

# Giles Signs on With PJC to Play College Softball

Celeste, TX- Celeste High School senior, Emily Giles used the current signing period to sign letters of intent to play at the next level Saturday.

Giles is ready to enter her fourth year as a starter with the Blue Devils' varsity squad, and will play at Paris Junior College next season as a position player and pitcher.

Giles said she chose PJC over several other schools because she felt comfortable on the campus and with the coaches. "I really like the attitude and environment the smaller campus has and the personal focus on academics along with athletics that it offers. I can't wait to play ball with the team", said Giles.

Giles has been throwing with a thunderous pitching arm since back in her youth

league days. She continued on to her high school career for the Blue Devils to impress opposing teams with her ball speed, as well as ball movement, finishing last season with a second team All District nod. Giles made the first team All District as a freshman when the CHS Softball team, Coached by Melinda Brooks went on to the playoffs. She finished the season with a 6-2 record on the mound and an ERA of .93.

As a sophomore Giles came out strong with a 10-0 district season, a .00 ERA, making it three games deep into the playoffs – making history each time. Giles went on to be named Team MVP, All District MVP and 1<sup>st</sup> Team All State.

