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Scholar Spotlight

William Dejesus Sandoval
Furness Chapter

William Dejesus Sandoval is a 9th-grade student at Horace Furness High School and was new to the YMWIC Foundation this Program Year. William has been very dedicated and has attended most of the Program's workshops, events, and chapter meetings. What he appreciates most about being a member is the opportunity to connect with his peers and visit new places (college tours, corporate visits, etc.) through YMWIC. He credits the Program with teaching him how to manage his time more effectively, especially when it comes to meeting deadlines and being prepared for upcoming opportunities, and to communicate more clearly.

With his sights set on becoming an engineer, William is building a strong academic foundation. He's earned recognition for maintaining A's and B's this year and is preparing to take on Honors English in 10th grade. Although he hasn't settled on a college just yet, he's already developing the focus and discipline needed to reach his career goals. His approach to learning reflects a thoughtful and forward-thinking mindset.

Outside the classroom, William is exploring new interests. He's currently learning to play electric guitar and enjoys staying active by going to the gym. He also spends time unwinding with video games. His advice to new or younger Scholars is straightforward: "Don't be shy to speak up or ask for help." He encourages others to join the Foundation if they're looking for something meaningful to do after school. "The events are fun, and you'll learn so much," he says—a perspective that shows both enthusiasm and purpose as he continues to grow through the YMWIC experience.

We look forward to continuing being an integral part of your growth, William.