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College Recruiting Presented By: Ryan Miller





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The Recruiting Process

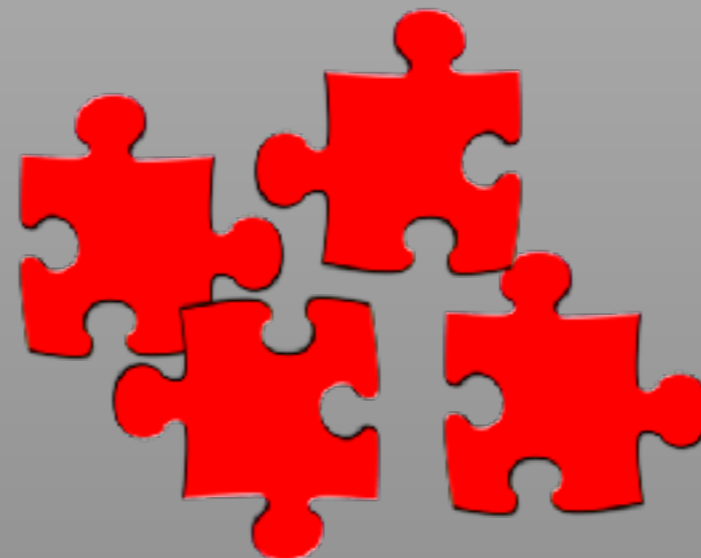
“A series of actions or steps taken in order to achieve a particular end.”

Must have a plan!

This will determine the balance of power - dictate vs be dictated to

Parent's Role

Support / Background - Until Contract Negotiations





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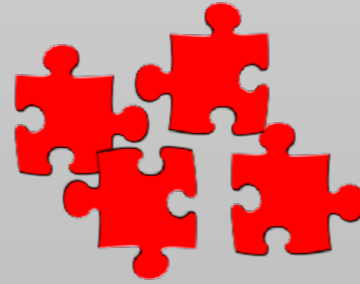


Details	DI	DII	DIII
# of Teams	334	273	441
# of Scholarships	14	9.9	N/A

Average Scholarship Amount - \$9K / Year



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Soccer Reputation

Academic Reputation

Academic Curriculum

Campus Life

Overall Athletic Reputation

Location

Size

Coaching Staff

Priority 1

Priority 2

Priority 3

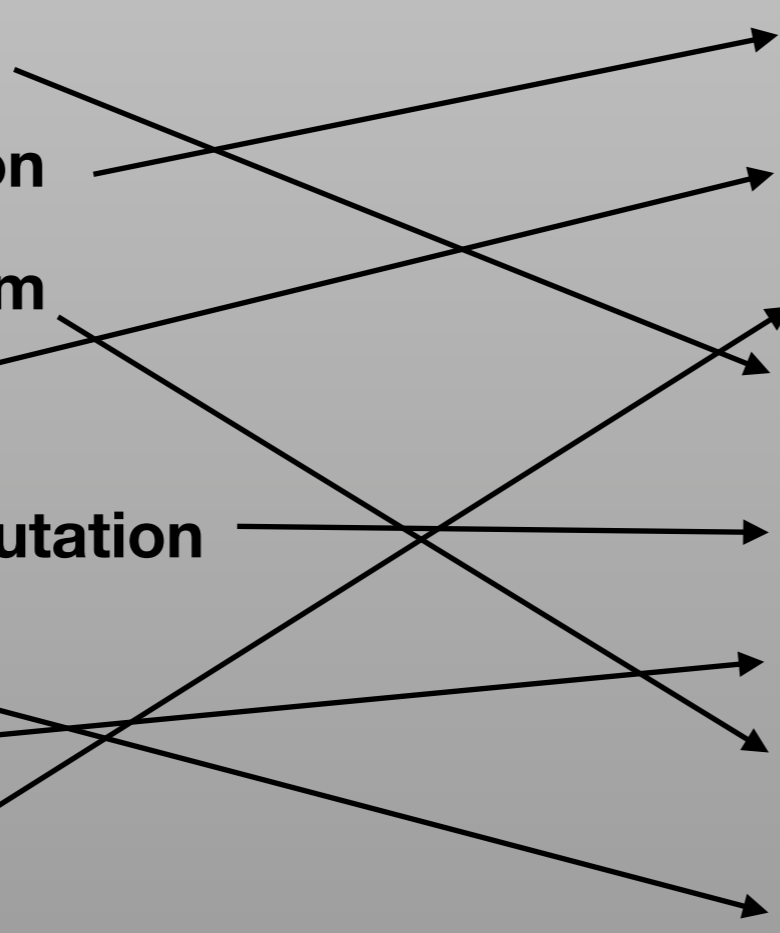
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Priority 7

Priority 8





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Freshman Year: Research and Organizing the Plan

GET GOOD GRADES!!

Not only do you have to be eligible to go to college, having good grades will keep your options at 100% of the schools



Get College Exposure

Put yourself on a team, which will receive local, regional, and national exposure



College Understanding / Feel

Do some research on what college is... go visit a local University and at least 1 University while traveling for soccer. After Freshman year, participate in a residential college camp.



Prepare For Communication

Once you have a bit of an understanding, put your plan together for college communication... Details matter!



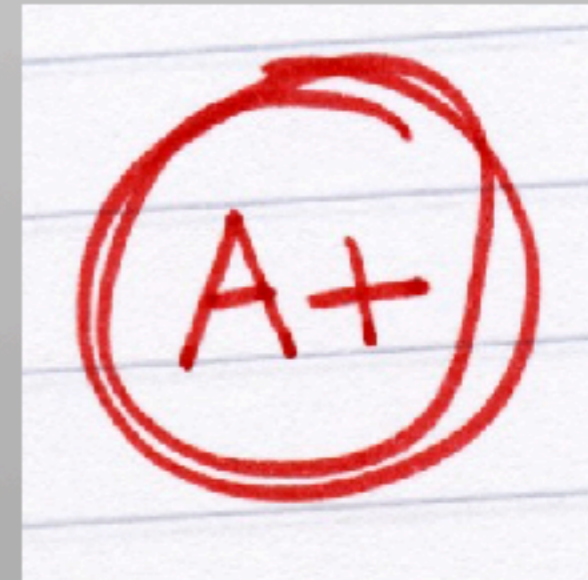


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Sophomore Year: Execute the Plan

Get Good Grades!!

Set a meeting prior to the school year with your guidance counselor. Inform them of your plans to make sure you are academically consistent with your plan.



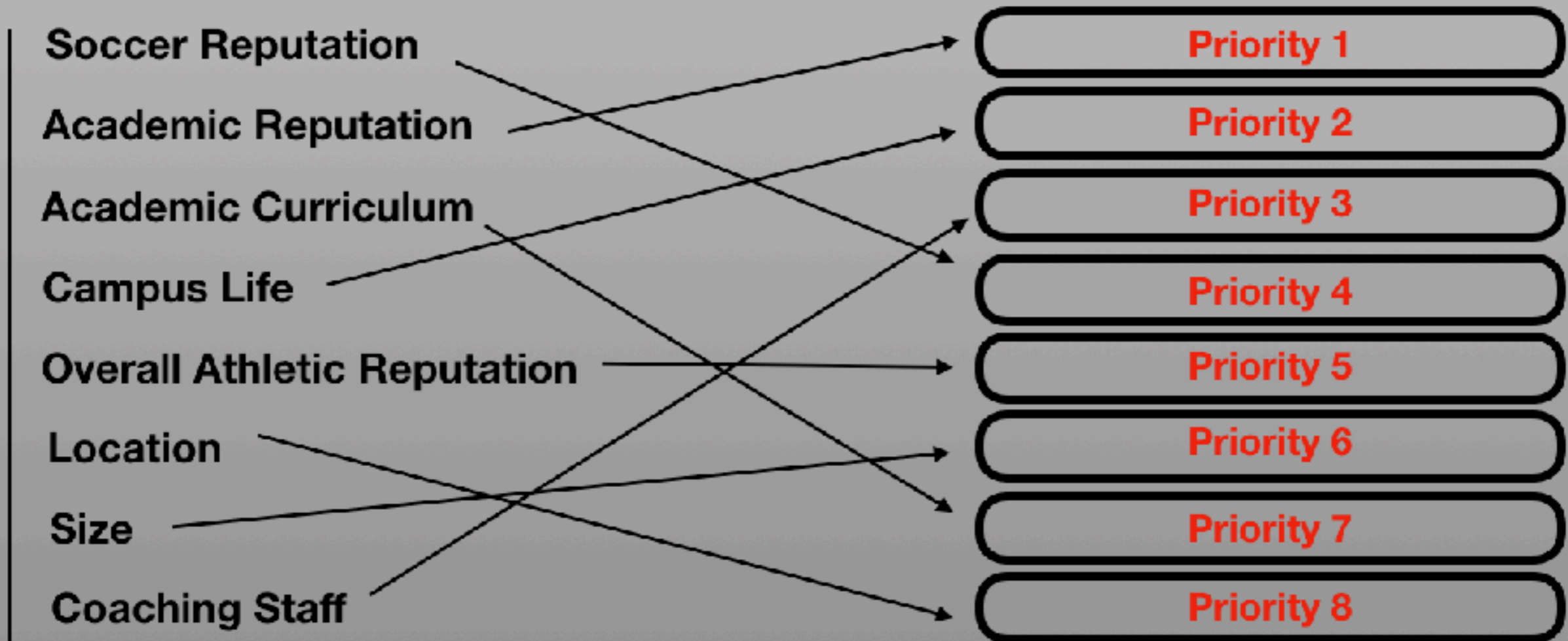


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Create Your List of Schools

Using your priority list, create a list of 20 schools... And then act on it! This list is sure to change through the process, so make sure you understand this is a working document!



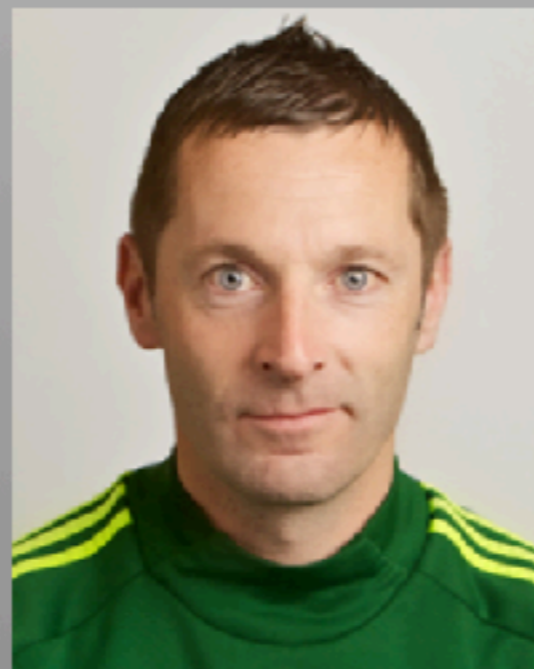


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Use Coaching Resources

Check in with these resources to make sure your list of schools is accurate...
Don't want to waste time or energy!








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Create Your
Resume / CV

This is very important to have... The recipe should be yours!

Highlight Clip!!!

Softball – CF, 3B, C			
Raley Stone Graduation Date: 5/1/2014 Current Grade: 10 Date of Birth: 5/28/1998 Height: 5'4" Weight: 135 Clearinghouse: No Video Available: Yes Player Status: Home in 1st RTD - 34 Left - 27 Bat Right • Throw Right • Glove Left		  	
PLAYER CONTACT INFORMATION			
High School:	Greenwood High School	Parent Names:	Greg & Samantha Stone
School Address:	5085 Coolville Rd	Player's Address:	1/20 Apt 1 U'shoo
School City/St:	Bowling Green, Ky 42104-7997	City/State/Zip:	Bowling Green, Ky 42104
HS Phone:	270-842-3027	Player's Phone:	270-262-5013
HS Current GPA:	3.10 ACT	Enrollment:	1,200
Email Address:	raleystone4@gmail.com or gregstone5@gmail.com	Parent's Phone:	270-762-2372
		Cell Phone:	
ATHLETIC/ACADEMIC HONORS AND ACTIVITIES			
EXTRACURRICULAR SPORTS 2008 Travel Ball Southern Ky. Crush 10U RR's - 77 Rating Average - 403 1B's - 24 2B's - 6 3B's - 2 RR's - 9 RR's - 6 SR's - 17 Runs - 24 2010 Travel Ball Southern Ky. Crush 10U .347 - Batting Average .520 - Slugging % .447 - On-Base % .817 - Fielding %	SCHOOL SPORTS Greenwood Gallop 2010 (8th grade) AB's - 125 Runs Scored - 48 SB's - 8 1B's - 31 2B's - 8 3B's - 1 HR's - 1 BB's - 10 RBI's - 16 Rating Average .328 Greenwood Gallop 2009 (8th grade) AB's - 118 Runs Scored - 28 SB's - 11 1B's - 32 2B's - 5 3B's - 1 HR's - 2 BB's - 12 RBI's - 24 Batting Average .359 Greenwood Gallop 2008 (7th grade) AB's - 84 Runs Scored - 14 SB's - 1 1B's - 22 2B's - 2 RR's - 7 RR's - 7 Batting Average .280	ACADEMICS 2010 - Junior Rule Club HONORS 2010 - High School District Runner-ups 2009 - High School District Champs 2008 - Ky. AGA State Champions (14U) CAMPS 2009 - WKU Summer Camp 2008 - Jessica Mendoza Hitting Clinic 2010 - University of Ky Skills Camp	
COACH CONTACT INFORMATION			
Coch Name:	Penny Reese 1ED Softball Coach	Coach contact Information:	270-701-8575 * Cell/Office email: penny.reese@warren.kyschool.us
Coch Name:	Lin Richter Softball Conditioning Coach	Coach contact Information:	270-314-1030 Cell email address: clm.richter@gmail.com
Coch Name:	Tim Smith Coach Travel Ball Southern Ky. Crush	Coach contact Contact Info:	270-791-1360 Cell email address: tsmrth@usa.net
SCOUTS PREVIOUS VISITATION			
Campbellsville University - Murray State - CKU			
INTENDED COLLEGE MAJOR/AREA OF STUDY			
Sports Medicine - Athletic Trainer - Physical Therapy			



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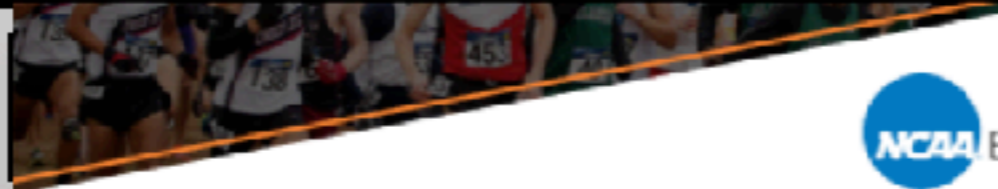
RECRUIT!!!!

Register for Profile Page at eligibilitycenter.org

[Eligibility Center Link](http://eligibilitycenter.org)



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Below is a list of items we recommend you have before beginning your registration with the NCAA Eligibility Center:

Valid Student Email

You need a valid email address that you check regularly to register. This is important for updating prospective student-athletes about their account. For more information about accepted emails, please reference our [FAQ](#).

Basic Student Personal Information

This includes information such as your name, gender, date of birth, primary and secondary contact information, and address.

Basic Student Education History

Please include details about all high schools or secondary schools you have attended in the United States or internationally, and additional programs you have attended.

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traditional high school season. It also includes information about any individuals who have advised you or [marketed](#) your skills in a particular sport. This information helps the Eligibility Center certify your amateur status when it is requested by an NCAA school.

Payment

For Certification Accounts, nonrefundable registration fee for U.S., U.S. Territories* and Canadian students: \$80

*U.S. Territories include American Samoa, Guam, Northern Mariana Islands, Puerto Rico and U.S. Virgin Islands.

Nonrefundable registration fee for international students: \$135

The NCAA Eligibility Center accepts Visa, MasterCard, Discover and American Express. For payment questions, look [here](#). Some individuals may qualify to apply for a [fee waiver](#).

Next Steps

Stay on track in high school and understand these [quick tips](#) to help in your eligibility process.

For more information, please visit: www.NCAA.org/playcollegesports.



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Sophomore Year: Execute the Plan

As a family, get an idea of what college means financially:

Visit FAFSA and learn about federal financial aid - This will need to be communicated to Universities prior to your commitment

[FAFSA Home Page](#)

Use FAFSA4caster to get a rough estimate if you were heading to school this year

[FAFSA4caster Link](#)

[FAFSA4caster](#) gives you a free early estimate of your eligibility for federal student aid. This information helps families plan ahead for college. You must use the [Free Application for Federal Student Aid \(FAFSA®\) form](#) to apply for aid once you've decided to apply for admission and attend college.

- Who should use FAFSA4caster?
- How do I use FAFSA4caster?
- What information does FAFSA4caster provide?



FAFSA4caster is not an application for aid; it's a planning tool.

Who should use FAFSA4caster?

FAFSA4caster is for anyone who is not yet ready to submit a FAFSA form—it's recommended for high school juniors, and even as early as middle school. Parents of younger students can use FAFSA4caster to receive early estimates, create scenarios based on future earnings, and then establish college funding strategies. Adult students also can use FAFSA4caster to get an idea of what aid they might receive.

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How do I use FAFSA4caster?

You can find FAFSA4caster at [fafsa.gov](#)—select the appropriate box under “Thinking About College?”

In FAFSA4caster, you answer financial and other questions that are used to estimate your federal student aid eligibility. You may be able to answer most of the questions easily, but some of the questions may ask you to reference your personal records (for instance, your federal tax information or your bank statements). Be sure to answer all the questions on FAFSA4caster, even if you have to estimate or guess.

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What information does FAFSA4caster provide?

When you submit FAFSA4caster, the screen displays a worksheet to help you determine the net cost of attending your chosen school. Here's what you can expect to see on the worksheet:

- At the top of the page, you can enter the school's cost of attendance (there is a link to [College Navigator](#) in case you need to look up the cost).
- Next, a number of sources of college funding are listed. FAFSA4caster indicates your estimated Federal Pell Grant amount (if any), Federal Work-Study amount (based on the average nationally), and maximum Direct Subsidized Loan and Direct Unsubsidized Loan eligibility.
- There are fields where you can fill in the amounts of state and college aid and private scholarships you expect (or hope) to get.
- Once you select “Calculate,” FAFSA4caster summarizes the cost, the total aid entered, and the difference (the net cost of attending college). Your estimated Expected Family Contribution (EFC) also appears. You can compare schools by changing the cost of attendance, deleting state aid if you will be an out-of-state student at a particular school, amending the amount of aid available from the school, and so on.



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Junior Year: Keep it up and Step it up



EMMA GIBBS

MIDFIELDER / FORWARD
COLORADO RUSH FC NL

DOB: 4/17/2001
HEIGHT: 5' 4"
WEIGHT: 110 LBS

SEVEN CREEK HIGH SCHOOL
CLASS OF 2019
GPA: 4.3/4.0
CLASS RANK: 2

CONTACT:
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RUSH COACH CONTACT:
MARK HOBBS
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ACSM Eligibility Center

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For Certification Accounts, please save selections in 45 minutes to register completely if you need to exit and come back at a later time, you can save and exit once your account is active & created.

Take notes for the questions listed in the red text bar at any time to answer your questions as you work through registration.

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Valid Student Email
You must have a valid email address that you check regularly in order to be notified for upcoming procedures and updates. Please check your email regularly for emails regarding your account status. Please remember our www.ncaa.org.

Basic Student Personal Information
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Basic Student Education History
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Student Sports Participation History
For Certification Accounts, this includes details for any sports in which you participated, including whether you have participated or played in a certain sport or whether you participated in certain events in which you participated outside of school.

For more information, please visit: www.ncaa.org/eligibilitycenter

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4th Year

Graduation Date: **2020-06**
Current Quarter: **2019-03**
State of Birth: **FL**
Height: **7'4"** Weight: **172**
US Citizen/Resident: **Yes**
NCAA Eligibility: **Yes**
Eligible to Register: **Yes**
Eligible to Sign: **Yes**

ELITE CONTACT INFORMATION

High School: University Prep	Agent Name: Joe J. Tomasko	Agent Address: 1740 NW 70th Ave, #1000, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33309
School Address: 1000 University Ave, University Prep, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33309	Phone: (954) 341-4000	Agent Phone: (954) 341-4000
HS Phone: (954) 341-4000	HS Fax: (954) 341-4000	Agent Fax: (954) 341-4000
HS Campus Code: 019	NCT: Yes	Agent's Email: tomasko@joejtomasko.com
Email Address: tomasko@joejtomasko.com	Agent's Website: www.joejtomasko.com	Agent's Phone: (954) 341-4000

ACADEMIC AND SPORTS INFORMATION

2018-19	2019-20	2020-21
UNIVERSITY PREP 2018-19 Games: 10 Points: 10 Rebounds: 10 Assists: 10 Steals: 10 Blocks: 10 Shooting %: 100% Free Throw %: 100% Field Goal %: 100% Points per Game: 10 Rebounds per Game: 10 Assists per Game: 10 Steals per Game: 10 Blocks per Game: 10 Shooting Average: 100% Free Throw Average: 100% Field Goal Average: 100%	UNIVERSITY PREP 2019-20 Games: 10 Points: 10 Rebounds: 10 Assists: 10 Steals: 10 Blocks: 10 Shooting %: 100% Free Throw %: 100% Field Goal %: 100% Points per Game: 10 Rebounds per Game: 10 Assists per Game: 10 Steals per Game: 10 Blocks per Game: 10 Shooting Average: 100% Free Throw Average: 100% Field Goal Average: 100%	UNIVERSITY PREP 2020-21 Games: 10 Points: 10 Rebounds: 10 Assists: 10 Steals: 10 Blocks: 10 Shooting %: 100% Free Throw %: 100% Field Goal %: 100% Points per Game: 10 Rebounds per Game: 10 Assists per Game: 10 Steals per Game: 10 Blocks per Game: 10 Shooting Average: 100% Free Throw Average: 100% Field Goal Average: 100%

CONTACT INFORMATION

Coach Name: Joe J. Tomasko	Coach Email: tomasko@joejtomasko.com	Coach Phone: (954) 341-4000
Coach Address: 1000 University Ave, University Prep, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33309	Coach Fax: (954) 341-4000	Coach Website: www.joejtomasko.com

SPORTS PREPARATION

campusrecruiting.com www.ncaa.org www.collegeboard.com

INTENDED COLLEGE MAJOR/RESEARCH STUDY

Sports Medicine Athletic Training Physical Therapy



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STUDY!!

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NCAA DIVISION I RECRUITING GUIDE – SPORTS OTHER THAN FOOTBALL AND BASKETBALL

	Questionnaires, Camp Information, NCAA Materials and Nonathletic Publications	Other Recruiting Materials	Electronic Correspondence	Telephone Calls	Off-Campus Contact	Unofficial Visits	Official Visits	Evaluations and Contacts
Swimming and Diving	Anytime	Beginning 9/1 of junior year	Beginning 9/1 of junior year (all forms)	Beginning 7/1 following junior year (at discretion)	Beginning 7/1 following junior year	Anytime	Opening day of classes of PSA's senior year	Men's Ice Hockey: Seven recruiting opportunities (contacts and evaluations combined) per PSA between September 1 and May 31. Beginning June 15 at the conclusion of a PSA's sophomore year, not more than three of the seven opportunities may be contacts each year.
Women's Gymnastics	Anytime	Beginning 9/1 of junior year	Beginning 9/1 of junior year (all forms)	Beginning 9/1 of junior year (at discretion)	Beginning 7/15 following junior year	Beginning 9/1 of junior year	Opening day of classes of PSA's senior year	
Women's Ice Hockey	Anytime	Beginning 9/1 of junior year	Beginning 9/1 of junior year (all forms)	Following sophomore year one call to an international PSA 7/7-7/31 Beginning 9/1 of junior year (at discretion)	Beginning 7/7 following junior year	Anytime	Opening day of classes of PSA's senior year	All Other Sports: Seven recruiting opportunities (contacts and evaluations combined) per PSA between September 1 and May 31. During the senior year not more than three of the seven opportunities may be contacts.
Men's Ice Hockey	Anytime	Beginning 1/1 of sophomore year	Beginning 1/1 of sophomore year (all forms)	Beginning 1/1 of sophomore year (at discretion)	Beginning 6/15 at completion of sophomore year	Anytime	Opening day of classes of PSA's senior year	
Men's and Women's Lacrosse	Anytime	Beginning 9/1 of junior year	Beginning 9/1 of junior year (all forms)	Incoming and outgoing calls beginning 9/1 of junior year (at discretion)	Beginning 9/1 of junior year, contact during the junior year only permitted at PSA's educational institution or residence	Beginning 9/1 of junior year	Opening day of classes of PSA's senior year	
Wrestling	Anytime	Beginning 9/1 of junior year	Beginning 9/1 of junior year (all forms)	Beginning 9/1 of junior year (at discretion)	Beginning 9/1 of junior year, contact during the junior year only permitted at PSA's educational institution or residence	Beginning 9/1 of junior year	Opening day of classes of PSA's senior year	Women's Volleyball: 80 evaluation days (August 1-July 31).
All Other Sports	Anytime	Beginning 9/1 of junior year	Beginning 9/1 of junior year (all forms)	Beginning 9/1 of junior year (at discretion)	Beginning 7/1 following junior year	Anytime	Opening day of classes of PSA's senior year	Women's Beach Volleyball: 50 evaluation days (August 1-July 31).
Two-Year College PSA	Anytime	Anytime	Anytime	Anytime (at discretion)	Qualifier: Beginning 10/15 following PSA's completion of high school Nonqualifier or academic redshirt: following completion of first academic year of enrollment	Anytime	Qualifier: Five (5) additional beginning 10/15 following PSA's completion of high school Nonqualifier or academic redshirt: following completion of first year of enrollment	Practice and Competition Site Restrictions (see next page).
Four-Year College PSA	Anytime*	Anytime*	Anytime*	Anytime* (at discretion)	Beginning 10/15 following PSA's completion of high school*	Anytime	Beginning 10/15 following PSA's completion of high school*	

*Only after obtaining written permission to contact from NCAA or NAIA institution (other four-year institution not necessary).



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My College List	
1	South Florida University
2	University of California - Las Angeles
3	University of Portland
4	University of Notre Dame
5	University of Dayton
6	University of Wisconsin - Madison
7	University of Michigan
8	Dartmouth College
9	University of Washington
10	Georgetown University
11	Coe College
12	Oregon State University
13	University of Oregon
14	University of Chicago
15	University of Illinois
16	Creighton University
17	University of South Carolina
18	Boston College
19	Duke University
20	University of North Carolina - Chapel Hill

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7	University of Wisconsin - Madison
8	University of Dayton
9	University of Oregon
10	Oregon State University



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Official Visit Time



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Decision Day!!

A promotional graphic for the ESPN Special "The Decision". It features a basketball player in a red Cleveland Cavaliers jersey with the number 23, seen from behind with arms raised in celebration. The background is a dark, textured pattern of basketball hoop nets. Text on the graphic includes:

ESPN SPECIAL
"THE DECISION"
THURSDAY
9 PM ET
ESPN HD
ESPN 3.com



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**Use the
technology &
ask for help if
needed!!**





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Thank You!

Questions?