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Ever since I was young, I have always stood up for myself and others. It was ingrained in me. From the strong women and men in my life that have helped raise me, to facing adversity standing up for what is right has always been a part of what I believe. I have expressed these morals by participating in a multitude of advocacy clubs and groups throughout my entire life. In these groups I learned how to follow, support and lead.

I have been a part of clubs such as GEMS, Le Charms Club, Ladies in Pink, Student Government Association, HOSA, and robotics. Within these clubs I learned leadership skills, public speaking, empowerment, team building, and more. I enjoyed participating in these clubs as well as being the leader for several. In my freshman year of high school, I was secretary of Student Government Association, sophomore year I was the female representative for HOSA, junior year I was class president, and senior year I was student body vice president.

As a college freshman I would like to participate in the Student Association here at Syracuse University. I want to be a part of this club to help uplift students on and around campus. I also would like to see change and more diversity here on campus amongst the students, staff, and faculty. There are many things that need to be done on this campus and I want to be a part of change.