

PROSPECTIVE STUDENT-ATHLETE WORKSHEET:

QUESTIONS TO ASK RECRUITERS

1. Do you provide academic counseling?
 - a. If so, please explain your program.
2. Do you provide tutors?
3. Do you have required study sessions?
 - a. During off-season?
 - b. During season?
4. How many players graduate from your program?
5. What has been your team G.P.A. in the past?
6. If I am offered a scholarship from your school, what percentage of the following will it cover?:
Room • Board • Tuition & Fees
7. Scholarship is guaranteed for a one year period. How is it renewed?
8. What happens if I am injured and cannot play the rest of the year?
9. Do you have a redshirt program?
10. What position are you recruiting me for?
11. How many players are currently at this point?
12. How many incoming players are you recruiting at this position?
13. What is the average range of scholarships in your program?
14. Do you take a spring trip? If so, where? How many players will you take on your trip?
15. Are there any limitations in your conference regarding roster limits for conference games?
16. What is your policy regarding freshman participation?
17. What has been the success of your program over the past several years?
18. What is your policy regarding placement of players in summer collegiate leagues?
19. How many of your former players have had the opportunity to play professional baseball?

20. How do you travel? Bus-Van-Airplane
How many class days will I miss during the spring season?
21. What are the number of coaches in your program and what are their responsibilities and previous experiences?
22. How many hours do you practice?
23. What type of facilities do you have? Indoor Outdoor
24. Does the college have a drug testing program?
25. Does the college have the program of study that you are interested in? How does it compare to other programs?
26. What will it cost me to attend your college?

PROSPECT SELF-ANALYSIS

1. How far do I want to be from home?
2. Am I interested in a particular school? If not, tell the school as soon as possible.
3. Do I feel comfortable with the coaches?
4. What type of reputation do the coaches and program have?
5. When do I wish to decide on a college?
6. Have my parents had an opportunity to visit with the coaches or view the college and it's facilities? They may have a better feel for a college and it's coaches.
7. Are my grades of the caliber needed to succeed at the college in question?
8. Have I visited with my high school counselor regarding college entrance requirements?
9. Have I taken my ACT or SAT test? If so, have I forwarded the results to the colleges that I am interested in?
10. Have I forwarded a copy of my high school transcripts to all the colleges that I am interested in?

HOW TO RESPOND TO RECRUITERS

1. Always be courteous. Don't play hard to get or make false pretensions of interest. Let the college know where you stand.
2. Respond to request for information (questionnaires, academic information, schedule) as soon as possible.

3. If you are interested in a college, don't hesitate to make the first move via a telephone call or letter of introduction.

4. Keep all appointments. If you have scheduled a time to visit with a recruiter, don't neglect to reschedule a time if you cannot attend a meeting or visit over the telephone.

5. Thank all coaches for their interest, even though you have decided to not consider their college. Thank you notes after unpaid and paid visits leaves recruiters and coaches with a positive image of you as a player and more importantly, as a person.