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What led up to your enrollment at GPL? Was it a simple decision? Or complicated? Were you in favor? Or reluctant?

For me, coming to GPL was an easy decision. I had been waiting for so long to come here, and it helped that I had already had siblings come here before me.

Describe what you were thinking and feeling in the days leading up to and on the day you moved into the dorm for the first time.

I wasn't thinking much of anything leading up to the school year, except I was excited to finally come here and start meeting new people and making new friends.

Were those thoughts and feelings different a month or two later? If so, how?

They weren't very different. I just wasn't excited anymore because I had actually started living here and had gotten into a routine.

Talk about some of your classes and the activities you've been involved in.

I haven't been involved in much this year, and I kind of regret it. I plan to be involved in golf this spring and join football next year. The academics part was actually easier than I thought it would be, but there were some times where I actually had to study. But I am also kind of glad I didn't do some of those sports, because it gave me time to build connections with friends.

Talk about some of the challenges and blessings you have faced during your time at GPL.

I don't think I have faced really any challenges, the only challenge I really have faced was dealing with my roommate, but I'll admit it wasn't the worst thing that had ever happened to me.

If you had to choose just one, what one thing do you want people to know about GPL?

If I had to choose, I would say that it is a great school, even if you aren't good at sports or aren't the smartest person, you can always find some friends, and pick those friends wisely because the good ones will help you whenever you need it.