

Finding the Right College For You

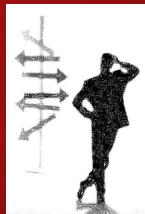
Factors for Selection



- ✦ Academics
 - ✦ Size
- ✦ Location
- ✦ Environment
 - ✦ Soccer
 - ✦ Cost

College Choices

- ✦ Junior College - www.njcaa.org
- ✦ NW Athletic Association of Community Colleges - www.nwaacc.org
- ✦ California Community College Athletic Association - www.cccaastats.org
- ✦ Arizona Community College Athletics Association - www.accaa.org
- ✦ NAIA - www.naia.org
- ✦ Cascade Conference - www.cascadeconference.org
- ✦ Cal Pac Conference - www.calpacathletics.com
- ✦ NCAA - www.ncaa.com
 - ✦ Division 1
 - ✦ Pac 12 - www.pac12.com
 - ✦ West Coast Conference - www.wccsports.com
 - ✦ WAC - www.wacsports.com
 - ✦ Division 2
 - ✦ California Collegiate Athletic Association - www.ccaathletics.com
 - ✦ Pacific West Conference - www.pacificwestconference.com
 - ✦ Division 3
 - ✦ Northwest Conference - www.nwcathletics.com
 - ✦ Southern California Intercollegiate Athletic Conference - www.sciac.com
 - ✦ UC Santa Cruz - Independent

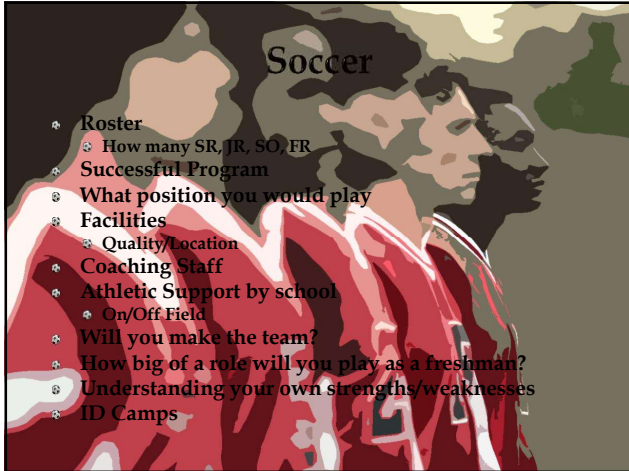


Recruiting

- ✦ NCAA Recruiting Rules
 - ✦ www.ncaa.org; www.eligibilitycenter.org
- ✦ NCAA Clearing House
 - ✦ Division I and II
- ✦ NAIA Registration
 - ✦ Senior Year
- ✦ Resume/Cover Letter
- ✦ Contact with Coaches
 - ✦ Keep notes with dates
- ✦ Complete paperwork sent to you
- ✦ Sell yourself
 - ✦ Proactive and Persistent
 - ✦ ID Camps
 - ✦ Video/Recruiting Companies

Soccer

- * Roster
 - * How many SR, JR, SO, FR
- * Successful Program
- * What position you would play
- * Facilities
 - * Quality/Location
- * Coaching Staff
- * Athletic Support by school
 - * On/Off Field
- * Will you make the team?
- * How big of a role will you play as a freshman?
- * Understanding your own strengths/weaknesses
- * ID Camps



Prior to Showcase Events

- * 30 Days
 - * Obtain list of coaches attending event
- * 15 Days
 - * Send game schedule to coaches
- * Game Day
 - * Be professional at all times
 - * Prepare properly
 - * Copy of Player Profile available



College Visits

- * Schedule Visits in the Fall during home games
- * Campus Tour
- * Attend a class
- * Meet with Admissions & Financial Aid Counselors, and Academic Counselor in area of interest
- * Stay in the dorms with team members
- * Go to their soccer camp, if available



Financial Aid

- * Junior Year
- * Senior Year
 - * September
 - * December
 - * January/February
 - * April/May
 - * May/June
- * Other Scholarship Options
- * Invest in your own future!





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