

Maren Steinke

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Academics:

Graduated Summa Cum Laude from Lincoln Southeast High School
Final GPA of 4.415
8 total AP classes taken

Honors:

AP Scholar with Distinction
Member of National Honor Society
Graduation speaker for the LSE Commencement Ceremony
1 academic letter, 3 academic pins
1 journalism letter, 3 journalism pins
1 choir letter, 2 choir pins
1 drama letter, 1 drama pin
Honor Roll with High Distinction, 2021
Honor Roll with Highest Distinction, 2022-2025
Member of LSE's academic Wall of Honor
Placed in top 6 for Nebraska State Journalism multiple times
Inducted member of International Thespian Society
Honorable Mention for Omaha World Herald Academic Team 2025

Leadership Experience:

Copy Editor for the LSE newspaper for 1 year
Co Editor-in-Chief of the LSE newspaper for 2 years
Delegate at Cornhusker Girls State, member of City Council
Member of LSE Choir Department social media team for 1 year
Co-president of LSE swing choir for 1 year
Selected costuming head or co-head for 3 LSE theater productions

Extracurriculars:

Participated in choir at LSE for 4 years
Member of LSE theater department for 4 years (set crew, costumes crew, crew head, cast member)
Staff member of LSE newspaper for 4 years
Started LSE's broadcast program, KP News

Community Service:

Volunteered at Tabitha's Meals on Wheels program for approximately 5 years
Served at Matt Talbot kitchen multiple times in partnership with First Plymouth Church
Volunteer counselor at Bright Lights Summer Learning Adventures for 5 years
Volunteer teacher at First Plymouth's Vacation Bible School program for 4 years
Volunteer Sunday/Wednesday teacher at First Plymouth for 1 year (then moved to paid position)
Member of volunteer work team in Texas and Guatemala for First Plymouth service trips (repair work, building houses)

Work Experience:

Sunday morning/Wednesday evening teacher at First Plymouth Church, 2023-present
Server at the Legacy Retirement Communities, 2023-2024
Supervisor at the Legacy Retirement Communities, 2025-present