

Western Illinois University Kinesiology Department  
Scholarship Application For

**Matthew McGuinness Scholarship**

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**Scholarship Criteria:**

- 1) 2.75 GPA after 24 semester hours completed at WIU
- 2) Non-traditional undergraduate student (25 years or older)
- 3) Male
- 4) Evidence of involvement in community

**Application Due Date:** March 15th

**Submit Completed Application To:** Kinesiology Department  
Brophy Hall 212  
Western Illinois University  
1 University Circle  
Macomb, IL 61455

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**PLEASE TYPE INFORMATION**

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

WIU ID #: \_\_\_\_\_ Academic Major: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: M F  
Mo. Day Yr.

Cumulative Grade Point Average: \_\_\_\_\_ Academic Standing: Fr So Jr Sr

Number of Semesters Completed: \_\_\_\_\_ Completed Semester Hours: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Local Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street  
City State Zip Code

Current Local Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Area Code)

Current Permanent Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street  
City State Zip Code

Current Permanent Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Area Code)

**Organizations/Clubs:** List all memberships in collegiate and/or community organizations and positions held within the organization. Also list the year(s) elected or appointed to each office position. If more space is needed, attach an additional sheet.

Example: Phi Epsilon Sigma	Member	2002-2004
	Vice President	2003-2004

Organization	Position(s)	Dates

**Extra-Curricular Activities:** List all collegiate and community extra-curricular activities you participated in during your freshman, sophomore, junior, and senior years. Also list any leadership positions (i.e. Team Captain) you held while participating in these activities. If more space is needed, attach an additional sheet.

Activity	Leadership Position(s)	Dates

**Awards/Honors:** List all collegiate and community awards/honors you received during your freshman, sophomore, junior, and senior years. Please include the agency/organization you received the award from. If more space is needed, attach an additional sheet.

Award/Honor	Agency/Organization	Dates

**Community Volunteer Activities:** List all community volunteer activities you have participated in during the last three years. Please indicate the year(s) for each volunteer activity. If more space is needed, attach an additional sheet.

Example:	Bell Ringer	Salvation Army	December 2002
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Activity	Agency/Organization	Date

**Employment:** List any paying jobs you held while attending college. If you did not hold a job, please indicated “NONE.” If more space is needed, attach an additional sheet.

Position Title/Job Description	Employer	Date	Hours per Week

**Personal Statement:** Please provide your personal statement in response to the following questions: (If more space is needed, attach an additional sheet)

1) **Why have you chosen to major in Kinesiology (Athletic Training, Exercise Science, or Physical Education Teacher Education) and how do you plan to use this degree in your future professional career?**

2) **Why should you be selected as the recipient of this scholarship?**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Student's Signature**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date**

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Application submitted on/before March 15th  
 Application complete  
 Applicant meet required scholarship criteria

Scholarship Awarded  
 Scholarship Denied  
 Decision Letter Mailed by:

**Initials:**

**Date:**