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Senior **Shawnna Lamond** has accomplished a great deal during her high school career, with a total of 10 Advanced Placement courses, including AP United States Government and Politics, AP Biology, AP English Language and Composition, AP Physics I, AP World History, AP United States History, AP Calculus AB, AP Psychology, AP English Literature and Composition, and AP Chemistry by the time she graduates. Ranked 10th in her grade, she has a 4.01 GPA. A high honor student for each marking period of high school, Shawnna has been a member of the National Honor Society since sophomore year.

She is a member of the Science Olympiad team, where she participated on both region and state teams last year, Reading Celebrations club, cross country and track and field teams.

Outside of school, Shawnna volunteers at the VFW Post 5207 and is serving as state-level Department of Pennsylvania junior girls president.

She was also selected to take part in the Yale Young Global Scholars Program at Yale University.

"It was truly a once-in-a-lifetime experience. I learned so much about topics I enjoy, and made lifelong memories in the process," Shawnna said.

Next year, she will be studying biology, possibly at Yale University, Nova Southeastern University, Campbell University or Drexel University, in hopes of becoming an optometrist.

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