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### MEET RACHEL DING

—Interviewed by Ellie Brown

**What activities do you do inside and outside of West?**  
I've done a lot of clubs at West like 321, JETS, robotics, UNICEF, WAC, and history club. I also used to swim a lot on a club team, IFLY, and the team at West before I had spinal surgery. Band is another activity that has taken up a good portion of my life with honor bands, marching band, pit orchestra and weekly flute lessons.

**Which activity is your favorite or you spend the most time on?**  
Most of my time is spent on FTC robotics. During the season I go four hours each weekday to work on building the robot and other aspects of the competition, like the judges' interview and documentation.

**What is your most memorable high school moment so far?**  
It's hard for me to pick out memorable moments because my memory is so terrible, but interesting substitute teachers are the first thing that come to mind. It was the day (our math teacher) was gone, and he had students teach the math lesson for the day. Half paying attention to the lesson, I looked at my phone, and someone had sent in our math chat a picture of the sub dead asleep. I glanced back over my shoulder, and sure enough, there he was. I couldn't help but feel a connection between us that class period, as I, too, felt difficulty keeping my eyes open.

**What do you like to do in your free time?**  
I take a lot of naps, so my phone has like 30 alarms set at random times. I also enjoy binge-watching *Brooklyn Nine-Nine* (the best show hands down), watching Iowa football, trying out new places to eat in town, thrift shopping and spending way too much time, according to my parents, painting my nails.

**What are your plans for the future?**  
Currently, I'm planning on going to Cal Tech for college to do some sort of engineering. I'm really excited for some warm weather.

Kolby Greiner  
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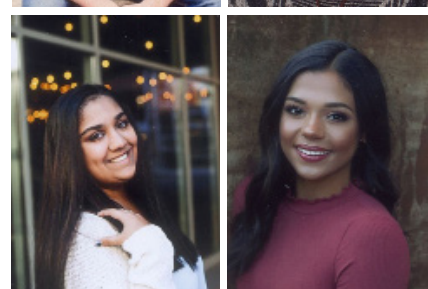
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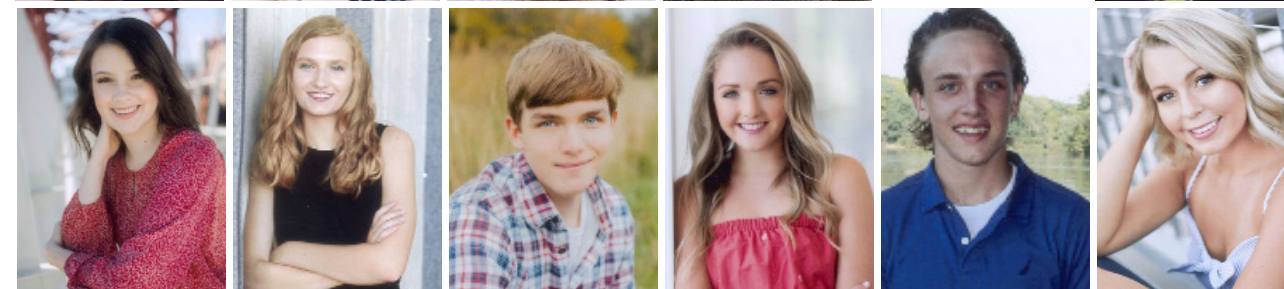


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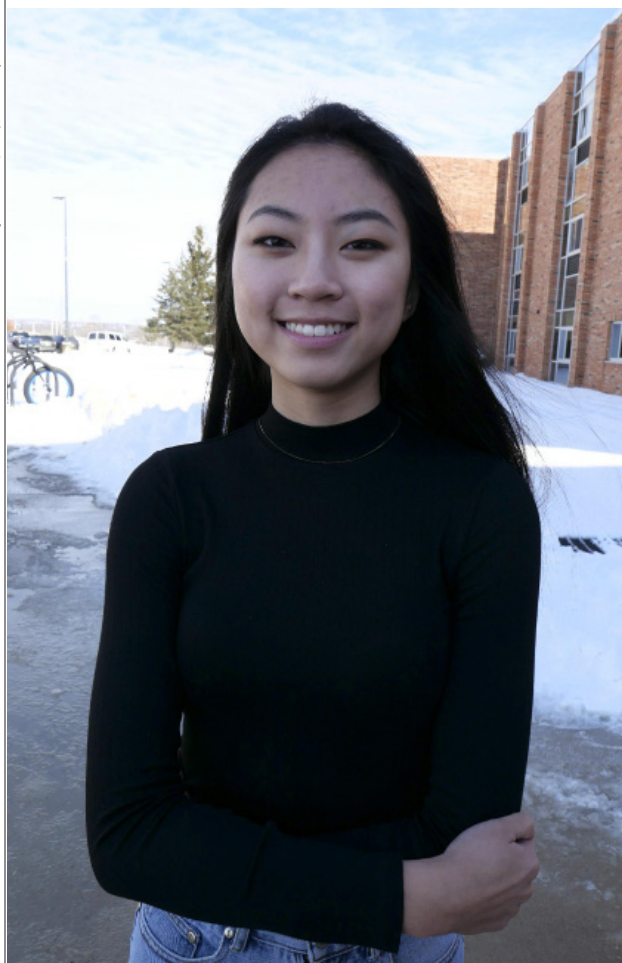
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