

## BU Sport Scholarship application and selection process

The details below will help you understand whether you meet the necessary levels to be awarded a BU Sport Scholarship and to understand the process that will be followed.

If successful, you may be awarded a combination of financial and/or support services depending on your need, level and experience. You should indicate the support required in your application.

### Criteria

To be awarded a financial and/or a support services scholarship, you must:

Be a student at Bournemouth University who has received and accepted an offer of a place on an undergraduate or postgraduate course and have completed a minimum of 60 credits per year

Demonstrate excellence in your chosen sport, be part of a Regional, National and/or International squad and compete at this level (individual athletes will also need to be competitive with top performers within the BUCS programme)

Commit to continue to develop in the sporting arena in all aspects of Technical, Tactical, Physical, Mental and Lifestyle of your sport and to engage fully with our support programmes

Ensure your application is supported by an online reference from a High Performance Coach or National Governing Body coach. If you are applying for a sport that sits outside our performance BUCS programme, you will need to ensure that two references are sent alongside your application.

### Selection process

You need to complete the online application and ensure the relevant reference form(s) is submitted

The deadline for applications is 31 August (for September entry) or 30 November (for January entry)

There will be an initial panel meeting 10 days after the closing date and outcomes of any awards will be communicated within 7 days and/or further clarification given if required

You will be ranked on merit as determined by the panel based on:

- i. Reaching the minimum standards of the criteria
- ii. Evidencing and/or showing the ability in completing all responsibilities
- iii. Comments from the referee(s)
- iv. Ability to compete in BUCS recognised sport
- v. Whether you are in a Junior and/or Senior National/International squad and

## Responsibilities

To maintain a strong engagement with all aspects of your academic pathway and form good relationships with lecturers and course leaders

Compete for BU in BUCS Domestic Championships and represent English Universities or British Universities when selected

Always portray BU and SportBU in a positive light and wear the SportBU kit at all competitions and photo opportunities

Attend pre-season training which would start in the 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> week of September

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