



## WOASF Volunteers-West Scholar

Cole Hudson

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Texas A&M University

2021-2022: Freshman

Major: Construction Science in the College of Architecture

### Academic & Extracurricular Highlights:

- Marching Band Section leader and Concert Band
- Flour Bluff 4H Treasurer (9<sup>th</sup> grade) & Vice President (11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> grades)
- 4H Community Service Committee
- Leader for Real Life Church and Corpus Christi Community Church
- Conceptualized, created and managed the 4H Sock Exchange to help those in kids in need. T "One to share and one to care!" was the motto. Members brought at least 2 pairs of socks each. One to share with each other and one (or more) to donate.



I was born into the Naval Aviation community, so receiving a Wings Over America Scholarship is very special to me. As I learned about this scholarship and what it represents, I felt a sense of pride just being eligible to apply for it. Today, I feel a certain responsibility to represent not only my father as a veteran, but also this scholarship given to me. Wings has given me the confidence to go away from home and know that I can take care of myself in a way I might not have been able to without it. I have worked very hard to forge my path into college, and this will help me see it through, while taking some of the burden off my family. It is proof that patriotism is alive and well and that there are still those that want to take care of our veterans and their families. I hope that one day I will be able to help another student along their own journey.