

## Raytheon Intelligence and Space Scholar

## Lauren Adams Walla Walla, WA

Sponsor: CAPT Daniel Adams

College: Washington University in St Louis

2022-2023: Freshman

Major: Biomedical Engineering/Spanish

Academic & Extracurricular Highlights:

- Varsity Tennis Team: 11<sup>th</sup> Grade Co-Captain
- Varsity Swim Team: 12<sup>th</sup> Grade Co-Captain
- Goju-ryu Karate, Black Belt, Walla Walla YMCA
- National Honor Society
- Green Club: 12<sup>th</sup> Grade Treasurer
- Pinecone Creamery Crew Member



I am incredibly honored to receive a Wings Over America Scholarship Foundation award. As the daughter, granddaughter, and great granddaughter of Sailors and Marines, I look forward to continuing my family's legacy of service. This scholarship will help me do so by funding a portion of my education. In college, I plan to study biomedical engineering and Spanish. These degrees will allow me to serve not only my community but also patients worldwide as I work to improve their quality of life. I first became aware of biomedical engineering in 7th grade, and I am excited about finally being able to pursue it as a major and, ultimately, as a career. Thank you for making this significant contribution to the next chapter of my education. Your generous grant will allow me to focus on my studies and worry less about how to pay. Recognition by such an esteemed organization inspires me to work even harder, in college and beyond, to honor the proud legacies of my father, my grandfather, and their fellow Naval Aviators. I cannot wait to start my first year of college this fall, so thank you again to Wings Over America and all your donors for their contributions!