

# UC Prospect Evaluation | Cade Hartley Height/Position | 6'8 Playmaker Classification/School | 2024 Leander Glenn HS

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**Lead Evaluator**: Coach V (21 Year College Recruiting Coordinator at the D1, D2, D3 & NAIA Levels)

**Secondary Evaluator**: NCAA D2 AC (8 years Experience at the NCAA D3 & D2 Levels, former D1 Player) The Prospect Evaluation is the first step in creating a Recruiting Game Plan for each individual Client

# Projected Level |NCAA D2+

# Potential Level |LM D1

**UC Prospect Evaluation:** Plays with confidence on the perimeter, and at his size with the skill set to play a <sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub> will continue to draw interest from the D2/D1 Levels moving forward. Showed the ability to score it at all 3 levels and what stands out on game films is his shotmaking off the catch. I didn't see that at the Camp, but Cade is comfortable in catch and shoot situations which is something we want to highlight. When run off the line, he did a good job of putting it on the floor and getting to his spots, knocking down mid-range shots. Offensively, with added strength he is a D1 Level Prospect. Moves well without the ball, scores it at all 3 levels and has a high basketball IQ. Defensively, he takes too many possessions off especially off the ball, and goes through the motions at times which will be

something that must improve to secure his highest potential offer. The question at the D2+/D1 Levels after evaluating game films would be his physicality and can he guard a 3 on the defensive end. Regardless if it is zone or man defense, you must remain active and stay engaged when your man doesn't have the ball or when guarding an area in the zone. You won't be a rim protector type at the higher levels, but you could a much better help defender moving forward that will increase your recruitment as we target fits in the Spring. Take one possession as an example of you relaxing and standing straight up whenever his man gives up the ball (Ex: 1:34 in the first quarter vs. Manor). The next area that needs to be more consistent this year is pursuing rebounds at a higher level, both on offense and defense. With your skill set, length, and hands you should be a dominant rebounder at the HS level. Don't rely on your offensive skill set to secure an Offer, that is your college ready strength and you are a scholarship level offensive player. Rely on being a much better help defender and leading the district in RPG and you will start to gain genuine interest from D1 Programs. The ability is there to do both so make it a point in the Fall to track your progress and your rebounds after games. Too much talent Offensively to not buy in to becoming a 2-Way Player heading into the Spring Semester. Great example of what he can bring to a team offensively outside of scoring is at 7:50 in the second quarter vs dripping springs, you showcase D1 level potential on the offensive end, now we must get games where you defend & rebound at that same level before we start making our push to D2+/LM D1 Programs!

#### Initial Games to Upload to the Player Card:

**Game #1:** Showcase your College Ready Strength by uploading your highest scoring game where you score it at all 3 levels. 25+ Points where you hit 3 3pt shots, score 8-10 in the

paint or from the FT line, and knock down mid-range shots will be a good game to upload to your Player Card.

**Game #2:** Any Game where you grabbed 8+ Rebounds and thought you played your best overall game on both ends (Best Effort Game on Defense) will be a good second game to upload for starters!

Recruiting Game Plans are tailored to each individual and designed to elevate performance, provide prospects insight on what stands out good and bad on game film, build your initial college lists, and showcase college ready games to the targeted levels using the Evaluation as our Guide to 'Gaining Interest' in the Fall. At Mid-Season Break we assess player progress, on court performance, and academic standing so we can begin matching our clients with the right FIT!

**College Ready Strengths to Showcase** |Scores it at all 3 levels, skilled passer, and perimeter shot at your size. You would be a perfect fit with teams that run ball screens as you are a tough matchup in PnR action.

Areas Exposed that must Improve | Rebounding & Help Defense

#### Focus Points for the Fall Semester

Get in the Weight Room and get serious about putting in the work to physically get stronger before the Spring Push. Track your RPG in Fall Games (9+ is realistic Goal) and don't rely on your Offense moving forward, just like shooting the ball when no one is watching, start defending and rebounding in every open gym, after school pick-up games and during the bball period at Glenn until it becomes a habit/mindset!

### Cade's Highlight Video for Social Media Athlete Marketing

Length: 1:30 Max | 20-25 Clips that will stand out to College Coaches

**College Ready Strengths to Highlight: 20 Offensive Clips** | 10 Catch and Shoot 3's or 2's but just select shots where you are shooting off the move | 10 Clips of scoring in PnR action off the pop, the roll or catching a driving it just highlight PnR situations.

**Position Specific Winning Plays that stand out to College Coaches:** You must get more consistent in this area, but find your 5 best clips of you pursuing an Offensive Rebound and 5 clips of your best help defensive plays to mix in after 4 or 5 offensive clips.

# Spring Semester | Targeting the Right FIT

- Based on professional insight from an experienced recruiting coordinator or current college coach, our formula is proven when it comes to matching players with a FIT
  - **Offensive fit** |Motion based Offense where they run a lot of early ball screens and open up driving lanes (4 out 1 in or true 5 out motion)
  - Defensive fit |Packline Principles with the 5 vs 1 mentality. You could be a really good off ball defender and that will be a good system for you to move up a level from D2 to D1 if you are consistent by the Spring with your help D.

UC Recruiting Game Plans provide ongoing insight through the lens of college coaches to accurately guide 'Top Prospects' on game films to upload, areas they must improve, and what strengths to showcase on their UC Recruits Player Cards as we continue to track progress. *Our Formula is Proven and has led to 200+ Clients since 2020 Accepting Offers at the highest Potential Levels.* 

### Cade Hartley's Recruiting Game Plan

**First Semester** (*Fall Game Plan*): **#1** Stat Goal for the Fall (9+ RPG) **#2** Select Games where you get 9 Boards and you make a ton of winning plays on Defense (Doesn't have to be steals, it could be help and recovering, keeping a smaller wing in front of you, guarding ball screens where you show and get back, etc.) Basically when you feel you were consistent

throughout the Game and showcased your best effort on D while scoring points. **#3** Build a Routine in the weight room that is consistent and continue in-season until you get into the Spring. You don't have to gain 15 lbs of muscle, lifting harder builds your mindset on the glass and in the paint where you must become more physical this year.