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Education has always been important to me because it allows me to grow as a person while giving me the opportunity to serve my community. I am currently pursuing a Bachelor of Science in Lakota Studies at Oglala Lakota College because I want to strengthen my knowledge of the Lakota language, history, culture, and traditions and help preserve them for future generations. These accomplishments reflect my dedication, responsibility, and determination to succeed. My long-term goal is to continue my education by earning a master's degree and eventually a doctorate in Lakota Studies. I hope to become an educator and researcher who helps preserve and promote the Lakota language and culture through teaching, scholarship, and community engagement.