

Chris Regan was named to the Texas H.S. Coaches Association's all-state baseball in 1992. He and his brother Jason Regan, who made all-state in 1994, became the second of three "brother-combos" (with Bernard and David Bartek and Toby and Brock Rumfield) to make all-state at Belton.

Christopher John Regan was born on June 9, 1974, in Fairfax VA to Michael and Rose Regan and was the oldest of two children, Chris and Jason. He was raised in Belton and attended Miller Heights Elementary School, Belton Jr. H.S., and Belton H.S., graduating in 1992. Chris' baseball career began in the Belton Midget League when he was 6 years old.

At Belton High School Chris was a left-handed pitcher and first baseman. He was a pitcher on the Belton JV team as a freshman in 1989 but was called up toward the end of the year and pitched well for the varsity (10-13 on the year) under Coach Harold Sinclair who coached the Tigers in 1989 during Coach David Tidwell's only year away from the Belton program from 1986-2007. Because of an injury, Chris saw limited action as a soph pitcher in 1990 on the Belton team that was 22-8 on the year under Coach Tidwell and Area Champs defeating Grandbury and Crowley before losing to Andrews in the regional semi-finals. He pitched 23 innings on the year and was 1-1 with 23 strikeouts. As a 6'0" 210 lb. junior in 1991 Chris was a pitcher and first baseman on the Tiger team that was 20-6 on the year losing to Corsicana in bi-district and finished the year ranked #7 in the state in 4A. As a pitcher he was 3-2 for the year with an ERA of 3.92 with 37 strikeouts and 23 walks in 25 innings. Chris also hit .238 in 1991 in 21 at bats while pitching and playing first base.

As a senior in 1992 Chris Regan was a pitcher/first baseman on the Belton that was 25-5 on the year and was ranked as high as #5 in the state in 4A early in the year. The Tigers won District 18-4A with an 8-2 record and beat Corsicana and Conroe Oak Ridge in the state playoffs before losing to Bridge City. For the year Chris was 10-1 (the most victories and best record in Central Texas according to the Austin American-Statesman) with an ERA of 1.75 and 106 strike outs and only 29 walks in 76 & 2/3 innings. In the playoffs he pitched a 7-hitter to beat Corsicana 5-2 and a 3-hitter against Bridge City but lost 1-0 on an unearned run. Chris was named 1st team all-district as a pitcher; honorable mention All-Centex by the Austin American-Statesman; and 2nd team all-state by the Texas H.S. Baseball Coaches Association.

Chris was recruited by Baylor, Southwest Texas State University, McLennan County Community College, and Hill Junior College. He signed with Hill JC and pitched a no-hitter against Northeast Junior College as a freshman in 1993. He then transferred to UMHB and pursued a degree in physical education but was ineligible for the 1994 season due to a lack of credit hours and thus sat out a year. UMHB, under Coach Ben Shipp, was 22-20 in 1995 in Chris' soph year and he was 3-1 on the year with the only loss being to St. Francis which was ranked #7 in the nation. In his junior year he had a 3-0 record as a pitcher for the 1996 Crusaders who were 30-17-1 on the year.

Chris left UMHB in June of 1996 to begin working at Wilson Art after his marriage that year to Melanie Koslovsky of Temple. In 2009 Chris Regan, 35,

and his wife, Melanie, lived in Rogers with their children, Colton, 8, and Emma, 4. Chris works at the Wal-Mart distribution center in Temple.