

## The Scholar Baller® Patch



The Scholar Baller® Patch is a visible indicator of a student-athlete's achievement in both the classroom (a minimum 3.0 GPA) and on the playing field or court. The Scholar Baller® Patch is a badge of honor and a statement of the acceptance of the Scholar Baller® ideals. The patch is typically worn on competition-level uniforms such as on the football jerseys of Arizona State University, Hampton University and Morgan State University beginning with the 2004 football season. These were the first three universities to wear an academic recognition patch on game-day jerseys. Since then, a few other universities (University of Tennessee, Fresno State University) have imitated the Scholar Baller® patch with their own renditions.

These patches are made available by the Scholar Baller® organization to member schools for a modest fee. The Scholar Baller® Leadership Team works with each school to customize the patch to reflect the team's colors. Patches come in three different sizes to more appropriately fit the uniform and can be produced with either the ThinkMan® or ThinkWoman™ graphic.

The "SB Patch", as it is proudly referred to by the SB Team, will continue to evolve with recognition, acceptance, specific individual or team needs, and the trends of style. The patch has also been applied to casual wear, such as polo and dress shirts, to duffel bags, to small custom purses, and to a graduation chords