

EXTEMPORANEOUS WRITING

SS Third Place

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The term “Best Chapter” is very subjective. To some, it might be the definition of a chapter that wins the most medals at competitions. To others, it might be interpreted as the chapter with the most community service projects and recognition. In my definition, the “Best Chapter” would be a united group of students that strive to reach a common goal through exposure, the act of giving, and passion.

Exposure is a vital ingredient to the recipe of the “Best Chapter.” In order for students to truly decide what career path they wish to follow in life, they must experience the careers ahead of time. One of the best ways to accomplish this is through rotations. During these rotations, students would visit different health care facilities and shadow the employees. They would be able to see exactly what the career would entail. It would also open their eyes to not only the different needs of each patient, but to the needs of the profession as well.

Another essential factor of the “Best Chapter” would be its magnitude of giving. Selflessness is a trait that is key to success in the health care field and should be instilled in students. The “Best Chapter” would be very involved in its surrounding environment. It would require the students to give of their time and participate in volunteer work. It would require students to give their labor in helping with community projects. Most importantly, it would require the students to give of themselves with every situation and person they encounter. Service is the backbone of a community, and the “Best Chapter” should build the vertebrae.

Lastly, the “Best Chapter” would reach its goal through passion. It would be a chapter that truly has the best interest of others at heart. The vitality and passion of the students would build a strong chapter, and in result, a strong organization.

In conclusion, the combination of exposure, the act of giving, and passion would create not only an effective chapter, but truly the “Best Chapter.” It would be a body dedicated to making a difference in the lives of others. It would be a body that has hands that achieve and hearts that believe. My “Best Chapter” would be like a biopsy; it would extract a little piece of the world to reveal so much more.