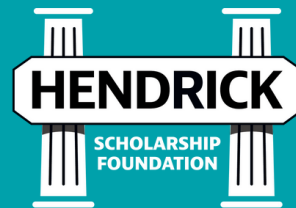


# HSF Coach Information

## January 2026



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## 🎉 Coach Connect Night! 🎉

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**When:** February 10th at 6:30 PM

**Where:** Andrew's Pizza Kitchen, Plano

**Why You Should Come:**

- 🍕 Enjoy great food and casual conversation with fellow coaches
- 🏆 Gain valuable insights and tips from an experienced, veteran coach
- 🤝 Build connections, share stories, and have fun in a relaxed setting

*Stay tuned – more details coming soon! Don't miss out!*

## Spring Semester Connections

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January is the perfect time to kickstart the semester right and help students thrive. Check in with your scholars, review goals, offer guidance, and establish a regular schedule for communication. Early engagement not only keeps students on track academically and personally, it shapes their success.

## Quick Tips for Connecting with Busy Students

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Even when students have packed schedules, your guidance can make a real impact!

Here are some strategies to build strong connections:

- **Be Flexible:** Offer multiple ways to connect (email, text, phone, video call) and let them choose what works best.
- **Keep It Short and Focused:** Brief, intentional check-ins can be just as effective as longer meetings.
- **Tie Conversations to Goals:** Help students see how your guidance supports their personal or academic objectives.

## Upcoming Student Tasks to Complete

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- Please remind your **student to sign their Scholarship Eligibility Form** when notified in the student portal so their Spring 2026 scholarship can be processed.
- In early **February**, they will be asked to upload the following required documents: **degree plan, tuition statement, and financial aid summary.**

## Coach Interest?

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If you know of someone who might be interested in becoming a coach like you, please let them know we have a **Coach Interest Session on Thursday, January 22nd.**

- 4:30 – 5:30pm
- HSF Office (850 Central Pkwy E. Ste 120, Plano, TX 75074)