

COLLEGE ATHLETICS – hot to play...

1. Pick 5 colleges that interest you (develop some criteria)
2. Find out who the coaches are and make a list of their names – colleges – and contact info
3. Ask one of your coaches to contact them on your behalf (find out if other players are also interested in the same schools so that they have more incentive to come and look 2-3 players vs. 1). You may want to provide your coach with a copy of your player profile or at least highlights to help him or her along
4. Complete your player profile, letter to coach and print out a schedule of games - *** be sure to include your jersey number on the schedule
5. Ask 2 coaches to write a letter of recommendation on your behalf (supply them with your player profile so it is easier for them to give strong examples of your ability and leadership) (do this early so they have at least a week to do this)
6. Try to have a parent tape an ENTIRE game – do not edit – many coaches want to see the whole game – good and bad. Just try to make it a good game!
7. Send out your packet and contact the coach about a week later just to make sure he/she got it and to briefly introduce yourself and establish contact with him/her.