

Essay A Personal Traits:

Growing up I have always wanted to be an educator. I would line up all of my dolls and teach them lessons with my old workbooks. Education is my passion. I love being in classrooms and helping teachers. Through Educators Rising I was given the opportunity to volunteer classrooms. Currently I am helping in a third-grade class and a kindergarten class. Being able to work with educators has only fueled my passion and participation in Educators Rising. Educators Rising has given me a stronger passion to want to become an educator. I have been able to see many educators speak and share their stories and tips for when I will have my own classroom. Listening to these speakers further excites me to want to become an educator and tell my own journey. The passion I have for education and Educators Rising will help me be a strong National Officer for Educators Rising this year.

Having a job, being a full-time student, and serving in my role as the Nebraska Educators Rising President has been a lot of work, despite the fact that these things take up most of my time, I still balance out everything and maintain good grades. I can always meet a due date and am always the first to volunteer for a task. My role as a chapter officer and state president has given me the experience to plan events, network, public speak, and meet with senators. These experiences show that I can manage my time, and have lots of experience with speaking and planning events. These would benefit me next year as a National Officer.

If elected as National Officer I plan to, meet as many people as possible to ask their opinions and thoughts of how to reform the field of education so we can make it better for future generations. I would promote and encourage diversity in the teaching profession by providing a safe and inclusive space for people of color and all genders. I plan to reach out with chapters and talk to them more about Educators Rising and answer any questions they have. To meet these goals I would work together with my team and equally take on roles.

My passion for Educators Rising, my hard work, and past experience would make me a great candidate for the 2023-2024 national office.