



UIL Scholar-Athlete Program

This season, the University Interscholastic League and the NFHS Network will showcase top performing male and female student athletes from around the state with the UIL Scholar-Athlete of the month program. The UIL Scholar-Athlete of the Month award recognizes high school athletes who demonstrate excellence in the classroom as well as on the athletic field.

The UIL will award the Scholar-Athletes of the Month to a deserving male and female student-athlete each month starting on October 1st. For each month of the program, the winners will be featured on the NFHS Network's UIL webpage with a picture of each winner and a write-up of his and her accomplishments on the field and in the classroom and community.

To be eligible for the honor, candidates must meet the following criteria:

- Student Athlete for the 2015-16 school year
- Participate in varsity sports
- Carry a minimum GPA of 3.2
- Exhibit leadership qualities within the school and the community

Schools that are part of the NFHS Network and School Broadcast program will get first priority for nominations. To nominate a student athlete from your school or for information on joining the network please contact Mike Karsch at Mike.Karsch@NFHSNetwork.com by the 25th of each month. Submissions must include an image of nominated student athlete as well as a write up of his or her accomplishments. (Submissions for October's winners must be received by September 25th,)

More information about the NFHS Network School Broadcast Program can be found at <http://www.uiltexas.org/school-broadcast>. If you have questions or concerns please contact Kate Hector in the UIL Media Department at pr@uiltexas.org or call 512-471-5883.