

GRAND VALLEY STATE UNIVERSITY RECRUITING PHILOSOPHY

The recruiting philosophy of Grand Valley State University is to provide opportunities for prospective student-athletes to be exposed to the academic and athletic programs of the University as well as providing the coaching staff an opportunity to assess the compatibility and desire of the prospective student-athlete to attend the University. This philosophy will be expressed by means of in-person contact with prospective student-athletes, on and/or off campus, as well as through communication such as correspondence and/or telephone contact.

During the period of an official or unofficial visit, the prospective student-athlete should be able to gain insight into the academic environment, campus life, the community of Allendale & Grand Rapids, and the athletic traditions at the University. At the same time, the visit allows the coaching staff to interact with the prospective student-athlete in an effort to determine if he/she is the “best fit” for success at the University.

The total recruiting effort exists to provide the coaching staff an assessment and prospective student-athletes the information and experience to make an informed decision in the selection of the institution that offers the most appropriate opportunity to pursue his/her academic and athletic endeavors.