically and athletically. The society also serves to promote good citizenship, moral character, and leadership.

Induction criteria includes:

- Cumulative grade point average of 3.5 or higher
- Varsity sport letter winner
- Junior or senior academic and athletic standing

MEDICAL PROTOCOL

The University provides NATA-certified athletic training for all University-sponsored athletics. All athletes must have a medical examination form, signed by a licensed physician and an insurance form on file prior to participation in a practice or contest.

Huntington University physical, insurance and consent to release medical information forms are located on the university's website at www.huntington.edu/athletics/training/default.htm

For more information about medical protocol, call 260-359-4287 or 260-359-4026.

NOTICE: A report detailing undergraduate enrollment by ethnic group and enrollment of students receiving athletic aid is available upon request from the Registrar's Office or can be found on our web site at www.huntington.edu/registrar/athleticaid.htm. For more information, you may call 260-359-4010.



A GUIDE FOR STUDENT-ATHLETES

FORESTER FACTS

- Member of National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics (NAIA)
- Member of the Mid-Central College Conference with Bethel, Goshen, Grace, Indiana Wesleyan, Marian, Saint Francis, Spring Arbor, and Taylor
- Sponsor 14 varsity sports: men's baseball, basketball, cross country, golf, soccer, tennis, track; women's basketball, cross country, soccer, softball, tennis, track, volleyball
- Mascot is "Norm the Forester", a lumberjack-type guy

ATHLETIC MISSION STATEMENT

Serving Christ through the Development of
Teamwork, Discipline, Commitment, and
Determination

NAIA ATHLETIC ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

Entering freshmen must meet two of the following three criteria in order to be eligible to participate:

- 2.0 high school cumulative gpa
- top half of his/her graduating class
- minimum of 18 on ACT or a minimum of 860 on SAT (math and verbal portions)

To participate in a **2nd season** of competition, the athlete must have **24 institutional credit hours** accumulated.

To participate in a **3rd season** of competition, the athlete must have **48 institutional credit hours** accumulated. To compete as a junior, he/she must have a cumulative gpa of 2.0.

To participate in a **4th season** of competition, the athlete must have **72 institutional credit hours** accumulated. To compete as a senior, he/she must have a cumulative gpa of 2.0.

Transfer students must meet the above-mentioned requirements as well as several others. If you are a transfer student interested in Huntington University, you must immediately notify HU's coach or Athletic Director of where you previously have been enrolled.

To participate in any given semester, the student-athlete must:

- be enrolled in at least 12 institutional credit hours at the time of participation.
- be making normal progress toward a recognized baccalaureate degree.
- be in good standing academically and socially at Huntington University.

HUNTINGTON UNIVERSITY POLICIES

ACADEMIC ELIGIBILITY

In order for student-athletes to avoid being placed on academic probation and thereby becoming ineligible, they must maintain the following cumulative gpa based on the number of credit hours they have attempted:

- 1.70 gpa	Less than 26 hours attempted
- 1.80 gpa	26 but less than 42 hours
- 1.90 gpa	42 but less than 58 hours
- 2.00 gpa	58 or more hours

Students placed on academic probation are immediately ineligible to participate in intercollegiate contests and may not attend practices. Release from academic probation and recertification of eligibility are required before participation may resume.

FINANCIAL AID

Huntington University offers a variety of types of financial aid. Many of the institutionally controlled types of aid require entering freshmen to meet certain requirements in order to be an eligible recipient.

Athletic awards are performance based and amounts are recommended by coaches to the Financial Aid Director. Entering freshmen must have earned at least a 2.3 gpa to be eligible to receive an athletic award.

Renewal of athletic awards in subsequent years is dependent upon the coach's recommendation and the student-athlete's maintenance of a 2.0 cumulative gpa.

For more information about financial aid, call 260-359-4015 or 1-800-642-6493.

NAIA FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE POLICY

Article II, Section B, Paragraph 2:

Any financial aid or assistance to prospective or enrolled students in money or in-kind, except that which comes from members of their immediate family or from those upon whom they are legally dependent, shall be administered by the institution under policies and procedures established by the institution through its regularly constituted committee on student loans and scholarships. Under no conditions may an individual or organization provide direct financial assistance to a previously enrolled or prospective student.

Council of Presidents Policies, Section XI, Items A. and E.:

The NAIA recognizes the importance of booster clubs, and similar support groups, to the institution and to the community, provided such assistance is rendered in an educationally sound manner.

The NAIA requires each institution to have complete control over all funds being used to assist the institution's athletic programs. Non-school supporting organizations or individuals **cannot** give any financial assistance, in-kind or in money, to any prospective or current student-athlete nor to the student's family or relatives.

In the fall semester of each year, student-athletes will be required to attend a meeting in which NAIA policy and guidelines are explained. Student-athletes will receive a written policy statement explaining NAIA regulations. Students will agree to comply with such regulations as a condition of participating in intercollegiate athletics.