

MISSION STATEMENT

The Student Athlete Support Services Staff focuses all collective resources in support of the academic, personal and interpersonal development of each individual we serve. Therefore, we commit our energy and effort to these students as they pursue their undergraduate degrees at the University of Kansas.

Our Mission is to...

MOTIVATE. EDUCATE. GRADUATE.

PHILOSOPHY

We believe:

- Each young person we serve is a valued individual with a unique identity: student, athlete, family member, and friend.
- Our students are capable of being independent, confident, skilled and responsible adults and they deserve to be treated as such.
- Our students want, deserve and are capable of meeting high expectations in their academic and personal lives.
- Our students are capable of earning meaningful degrees from the University of Kansas.
- Our students aspire to continue their development, learning and understanding more about themselves and others.

OUTCOMES

Students will become life-long independent and strategic learners and will recognize the value of continuing intellectual growth.

Students will make steady progress toward meaningful degrees in a timely fashion and will graduate from the University of Kansas.

Students will explore career options beyond professional athletics, which will integrate their interests, talents and values; and students will use these explorations as a path to the selection of academic degrees and majors.

Students will continue to learn about their own developmental issues (personal, social, emotional, values, etc.) as they become adults.

Students will exhibit effective interpersonal communication skills.

Students will be encouraged to share their time, talent, and experience with others in the community.