



Theodore Roosevelt Association Scholar

Kathryn Ellis

Kailua, Hawaii

Sponsor: Chapman University

College: Health Sciences

2024-2025: Freshman

Major: Health Sciences

Academic & Extracurricular Highlights:

- Alaka'I New Student Guide
- Varsity Tennis
- Piano Performance
- Paniolos: Burrito Artist
- National Honor Society
- ALA Girls State Hawaii
- Healthy Mothers Healthy Babies Volunteer



I would like to express my sincere appreciation for the Theodore Roosevelt Association's generosity with this scholarship. Kids who grow up in military families face unique challenges that most kids don't. Our lives are disrupted by moving frequently, and the military parent is often traveling or deployed. The sacrifices of service are made by the families as well as the service members. It is a wonderful feeling to know that the military community has these ways to support each other, and this scholarship is a special one because it ties directly to the work, dedication, and sacrifice my family made while my father was on the USS Theodore Roosevelt. As I enter college as a Health Science major, I am entering a field that will require graduate education, so I have at least six years of schooling ahead of me. Faced with the expenses of higher education, scholarships like this are an important way to help keep the costs down so I can hopefully avoid starting my career with massive amounts of debt. Thank you again for offering these scholarships, and for selecting me as a recipient.