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PERSONAL STATEMENT

I have been playing soccer since the age of five. Having played multiple sports in between seasons, soccer has always been what I loved. Around the age of thirteen I began to specialize in soccer, allowing my focus to be on one sport. During this time I committed to playing both for my school team and a local club team. The coaches and players I surrounded myself with loved the game and were dedicated to developing skills that not only applied to the field but to life. As a teacher and coach I strive to follow in the footsteps of those who came before me, in motivating and encouraging players to not only perform to the highest standards on the field but in life itself and all they strive for. My goal as a coach is to see each player grow as an athlete and translate those skills throughout their life. Being on a team, being a team player, conquering defeat, maintaining a positive attitude, displaying integrity, and dependability are skills that translate into our personal, everyday lives.

SOCCER BACKGROUND

- Dawson County High School Varsity '06-'09
 - Coach's Award '08, '09, Team Captain '08 '09, State '08

