

Dear members of the hiring committee,

I am thrilled to apply for the Head Football Coach position at North Central High School—a role that fulfills a lifelong dream of mine. As an alumnus, the school's all-time leading rusher, and someone who has always been deeply connected to the Panther community, the opportunity to lead this program would be an incredible honor.

From my time as a student-athlete at North Central, it was my goal to one day return and serve as the Head Football Coach, bringing my passion for the game and commitment to excellence back to the place where it all began. As a former NFL player and Northern Illinois University Hall of Fame inductee, I've had the privilege of competing and learning at the highest levels of football. I've since carried that experience into a successful coaching career, highlighted by two state championships: as Offensive Coordinator at Warren Central in 2018 and as Running Backs Coach at Ben Davis in 2023. Most recently, I returned to Warren Central as Offensive Coordinator, helping lead the team to a 10-2 record. During this time, I also gained invaluable head coaching experience by stepping in for Coach Kirschner during his recovery from surgery.

In addition to my professional accomplishments, I take immense pride in mentoring student-athletes. As Director of Indy Select Academy, I have helped develop over 400 young athletes, with many going on to earn Division 1 scholarships. My approach emphasizes not just building athletes, but also fostering character, leadership, and a strong sense of community.

It would be a privilege to lead North Central's football program, working to develop a culture of excellence that inspires both players and the community. Thank you for considering my application. I look forward to the opportunity to discuss how my skills and vision align with the goals of this proud program.

Sincerely,

Chad Spann