

I wanted to sincerely thank you for your support of my education through the scholarship. This scholarship not only helps alleviate the financial burden and obstacles to attending college, but also allows me to focus on giving back to my community. In the fall, I'll be attending the UNC-Chapel Hill Honors Program and majoring in Psychology. My future plans are to attend medical school and become an OBGYN. I find my calling to be helping others, especially vulnerable women. To become the best pre-med student I can be, I must focus on how to understand a patient, both medically and humanely. With this scholarship, I'll be able to expand my knowledge and practice serving in medical settings, whether it be volunteering or shadowing. I'll be given the time and opportunity to become a better student. As a first-generation student, navigating college can feel intimidating, but it's knowing I have communities and people like you who support me that makes me feel blessed. I was over the moon when I found out I had been a recipient of this award. It made me look back and realize that all my hard work and efforts to become a well-rounded, composed student had paid off. I will continue to give back to my communities and never forget where I come from and those who helped me. With that, thank you once again for your immense generosity and help.