



Alice Morgan Love Scholarship Application – Fall 2009

This fall, the Department of Kinesiology will be awarding Alice Morgan Love Scholarships to help junior and senior Physical Education and Kinesiological Sciences majors at the University of Maryland, College Park. In order to be considered for this scholarship you must submit a complete application (see below).

The scholarship recipients will be awarded a \$2500 scholarship that can be used for tuition and fees. The course(s) must be taken at the University of Maryland.

What is the Alice Morgan Love Scholarship?

Dr. Alice Morgan Love was a pedagogy professor in the department who died at a very young age. To honor Dr. Love, her friends, family, and colleagues, established a scholarship in her name. This fund was designated for students studying to be physical education teachers. The scholarship has been awarded in the past to incoming freshmen with excellent potential as a physical educator. In the last few years, the Department has used money from the Love fund to help physical education majors during student teaching. This fall we are using the money to help Physical Education and Kinesiological Sciences majors complete courses that will help them toward graduation.

Who is eligible for the scholarship?

All juniors and seniors in the Physical Education or Kinesiological Sciences Major who:

- a. Hold a minimum GPA of 3.0 or higher at the moment of application
- b. Have financial needs
- c. Have taken 15 or more credits of KNES courses

How to apply?

Students who are eligible to the scholarship must submit by **e-mail**:

- 1) One page application letter (*business format*) addressed to Dr. Ana Palla-Kane, Department of Kinesiology, Director of Undergraduate Programs. In the letter applicants need include:
 - Career goals and commitment to major
 - How this scholarship will contribute to the completion of your program
 - Statement of financial need (i.e., statement that FAFSA form is on file with the Financial Aid office on campus)
 - Number of the courses you will be taking if you are awarded the scholarship
 - Number of credits needed to graduate
- 2) Resume (including student ID, email address and current GPA)

Selection Criteria

Applications will be evaluated based on the following criteria:

1. GPA
2. Statement of financial needs
3. Number of credits left to Graduate. Priority will be given to students who have fewer credits to graduate.
4. Students taking required courses for the first time. (*Students who are repeating a course are eligible to apply if they hold a 3.0 GPA higher*).
5. Commitment to Kinesiology and/or Physical Education based on application letter and resume.

How to submit your application?

Complete applications must be submitted by **e-mail** to Dr. Ana Palla-Kane (anapalla@umd.edu). Please compile all your application materials in **one file** (PDF format) and submit it by e-mail as an attachment. In the "subject field" of your message include: "Your Full Name - Fall09 Scholarship Application".

Deadline: **Friday August 7th, 2009**

Students awarded the Alice Morgan Love Scholarship will be notified by Friday August 14th, 2009. Funds will be deposited in the awardee's student account and may be used only for the courses specified in the application.

If you have questions or need assistance applying for this scholarship contact:

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