

Pratt & Whitney Scholar

Conner Richards

Anacortes, WA

Whitworth University

High School GPA: 3.93



Activities:

- Varsity Swim Team (Captain), Track and Football teams
- Member Honors Society, Sills USA and youth group
- Volunteer on mission trips, Link Crew, Masters Meet, Vacation Bible School
- Swimmer of the Year, All American Academic Scholar, Academic Awards

Statement: Receiving this scholarship is such an honor. To me it means I now have the opportunity to attend the school of my choice, Whitworth University. I fell in love with this school after visiting their gorgeous campus and sitting on a highly interesting chemistry class. I like low student to faculty ratio that will allow me to interact with my professors and counselors on a very personal level. In addition, athletics are a core piece of each student's life, which will help me maintain healthy balance. All this has become more accessible to me with your scholarship.

It also means being one step closer to my dreams of being a flight surgeon and then an astronaut. Your scholarship is giving me the opportunity to achieve my goals in places through the world. Such a chance is a rare one – I am so blessed to receive this opportunity through your generosity.