

My Story

About the Star

My name is Taylor Dino and I am a 17-year-old girl with huge dreams and ideas for my future. My high school career started during the pandemic. It was chaotic! By the second semester, I was able to balance and handle it all. Other kids my age say that they were negatively affected by the pandemic. On a personal level, the pandemic allowed me time to find myself and improve my habits and behavior.

Overview

In the text below I will be discussing an overview of who I am as a person and what my academic life looks like.

Academic Life

My academic life has always been a joy since the start of high school. I've had my highs and lows throughout it all. Gladly I was able to push through and succeed. Freshman and Sophomore years were amazing. I underestimated my junior year and how hard it would be. I will admit that I have faced many challenges and have learned from my mistakes. This year was my first year taking a college level class. It was stressful because I wasn't completely sure how to carry out my tasks. After my first semester at Wake Tech I realized that the only way that I would be successful (considering I doubled the amount of classes I was taking) was to plan out a schedule to complete everything. My high school classes have taught me that communication can be relative and not standard with all teachers.

Extra Curricular's

When the pandemic struck I had just developed a love for the sport of softball. When I found out they were having tryouts during the pandemic, I went. I was very excited that I made the team. During my time on the team, I felt like an outsider looking in. After my freshman year, I

didn't do any sports. After my sophomore year, looking back on it, I didn't like sitting at home. In my current school year, I decided to join the Women's golf team. From a young age, my Dad and I had played golf together as our little father-daughter activity. This year I enjoyed being a part of the golf team.

What Is Taylor Doing Now

Currently, I am an honors student with the equipped skills for leadership and teamwork. I am a part of the dual enrollment process which allows me to take college classes while taking high school classes. My first semester I didn't know what I was doing and was unable to get a grasp on what exactly I was doing. By my second semester at Wake Tech, I am a striving student! I am involved with eight clubs at my school. South Garner has taught me a lot. Most of the teachers I've had over the years have been supportive and are willing to help me when necessary. I also like that these very same teachers treat everyone the same, and it doesn't seem like they're signaling you out.

What Do I Plan On Doing After High School

After high school, I plan on attending a prestige four-year college. While I am on campus I will connect and understand the social life while putting school first. I plan to major in Business Marketing. Once I have worked and earned my Bachelor's, Master's, and Doctorate I will create my thesis.

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Thank you!