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Compassionate, Motivated, Independent

"We have to keep **reinventing ourselves, almost every minute** because the world can change in an instant. And there's **no time for looking back**. Sometimes the changes are **forced** on us. Sometimes they happen by **accident** and **we make the most of them**. We have to constantly come up with new ways to **fix ourselves**. So we change, we adapt. We create **new versions** of ourselves. We just need to **be sure** that this one is an **improvement** over the last."

- *Grey's Anatomy*, writer William Harper



BIOGRAPHY



As a part of the 49ers STEM Leadership Institute (SLI), Christine has developed her hard and soft skills by learning computer programming and working on projects that include Synopys Science Fair, District Science Fairs, San Jose Tech Museum's Tech Challenge, Maker Faire, and ExploraVision. During her junior year in AP Seminar, Christine has worked on two research papers on Educational Websites and Lack of Educational Completion.

Outside of school, Christine has volunteered at Sub-acute Saratoga Children's Hospital to care for children, a particular passion of hers. She also plays on the Varsity Tennis team and works part-time at Honeyberry (a dessert place in Santa Clara). In her free time, you'll likely find her sharing her love for dogs or drinking boba.

