

My name is Kimberly West and I'm a Chemistry major.

Honestly, I didn't like Chemistry because I thought it was very hard and intimidating, so I made it my major so I would have to be good at it.

Um, we just came back from this conference called the Annual Biomedical Research Conference for Minority Students and I got to meet several representatives from MDPH programs, masters programs, and medical schools, so I'm looking to apply to some of those schools.

I would have to say that my mentor Dr. \_\_\_\_\_ is the most profound experience I've had at Fayetteville State. Because I wasn't very serious about science until I joined his lab and he let me know exactly how I need to be and where I need to be, mentally if I wanted to advance to the next level. Him being my mentor has seriously been the best thing.

I would say, definitely come with an open mind. If you're taking science classes I would definitely tell them to study hard. It's very important to read the textbook um for your tests and for homework and don't be afraid to ask for help. FSU is a very helpful, hands-on campus so they have resources for everybody who needs help. All you need to do is find the right person to ask. Even if it's down to stopping somebody on the sidewalk and saying – hey can you show me where this building is.

I'm proud to be a bronco because it's just an amazing experience. If I wasn't a bronco I would have never been a chemistry major and I've learned so much being here at this school so I'm very glad to call myself a bronco.