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EHS March 2024 Senior Spotlight: Meet Ameerah Brown-McMullen



What do you want people to know about Ewing High School that they might not know?

I want people to know that Ewing High School is full of many motivating teachers and staff. Growing a close relationship with the Ewing High staff has played a huge role in my desire to attend college and further my education. Ewing High also has many school activities, clubs, and social events. I've been to the Black Student Alliance (BSA) festivals and events, I danced on the dance team, Haunted Halls was fun but scary, and the pep rallies are always my favorite.

What are you most looking forward to these last few months of senior year of high school?

These last few months of senior year of high school I am looking forward to going to prom and receiving my diploma.

What is your favorite subject?

My favorite subject is English because I love reading and writing about different social, political, personal, and economic topics. English gives me space to be creative and make connections through literature.

What college course did you take first semester?

During the first semester, I took the Introduction to Psychology course. I honestly loved the course because I learned why we all as humans psychologically think and behave.

Who is your favorite teacher and why?

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My favorite teacher is Mrs. Hewlett because she genuinely cares about her students and her work. No matter what Mrs. Hewlett is dealing with outside of school, she never fails to positively share her passion for teaching with her students. She treats everyone as if they are one of her own, she takes the time out of class to explain the lessons, and she makes learning fun and easy to understand.

What is your Senior Experience this semester?

This semester my Senior Experience is working at the Big Easy of Ewing, a southern soul food restaurant. I have been working there for about four years, and I am a junior manager and trainee at the restaurant.

What activities do you participate in school?

In school, I participated in National Honors Society, Black Student Alliance Afro Arts events, Ewing High Varsity softball, and I was on the Ewing High "Blue Flames" dance team.

You have been a member of the EHS Varsity Softball team since freshman year. What are you looking forward to this spring season? What position do you play? Any goals for the season?

This spring season I am looking forward to, growing a closer relationship with my coaches and teammates. I am looking forward to being on the field, in the nice weather, playing the sport I love. I play first base and outfield for the Ewing High School team. My goal this season is to reach the 100th hits club, so I can put my name up on the banner in the school gym. I also want to get better at playing first base because the position is still new to me.

What activities do you participate in outside of school?

Outside of school, I play for the Philadelphia Phillies Urban Youth Academy Softball Team. I own a clothing brand called VIVOapparel.co. I work at Big Easy of Ewing restaurant, I work in real estate, and I am a Greater Mount Zion Church and Change Church member. I do volunteer work at the Young Scholars Institute and AFSCME Union as well.

What awards or acknowledgments have you received in school or outside of school?

I have received honorable mention my entire high school career. I have been selected to be a part of the National Honor Society, I have received the "Most Improved Player" and MVP awards on the Ewing High softball team, and I was elected the BSA MC of the Black History Month Afro Arts event. Outside of school I am the junior manager at my job, I am the Toy Drive coordinator at Greater Mount Zion Church, and I am a senior tutor at Young Scholars Institute.

What accomplishments are you most proud of?

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I am most proud of my 4.4 GPA, the effort and hard work I put into recovering from my ligament surgery last year, my financial and spiritual growth, starting my clothing/styling brand business, getting monetized on YouTube, becoming the youngest manager at my job, and committing to one of my dream schools.

How do you define success?

I define success as living in your purpose. Success is following your dreams and creating a career doing what you love. I believe everyone was put on earth to fulfill a specific purpose in life and success is pursuing the vision God has given you.

What is your favorite quote or book?

My favorite quote is "In 5yrs you could be somewhere You never imagined! Don't Trip, Keep Going." - Lil Baby

My favorite book is "Rich Dad Poor Dad" by Robert Kiyosaki.

What is your favorite memory of high school to date?

My favorite memory of high school to date was the class trip to Dorney Park junior year.

What is your favorite memory from kindergarten at Antheil Elementary School?

My favorite memory from kindergarten at Antheil Elementary School was the farm trip when we picked strawberries and the EDP program before school.

What are your plans after you graduate from Ewing High School?

After graduating from Ewing High School, I plan on moving to another state, furthering my education, expanding my real estate career, becoming a successful entrepreneur, and building generational wealth.

What do you want people to remember about you after you graduate from high school?

After I graduate from Ewing High School, I want people to remember me as the young woman that worked hard, stayed focused on her academics, loved fashion, always threw the best high school parties, was outspoken, and anything she wanted she hustled and worked to get it. When I graduate and move into my next chapter of life, I want to be so inspirational and influential to the next generation. My plan is to come back to Ewing High School and motivate students to chase their dreams and live their purpose.

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