



Issaquah High Student Profile

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What classes at school do you love and why?

I particularly enjoy English class because while there's no real method to the madness like in math, there's a reason to be stretching your brain (Unlike in math).

Are you a running start student? If so, full-time or part-time? What do you love about taking college classes with the running start program? Any pros and/or cons with taking running start classes during high school?

I am a part-time running start student. I love that they're different from traditional public school classes and you're (mostly) allowed to work at your own pace. The downside is that it's easy to get lazy and fall behind



What are some of your favorite high school memories?

Every year we go on a retreat in Choir at Warm Beach. No matter what happens I always leave already looking forward to Next Year's trip.

Are you in a club and if so, what are the best parts of being in that club? Any memorable experiences you would like to share?

I'm a part of Equal Club/SAGA. My favorite memory was during my Freshman year, the week before National Coming Out Day we went out to the front of the school and put chalk art all over where the rain wouldn't erase it. It was mostly positive messages and pride flags but we threw in a few memes



Do you have any cool hobbies?

I enjoy worldbuilding. It started out as the usual writing stories but then I realized I enjoyed forming worlds more than I enjoyed writing stories for them.

Is volunteering part of your life? If so, tell us about your volunteering experiences and what you love about them?

To be on the teen advisory board at Bellevue Youth Theatre volunteering is a requirement. It's still fun though. I've volunteered at the concessions booth, as a camp counselor at my church, and at Highlands Day wherever I'm needed

