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Kiley is a junior at Malden High School. Some of her core values include internal positivity, kindness, and respect. She spends her free time reading, playing softball, and doing photography. She is an active member in the Feminist club at school and hopes that the values of the student body will one day reflect the policies.



Prabhdeep is a senior at Billerica Memorial High School. She identifies as Sikh and attends the Westborough Gurudwara Sahib (NESSC). Prabhdeep sings, plays rugby, dances (bhangra), and volunteers. She also shows a passion for learning about new cultures and issues going on around the world. She is in the choir and the Students of Color Association (SOCA) at school.



Jordyn is a sophomore at Ursuline Academy, where she serves as the team speech coach and was a 2021 state finalist in the Massachusetts Speech and Debate league. She serves the youth in her church and having a brother with down syndrome has taught her the value of inclusion and having compassion for all people.



Kawtar is a senior at Pioneer Charter School of Science and the oldest and only daughter of three children. Being a first-generation high school student, she gets to guide her younger brothers toward the unfamiliar experience, making her appreciative of the immigrant struggle. She identifies as Muslim, enjoys reading poetry, and is passionate about religious equality.

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Keely is a Senior at Hingham High School who loves seeking opportunities to grow as a person. She identifies as a Unitarian Universalist and is also a practicing Wiccan, attending Old Ship Church First Parish in Hingham. Keely loves writing, music, and exploring nature. She is involved in numerous clubs at her school including being head of the school newspaper. She is also very involved in the Girl Scouts. She values harmony and understanding between peoples regardless of creed or denomination.



Christopher is a Junior at Boston College High School, where his favorite subjects are Math and Science. At school, he is a member of the Michael D. White Center for Emerging Leaders, leads Lab Rats, and enjoys being in the Totally Random Interest Club. Christopher is an avid curler, curling out of Broomstones Curling Club. He enjoys Lego, Star Wars, Marvel, and playing board games. He is passionate about working towards inclusion and fairness towards all and looks forward to participating in the Dignity Project.



Malk is a sophomore at Revere High School. She identifies as Muslim and attends American Muslim Center in Everett. Malk enjoys helping her community and plays soccer. She values equality. She is involved in the MGH Scholars Program, Power of Know, and Revere Youth in Action.



Siddakk is a senior at Acton-Boxborough High School and he is a proud Sikh who goes to the NESSC Gurudwara in Westborough. Siddakk is a first degree black belt in Tae Kwon Do and enjoys playing basketball and working in media and film productions, in which he won the IFFB award for best student movie. He is involved in his community in many ways, like being a TA at Khalsa School. He also helps teach Tae Kwon Do and is always interested in learning new perspectives and promoting diversity.

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Sofia is a junior at Brockton High School. She is a hardworking student and athlete and values spending time with her friends. She identifies as both Christian and Spiritual. Sofia is a member of her school's swim team, field hockey team, and softball team. She is also a member of her school's envirothon team and is captivated by science-based topics.



Meher is a senior at Hopkinton High School and a compassionate student. She identifies as Sikh and attends Westborough Gurdwara (Sikh house of worship). Meher enjoys reading, painting, and participating in choirs. She is co-president of the South Asian Affinity Group at her school in which she wishes for her peers to be understanding of others and their heritage.



Daisy is a junior at Boston Latin Academy and an enthusiastic student in the classroom. She identifies as Christian and loves hearing new perspectives. Daisy enjoys mock trials, meeting new people, playing tennis, and teaching. She is involved in law oriented clubs and programs both inside and outside of school.



Olivia is a junior at Milton High School. She is a strong student and has a passion for science and math. She is on the swimming and crew team at her high school. She participates in Earth Club and Amnesty International Club and as a part of these groups she advocates for important world issues in her school and town. Her favorite hobby outside of school is art, especially drawing and painting.

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Henry is a senior at Gann Academy, a pluralistic Jewish high school in Waltham. He identifies as a Conservative Jew and is a member of Temple Emanuel in Newton. He lives in Chestnut Hill, with his parents and two dogs. Henry has worked as a field organizer for political campaigns in Massachusetts and organizes for climate justice with Sunrise Boston. In his free time he enjoys being outdoors, hiking, biking, and skiing.



Natane is going into her senior year at Brookline High School and hopes to go to college in Europe after graduation. She doesn't identify with any religion though her family was Muslim when she was younger, then Christian, and now most people in her family have different personal beliefs. She is a part of the food justice club at school, which is also connected to the environmental action club. Natane enjoys making new friends and being outside, and she cares deeply about nature and our planet.



Eli is a senior at Westwood High School and is very passionate about making a difference in the lives of others. He identifies as Jewish and attends Temple Beth David in Westwood. Eli enjoys playing the guitar, hiking, and volunteering wherever he can. He currently serves on the Westwood Youth & Family Services Advisory Board as well as the Westwood Ambassadors club at school where he strives to better the community he lives in.



AJ is a senior at Boston College High School and is a dedicated student. He enjoys playing soccer, basketball, and likes watching shows and movies. He's involved in the Blacks and Latinos club. He strongly values honesty and loyalty.

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Lily Cantor is from Newton. She identifies as a Reform Jew and is a rising senior at Gann Academy, a Jewish highschool. She plays soccer and lacrosse and also writes for the school newspaper. She is incredibly passionate about social justice and last year founded a group at her school called CABB, which stands for Connections, Awareness, and Breaking Barriers and strives to connect teens from different backgrounds, religions and cultures.



Muhammad is a senior at Commonwealth School and a Muslim with no one distinct community. He enjoys watching movies and hushing people who speak while the film plays, and he also enjoys spending time with his siblings and many other things. He doesn't enjoy running long distances, but he does it anyway. As a youth ambassador in the Faith4TheVaccine initiative and volunteer in adjacent communities, he is interested in what changes he can make in a community.



Ella is a junior at Milton High School and loves to learn. She identifies as a nondenominational Christian and attends Antioch Community Church Quincy. Ella enjoys playing field hockey, drinking iced coffee, and helping others. She is involved in the WCP (World Children's Prize) Club at her school and values spreading justice and love to everyone.



Nydjeem is a rising senior at English High School who excels in academics. In addition to his stellar academic performance, he is an exceptional athlete and plays various sports on the varsity level. Outside of school, he loves to serve his community through volunteerism and spend quality time with loved ones. Currently, he works at the Federal Reserve Bank of Boston for the Real Estate Services Group where he helps to manage the fitness center. While working for the Federal Reserve, he has cultivated a passion to promote Diversity and Inclusion and wants to continue his efforts in the space of Diversity and Inclusion and help the Dignity Project to achieve its diversity and inclusion goals.

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Radhika is a sophomore at Lexington High School and identifies as a Hindu. She enjoys reading, doing karate, and spending time with her friends and family. She is a part of the Lexington chapter of Diversify Our Narrative and believes that it is extremely important to advocate for the rights of all individuals.