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HIGH SCHOOL INFORMATION	<p>Birthday: December 29, 2000</p> <p>Sanford H. Calhoun High School 1786 State Street Merrick, NY 11566</p> <p>Years attending: 2017 – 2021 Grade: Senior, graduating 2021</p> <p>GPA: 93.00</p>
WORK EXPERIENCE	<p>Techniques Dance Company, Levittown, New York Grades 11, 12 Assistant Dance Teacher Works every Friday from 4 pm – 8:30 pm teaching ballet, jazz, hip hop and contemporary dance to children between the ages of 8-12 years old.</p> <p>Dover Group, Malibu Shore Club, Lido Beach, New York Grades 10, 11 Concession area of beach club Seasonal employment. Works in the concession area handling many jobs. Responsibilities include: pool deck, pizza, ice cream, general store and food runner for the Maliblu Oyster Bar restaurant.</p>
VOLUNTEER SERVICE	<p>We the People United Corp Grades 9-12 Volunteer. Collected back packs and toiletry items for veterans. Collected socks for veterans. Baked for various volunteer activities for the non-profit.</p> <p>Techniques Dance Company Grades 11, 12 Volunteer to teach master classes upon request.</p> <p>National Breast Cancer Foundation Grade 11 Participated in “Kick for a Cause” to raise money for breast cancer research.</p> <p>Community clean-up Grade 10 Volunteer. Cleaned the streets of the Merrick community.</p>
EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES	<p>Techniques Dance Center (TDC) Competition Dance Team Grades 3-12 Senior member of the Techniques Dance Company team. TDC is an award winning dance team that practices approximately 15 hours a week and focuses on ballet training, contemporary, lyrical, jazz, hip hop and tap. Competes in four regional dance competitions and a national dance competition each year.</p> <p>Calhoun Varsity Kick Line Team Grades 9-12 Fall and winter seasons, practices are held Monday – Thursday totaling 10 hours per week. Compete in four regional competitions during the winter season. Perform during halftime for home varsity football games and home varsity basketball games.</p> <p>Calhoun Girls Varsity Track Team Grades 9-12 Spring season, practices are held Monday – Saturday, totaling 14 hours per week. Compete in the 100- 400- meter hurdle, triple jump and long jump.</p> <p>Class Club (freshman, Sophomore, Junior & Senior) Grades 9-12 Responsible for making the decisions on behalf of the entire class, fundraising, and planning events.</p>

	<p><i>Extracurricular Activities continued</i></p> <p>Athletes Helping Athletes Grades 10-12 Student leadership program for students who are drug and alcohol free. The club promotes involvement in positive activities such as sports and clubs to prevent drug and alcohol abuse. As a member I serve as a positive role model for students by going to elementary schools in our Community and speaking to the students preparing them for middle school. As a member I attended training sessions at Molloy College to learn how to deliver positive and instructional messages about high school to younger students.</p> <p>Gender Equality Club Grades 10-12 Club that is trying to change the way the Calhoun community perceives the word feminism. During the meetings a broad range of topics are discussed such as, women in government, body image, the wage gap, sexual harassment, as well as the effect of the media has on these topics and the villainizing of men.</p> <p>Hoof Beats, Calhoun High School Newspaper Grades 11, 12 Writer. Articles focusing on seasonal fashion trends.</p> <p>Concert Choir Program Grades 10-12 Participate in local fair performances. Competed in Festival Disney Choir competition, 2019.</p> <p>Breakfast Club Grades 9, 10 Club that promotes positive face-to-face interactions between students without pre-judgement. The club brings diversity together as we discuss positive impacts that we can have on society.</p>
<p>AWARDS/HONORS</p>	<p>Regional Dance Competition Title Winner Grades 11, 12 Dance soloist. Compete in regional and national dance competitions and received 1st place awards, title award winner and scholarship awards. (Dance Xplosion 1st place in category and overall title winner 2019, Inferno Dance 2019, 1st place overall and title winner, and Power of Dance 1st place overall and senior title award winner 2020).</p> <p>Calhoun Colts Kick line Manager/Captain Grades 11, 12 Chosen as manager for junior year season and was voted for captain of senior year season.</p> <p>All-Division Spring Track Grade 10 Second place in 400 meter hurdle qualifying for All-Division Award.</p>
<p>HONOR SOCIETIES</p>	<p>National Society of High School Scholars (NHSS) Grades 11, 12 National Honor Society is for students to have maintained an 87.5% overall average by the third marking period of their junior year. The society is represented by those who demonstrate flawless character as well as qualities that allow individuals to excel as leaders and volunteers within the community. Students must be active participants of service-related activities in the Calhoun community during their freshman, sophomore, and junior school years in order to fulfill the honor society's service requirement for induction.</p> <p>National English Honor Society (NEHS) Grades 11, 12 Members must have an 87.5% overall GPA and a 90 GPA English average (including English electives). Enter a minimum of two writing contests during the year, one will be the NCTE Awards Writing Contest. Students must take part in one of the English Department after school activities; attend one school or non-school affiliated dramatic or artistic performance and write a one-page reflection paper on the experience. As a senior, you must participate in or attend one of the following: (1) Writing contest, (2) Scholarship essay, (3) Be published in a school or non-school affiliated paper, magazine or online journal.</p> <p>World Language Honor Society (Spanish) Grades 11, 12 Members must complete in 11th or 12th grade and have completed a level two course, maintained a cumulative Spanish average of 90% over three consecutive semesters prior to induction and have maintained an overall average of 80% or above.</p> <p><i>Working towards the Tri-M "Modern Music Masters," the international honor society for music students in junior and senior high schools. Students are required to maintain at least a 93 average in your music courses, and at least an 87.5% (un-weighted) average overall. You must also have been a member of your school's performing ensembles during your entire high school career.</i></p>