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Dr. Forrest C. Allen, University Basket Ball Coach
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Dear Dr. Allen:

At the suggestion of our mutual friend, John Glenn, I am writing you concerning my matriculating at the University of Kansas next September.

Along with obtaining a good education, I would like to be a member of your basket ball squad providing of course that my ability would merit it. At Beardstown High where I graduated in 1938, I played regular guard two consecutive years with an average of eight points per game. In addition, my height six feet two inches proved to be of value to my team in rebound work.

My scholastic record in high school was average, however, I am sure that by applying myself my college work pertaining to my studies can be improved as I know I have a definite goal to shoot toward.