

Dignity Project Fellowship Cohort



Christopher is a Senior at NuVu Studio in Cambridge, aspiring to be a Mechanical Engineer. His favorite subjects are Physics and Mathematics and he enjoys project based learning and collaborating with others. Christopher is an avid curler, curling out of Broomstones Curling Club, and recently skipped a team at the 2022 U21 National Championships. 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 a leadership role as a Dignity Project Fellow.



Rishit is a freshman at Shrewsbury High School and an amicable student in the classroom. He follows Hinduism and has an extensive family history within Hinduism, being an Asian Indian. He likes to read, play video games, and is passionate about music, being involved with Carnatic music and Concert Band. He also has a passion for anything computer-related. He participated in Boy Scouts and is "prepared" to create positive change wherever he goes. Rishit significantly values patience and an open-minded attitude.



A senior at Boston College High School, I'm a "people's person" who loves to engage with various groups and people in the community. My education and home life have been steeped in Jesuit and Catholic values, which I hope to share and develop with and through the Dignity Project. From Hingham, MA, I try to embrace my community for all the things and people who make it so special and meaningful to me. I plan to work as a commercial airline pilot and I am actively training for my pilots license out of Norwood.



Hi! My name is Orlaith! I am a sophomore at Milton high school and I am passionate about art and coding. I am the art editor of our school's art and literature magazine, The Echo, and I practice often to improve my artistic talents. I am also interested in video game design and coding. The church I attend is St. Agatha's in Milton, which has helped me have opportunities to help my community. I often help out at the Milton art center too. I enjoy being able to share my art with others.



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Tanvi is a junior at Westborough High School. She is hard working and particularly enjoys her science classes at the high school. She loves volunteering in her community and playing the flute. Tanvi is a Hindu and is very involved in the India Society of Worcester as the president of the youth group. She is also a part of the Westborough Youth and Family services to help better her town for the current youth. She hopes to leave a positive impact on her community whenever possible.



Meital is a rising senior at Gann Academy in Waltham MA. She comes from a strong Jewish background and her family belongs to three different synagogues. She enjoys playing sports and is captain of her varsity basketball and lacrosse teams at Gann. She also loves singing and playing piano in her free time. She is the co-leader of the club CABB—Connections Awareness and Breaking Barriers club at Gann and is excited to meet other fellows and participate in The Dignity Project.



Riya is a junior at Algonquin Regional High school where she enjoys being an active student and participant in the community. She identifies as a Sikh and attends the Westborough Gurdwara Sahib (NESSC). She is the Managing Editor of her school's newspaper, as well as a trained Anti-Defamation League (ADL) mentor where her team facilitates workshops with the sophomore class. In her free time, she enjoys playing tennis, singing and painting.



Naomi is a sophomore at Boston Trinity Academy, where she participates in the Arts Council and leads as a varsity soccer captain. She also enjoys theater, philosophy, and listening to history podcasts. She identifies as a Messianic Jew and attends both Antioch Community Church in Waltham and Sar Shalom. Naomi enjoys learning about new cultures and ideologies, and values all people as a reflection of God the Creator.



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Danveer is a rising senior at Natick High. He is a Sikh and is an active member of the local Gurudwara (Sikh place of worship) as the youth representative. Danveer enjoys Taekwondo, working out, community service, and video games. He is first in his division in the US and has won many Taekwondo tournaments. He enjoys learning about other religions and world views to have a deeper understanding of others.



Sophie is a rising senior at Milton High School and has a passion for learning. She identifies as religious and currently attends The First Congregational Church of Milton, where she is very active in helping the community. Sophie enjoys playing piano, embroidering, and watching horror films. She strongly values honesty, community, and compassion.



Cameron is a junior at Boston College High School. He identifies as Catholic and attends St. Mary's Parish in Melrose. He enjoys rowing, hiking, and playing with his new black lab puppy. He is involved with literacy volunteering and environmental science research, and is especially interested in the intersection between social justice and STEM.



Emma is a senior at Gann Academy in Waltham. She identifies as Jewish and attends Camp Pembroke. Emma loves playing volleyball, playing lacrosse, and spending time with family and friends. Emma is the programming officer on Gann Academy's student council and values making real change in her community.



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Suzanna is a junior at Arlington High School. She attends Kahal B'raira in Cambridge, a Humanistic Jewish temple, where she is currently a teacher's aide. Suzanna loves playing volleyball, being outside, learning new things, and spending meaningful time with others.



Greg is a junior at Boston College High School and is an organized and thoughtful student. Greg enjoys playing the piano and basketball, and is involved in multiple groups involving the Fine Arts in an effort to further the Arts at school.



I'm Luz, 17 years old. I'm an upcoming senior at Newton North High School. I love running, reading, and writing. I am often looking for ways to help my community whether it's fundraisers or walk-outs. I value honesty and respect above all.



Zehra Sekin is a sophomore in high school who enjoys putting dedication into her school activities. At school, she participates in Student Ambassadors, Science Club, Girl Scouts, Gala Ambassadors, and does an entrepreneurship program. She does TaeKwonDo and likes to read and write for enjoyment. Zehra identifies as Muslim and likes to advocate for justice for everyone, no matter their religion, race, gender, etc.



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Ranya is a Senior at Sharon High School where she is a varsity sailor on her high school team. She is a tour guide at the Massachusetts state house, an intern at a law firm, and an aspiring lawyer.



Nat is a senior at Newton North High School. They are an accomplished musician and composer and enjoy creating other forms of art as well. Nat is a member of Newton Presbyterian Church and looks forward to improving their leadership skills at the Dignity Project Fellowship.



My name is Ibrahim and I am a junior at Methuen High School. I am Muslim and pride my self on my love for my religion. I enjoy reading, playing video games, learning and exercising. I help out in all facets of my community and I strive for equality.



Daniel is a senior at Boston College High School. He is an Evangelist who attends Congregation Lion of Judah in Boston. He enjoys writing short stories and is a part of the leadership team in his youth group. He loves to read books and cares for the environment around him.



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Gabe is a senior at the Cambridge School of Weston, where he serves on the school's curriculum committee and as president of the Junior Statesmen of America chapter. He identifies as Jewish and attends Temple Beth Zion in Brookline. Gabe's interest in interfaith and intercultural work stems from the conversations that he's had with over 50 foreign students that his family has hosted. In his free time, Gabe enjoys spending time in nature, playing sports with friends, playing music, and volunteering.