

Annie Jiang

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Annie spent her childhood helping out at her immigrant parent's Chinese restaurant. This experience taught her the meaning of taking responsibility and giving back to the community at a young age.

While she struggled to balance work and school, it was the diligence of her older sisters that inspired her to do well and persevere in both. Like her older sisters, she will be graduating from Central High School.

Annie takes pride in her cultural heritage and involves herself in cultural clubs, such as the American Students of Asian Origin, the Apsara Khmer Association, and the Chinese American Organization. Despite being a benchwarmer, Annie stayed in her school's tennis team for three years because she wanted to build a community with her teammates.

She is currently involved in public relations work for Art with Heart, a charity club that empowers artists to use their talents to give back to the community.

This fall, Annie will enter Drexel University to pursue a degree in Business, with a minor in product design.