

Ed-Co Alumni
Morgan Fannon - Class of 2017
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How far will this Viking go? Morgan Fannon graduated in the class of 2017. She is currently still in school at the University of Northern Iowa. After high school Morgan went to attended college, took a gap year, and then decided to go back to college. When asked how she got where she is today she said, “Jodi Ehlers was a great influence and drew me toward the accounting profession. I started at a private college and it wasn't the right fit, nor the right time; overall I wasn't valuing my education. After taking a semester off to work in town at Kendrick's (where I learned a ton!), I then was able to go back to school with my full intention of being my best self while earning my degree. Since then, I've loved UNI's accounting program and it has led me to accept a position in public accounting!” The advice Morgan would give to current high school graduates is, “Each day try to do one thing that puts you a bit out of your comfort zone. For those bigger out of comfort zone things - if Jodi Ehlers tells you that it would be a good idea to take advantage of an opportunity - I would listen. She has so many contacts who are willing to help her because she never fails to lend a hand on a project, even if her plate is already full. Overall, meet a lot of people and be kind to everyone that you meet, the rest pretty much falls into place.” This Viking is starting off on the right foot! Once a Viking, always a Viking.