



Maci Shearouse

Elementary Education

Major

Home Town: Barnesville, GA

High School: Homeschool

Honors: Honors Program, Fall 2014 –

Brief Bio:

I chose to attend Gordon State College because they had a Bachelor's program in Elementary Education and it was close to home. My future plans include obtaining a Bachelor's degree and then working on a Master's. One of my greatest joys is working with children and I currently find that fulfillment by teaching Children's Church in our local church as well as helping teach grammar, writing, math, history and geography to my younger siblings who are home-schooled as I was. I would like to be able to use my degree to help others through the gift of knowledge and by telling them about Jesus and his saving grace. I have already been on several mission trips - one to Ducktown, Tennessee and another to Vinemont, Alabama. I would like to use my teaching degree and go on mission trips to teach children who do not have access to proper education.

I am the eldest of my siblings in a large family which includes four sisters and one brother. Attending Gordon meant I do not have to transfer which was very important to me. I live in this area and I like being close to my family. After two semesters at Gordon and at the encouragement of one of its professors, I decided to apply to the Honors program. I was accepted to the Honors program and I am excited about rising to the challenge and cannot wait to begin fulfilling the honors requirements.