

# EVERYBODY WINS AZ

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**1 in 4**  
students admitted  
to the country's  
largest research  
universities were high  
school athletes.



## The Campaign

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# Campaign Resources



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Arizona student in action

**MORE LIKELY TO SUCCEED**

<b>2 out of 3</b> high school students who participate in extracurriculars get a college degree. <small>National Education Longitudinal Study</small>	Students who participate in extracurriculars are <b>3x</b> more likely to have a GPA of 3.0 or higher than those who don't. <small>(College Board)</small>	<b>70%</b> of students participating in extracurriculars earn a bachelors degree or higher. <small>National Center for Education Statistics</small>	More than <b>1/2</b> of top female executives in the US were college athletes. <small>(ESPN)</small>
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**STUDENTS WIN. SCHOOLS WIN. ARIZONA WINS.**



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Insert quote from alum here, for example:

"There's a lot you can learn from extracurriculars, leadership teamwork, discipline, and I was able to relay that to the college experience."

-Darin Lopez varsity basketball, St. Mary's / Pepperdine University

Contact your school/school district/AIA to get involved.

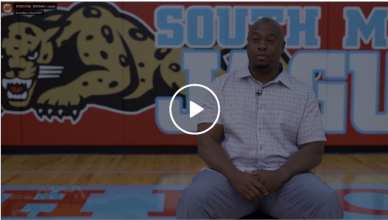


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# Alumni Spotlight

## Damin Lopez

Basketball coach, Phoenix St. Marys

Damin played basketball for his father in the 1980s at Glendale Apollo, where he set a state record for 3-pointers and was named state Player of the Year his senior season in 1989 when he averaged 27 points and eight assists. He is now St. Marys boys' varsity basketball coach, a position he's had since 2017.



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## Brian Fair

Principal, South Mountain High School

Brian Fair is a native of Phoenix, Arizona (South Phoenix), and graduate of South Mountain High School, Class of 1991. Brian began his career in education by joining the Phoenix Union High School District in the 2001–2002 school as a teacher. Brian returned to his Alma Mater in the school year 2007–2008 as a teacher. In the 2011 school year he took on the role as an Administrator, Dean of Students at Betty Fairfax High School. He returned to South Mountain in the 2013 school year as an Assistant Principal and Athletic Director, affording him the opportunity to return to the South Phoenix Community. He earned the recognition from his peers as the PXU Administrator of the Year for the school year 2019–2020.

