### THEN VS Now





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Has your attitude towards school changed from freshman year to senior year?

Yes. I am more open to new experiences and things I am really interested in. I am more focused on the future than I was before.

What new experi-

ences have vou tried from freshman to senior year?

Freshman Year

I am really happy to have experienced Drama Society and Symphonic Choir. If not for Chelsea Bacci, I do not think I would have had these experiences.

What were some good and bad memories from freshman and senior year? There weren't many happy experiences

from freshman year, but doing the senior Grammy's and our musical



Senior Year

Chicago were some great memories from senior year.

What would you tell your freshman self?

Make friends, calm down, and stop wearing shorts with sweatshirts. It looks aw-

What is one

thing you regret not doing freshman year and senior year?

I regret not taking all my credit hours freshman year. Get all of those done first, then

> you can have fun. I do not have many regrets senior year, but one is not getting to know more people. There are so many great people here.

**Describe** your social life your

freshman year vs. your senior year? Freshman year

I was very awkward, most people thought I was weird, and I do not blame them. Senior year I do not have many close friends so I kind of float around in limbo. It is not the worst, but I am doing okay. I like people, and I really like conversation.

## Taniya Shaw-Richards

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Has your attitude towards school changed from freshman year to senior

Freshman year I was a child, so I was shy and scared to do stuff, it just made me nervous. Now I'm definitely

year?

more optimistic and open towards things.

Freshman Year

What new experiences have you tried from freshman to senior year?

I tried out for soccer because I heard they needed more females to tryout and said anyone could join, so I decided to go for it and actually made the team

What were some good memories and bad memories



Senior Year

One time at

from freshman and

the beginning of my

basketball game my

mom came and told me

that my aunt had died,

that was devastating.

Another bad experi-

going through my first

breakup this year, so

ence I've had was

senior year?

that was a new feeling. What would you tell your freshman self?

Dress better and be more confident about your

> appearance. What is a regret you had from freshman

year? I was too worried about trying to fit in. That

was stupid. How

were you feeling first day of high school vs. how do vou think vou will feel vour last day?

I was nervous and scared my first day; for my last day I'm feeling kind of bittersweet, I'm more happy that it'll be over though.

# arrian Smith

Kristi Patton Staff Reporter

Has your attitude towards school changed since freshman to

senior year? I went from a freshman who wanted to come to school everyday, to now being a senior hating school.

What were some good bad memories from freshman and senior year?

Some good memories came from playing football and running track. Another good memory was winning all county and MVP for football junior and senior year. The only bad memory I can think of is when ken passed

What would vou tell your freshman self? You will mess up, and that's okay. Don't beat yourself up over mistakes or failures. Even if it's not obvious at the time, these



vear?

ing honest.

Freshman Year

instances will turn out to be



Senior Year

some of the greatest learn-

ing moments of your life.

thing you regret not doing

freshman year and senior

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How were you

you think it will feel on your last? My first day as a

freshman I came in pretty nervous. My last day as a senior is going to be mixed emo-

tions; happy I'm leaving but sad because I'm going to miss all the memories. What

sports did you play and how have you freshman year?

Playing high school sports helped me grow a lot

shell. I played football and ran track How has your social life changed since

and helped me come out of

freshman year? As a freshman I was a very shy person and

still do not talk as much.

I didn't really talk much, now I'm not really shy but I

## Joe Zerilli

Sanaa Griggs Staff Reporter

Has your attitude towards school changed from fresh-

man vear to senior year? Yes; I am more open, I am

enjoying life more, I have more school spirit, and I ioined more after school curriculum.

What new experiences have vou tried from fresh-

man to senior year? I wished I joined a sport team when I was a freshman, but I decided to join the soccer team my senior year and it was the best decision I have ever made.

What were some good memories

freshman and senior year?

and bad memories from

During freshman year my good memories

is going to Homecoming

and my bad memory was

from senior year is being

you tell your freshman

What would

I would tell my

not joining more clubs.

My favorite memory

a cheerleader for the

Powderpuff game.

self?

Senior Year

freshman self to be more open and talk to more people and to enjoy life more. What is a one

thing you regret not doing freshman year and senior year?

One

thing I regret is not joining soccer because I am actually very good at it. I really do not regret anything from

senior year because it has been good

so far. Describe your social life your freshman year vs. your senior year?

I did not talk to anyone my freshman year but now I am more open and talk to people I never talked to before.

#### 2016 vs 20 'll'rends



In 2016, Justin Bieber's hit song "Love Yourself" was #1 in the charts. This year, 2019, Lil Nas's "Old Town Road" is #1. (billboard.com)



The #1 album in 2016 was Beyonce's Lemonade. In 2019, the #1 album is currently Billie Eilish's When We Fall Asleep, Where Do We Go? (billboard.com)



choker would always complete the look. But now in 2019, everyone is all about wearing crop tops with



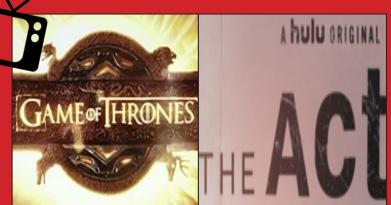
Captain America: Civil War was one of the most popular movies in 2016. Now in 2019 Avengers: *Endgame* rises to the top. (boxofficemojo.com)



Freshman Year



"The Whip" was the most popular dance craze back in 2016, now in 2019 it is "The Woah."



Although Game of Thrones was popular in 2016, and is still widely known, *The Act*, A Hulu Orginal, is the new top TV show everyone is watching in 2019. (vulture.com)