



## NCAA DIVISION III STUDENT-ATHLETE CELEBRATORY SIGNING FORM



I, \_\_\_\_\_, have been accepted to **Messiah University**, an NCAA Division III institution. In addition to my academic responsibilities, I intend to participate in the sport(s) of \_\_\_\_\_.

Consistent with Division III's goal of fostering an environment where students can follow their passions and discover their potential, Division III student-athletes are encouraged to:

### DISCOVER

Division III student-athletes are encouraged to pursue their interests and passions beyond the classroom and field of play...to discover themselves.

### DEVELOP

Division III institutions provide an environment that encourages student-athletes to develop into well-rounded adults. Small class sizes, the ability to participate in more than one sport, and an emphasis on participating in activities outside of the classroom are all hallmarks of Division III experience.

### DEDICATE

Division III institutions expect student-athletes to dedicate themselves to achieving their potential. Student-athletes must manage their busy schedules, keep up with class work, and face the same challenges as the rest of the student-body.

The mission of the University of Mount Union is to prepare students for fulfilling lives, meaningful work and responsible citizenship.

This form commemorates my choice to attend **Messiah University**. By signing this form, I embrace the Division III philosophy. I also understand that my signature neither obligates me to attend the institution, noted above, and participate in athletics nor does it guarantee me a roster position.

Prospective Student-Athlete: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_