

I learned many lessons throughout my high school experience. One of the biggest discoveries I had, was that friends will not stick by your side. My freshman year I was bullied by the people I called "friends". They were all so quick to turn on me. I forgave them after a while, but once I came into PACE they forgot all about me.

Another lesson that I learned is responsibility. I was not very responsible when coming into high school. I wanted to fit in so I would skip classes, never do homework and sometimes I would be very judgmental of others. I learned quick that doing all of that instead of focusing on my education, would result in being held back.

The last lesson I learned is that I need to be dedicated to school. I feel as if I have matured a lot through out high school. I never really come to school or put effort in my work which results in poor grades, but if I become dedicated, I can bring up my grades and graduate on time. I really am determined to finish high school with great grades instead of barely getting by.

All of these lessons have taught me so much and I learned to value the time that I am here. School is very important and once I'm out into the "real world", things are going to change and quick. I am so thankful for my teachers for pushing me to do better and motivating me to succeed, and because of them, I will go far in life. I will become something.