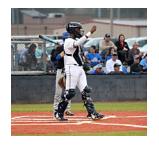


## Senior catcher, Skyler Roberts, describes how he leads the team from behind the plate.

"Most people don't believe that the catcher is a big role on a team, but it may be one of the biggest factors to a successful defense. A good catcher can make an even better pitcher. Even if the pitch may not be a strike, if I frame it just right, then that ball turns into a strike. I love to lead the team from behind plate by keeping the morale and energy high at all times. I keep the pitcher calm and make sure my teammates know to be confident in everything they do. I do way more than just catch a ball. I call pitches, I call plays, and I MAKE plays. While I do a lot of leading behind the plate, I still like to have fun. I think that a strong team needs to have fun.

and it builds more of a family environment. Catching is important, but so is everyone else's role. Leading others is a big part of my life, but being able to lead on this team is one of my biggest accomplishments. It's no secret that Gautier baseball has had some difficulty being the best they can, but never giving up is the key to success. My last season is going to be one to remember, and I'm grateful for all the opportunities GHS baseball has opened up for me." -Skyler R. 12





BASEBALL



## More Than Teammates

Being on a team means more than just being on a team. From tiring workouts to tough losses, you build a bond with with your teammates. It's tough not being able to finish our season out, but the memories we have made so far just keep me excited for the future. We all just wish we would have known our last game was going to be our last game. No matter what, this is my family. Forever. -Kaden Irving. 9







## going through the motions

## Justin Thomas, Junior LHP, describes his love for pitching

I love to pitch because it takes so much focus and confidence. Being on that mound and striking the opposing teams batter out is the best feeling in the world. -Justin T. 11







