

[Your Name]  
[Your Address]  
[City, State, Zip Code]  
[Your Email Address]  
[Your Phone Number]  
[Date]  
[Coach's Name]  
[University/College Name]  
[Athletic Department Address]  
[City, State, Zip Code]

Dear Coach [Coach's Last Name],  
I hope this letter finds you well. My name is [Your Name], and I am a [Your Year, e.g., senior] at [Your High School Name] in [City/State]. I am writing to express my interest in the opportunity to compete at the collegiate level while pursuing an education at [University/College Name].

As a dedicated basketball player, I have had the privilege to [briefly mention any relevant achievements, e.g., captain of the team, awards, statistics]. My passion for the game, combined with my commitment to academic excellence, has shaped my desire to further my career in basketball and education.

I am particularly impressed by [mention any specific programs or values of the university/college, e.g., team success, coaching philosophy, academic support]. I believe that [University/College Name] aligns perfectly with my aspirations, both on and off the court.

I would be grateful for the opportunity to discuss the potential of joining your program and how I can contribute to the team's success. Thank you for considering my application for an athletic scholarship. I look forward to the possibility of hearing from you soon.

Sincerely,  
[Your Name]  
[Your High School Name]