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## INSIDE THE CLASSROOM

Academics have always been a priority to me; I take every opportunity presented to me to prepare for my future. Highlighted in my advanced curriculum are multiple AP classes, Harrison's student news broadcast program, and of course my business class that is DECA!

## OUTSIDE THE CLASSROOM

Being involved in activities greater than myself and taking leadership roles within these programs is something I've been greatly blessed with. For the past decade I've been a Harrison cheerleader, now captain for my varsity team, along with participating in varsity swim and track & field during my high school career. Being inducted as a National and Spanish Honor Society scholar have both been motivating positions for me, as helping my peers by any means possible is an act I take great pride in. In my spare time I also enjoy volunteering and coaching for my school to give back to the programs that give so much to me!

## AT A GLANCE:

My name is Kayla Morris, I am 17 years old and currently a junior at Harrison High School! This is my third year being part of the DECA program, previously serving as the Vice President of Public Relations for my chapter and currently serving as both president of my chapter and Ohio DECA for the 2023-2024 term. Since the beginning, DECA has been a priority in my life, and I hope to continue to build upon the impact I can leave through this opportunity.

## EXPERIENCE

In my time as state president, I've had the unparalleled opportunity to lead and connect with the over 5,000 members of Ohio's amazing program. Hearing their ideas and passions has only furthered my love all that DECA stands for and is truly inspiring to me in every aspect.

Over the last 3 years, I've had the privilege of leading and attending a number of DECA leadership conferences and events, most notably ICDC 2023, the Southwest Ohio Fall Leadership Conference, and the 2023 Ultimate DECA Power Trip. Competition wise, I most recently placed 2nd at state in the Integrated Marketing Campaign Event category last year!

## BEING THE DIFFERENCE

With this position, I have been presented with so many opportunities to make a change in my state and beyond!

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