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My name is Mellinia Perez, but call me Mimi. I am a junior in the Applied Psychology program here at SUNY Canton. I chose SUNY Canton because of the peaceful environment on campus. The small-town vibe, especially the level of support offered, interested me in going to school here. In the Applied Psychology program, the courses teach me how to assist others, the best practices for crisis intervention, and collaboration with others. All of my professors are very supportive of my academics, which encourages me to continue. My major, classes, and professors who take the time to clarify ideas or point me in the direction of tutoring resources when I need it. Outside of classes, I volunteer on campus, such as EOP and study groups.

This is my first semester as a student ambassador. I am also an intern for Sociology Professor McLane, I am certified in basic human research through the CITI Program. I am interested in helping prospective students learn their way around campus, as well as sharing my experiences with them. This campus has a lot to offer so when I am not working or studying, I walk through trails on the campus or eat at a restaurant in town.



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