Different Ways of Recruiting

- The coach of a team will find an athlete.
- The athlete will find the school and contact the coach.
- Current players will contact their friends that are athletes.
- The Parkland website also has recruiting forms for perspective athletes.

How do International Student-Athletes Find Parkland College?

- Nearly all international student-athletes are found by Parkland first.
- The main way of recruiting internationals a connection of some sort to a player, and then the coach will often watch game tape of the player.
- Parkland is appealing to international student-athletes because all athletes get in-district tuition. In-district tuition is $117.50 compared to international tuition $443.50

How do Immigrant Student-Athletes Find Parkland College?

- 60% of immigrant student-athletes find Parkland first.
- Most of the immigrant student-athletes at Parkland live near the Champaign-Urbana area.
- Most of these athletes are connected through Parkland by friends who attend Parkland.
- Since most immigrant students that live near the Champaign-Urbana coaches can recruit them locally.

Background Information

- Interviewed 15 student-athletes whom have immigrated or are internationals.
- The map has places of where 19 of immigrant and international student-athletes are from.