

My name is Marcelo Rivera Saavedra. I am a senior at Mountain View High School in Centreville, Virginia. I came to the United States from my native country of Bolivia in March of 2000. My parents decided to move here with the hope of giving me a better education, and I thank them for that.

My goal up to this date is to attend George Mason University and become someone successful in life. People tell me that I am good at helping them solve their problems. So, eventually I think I would like to become a Psychologist or a Psychiatrist.

[Kids R First](#) has helped me in many ways. I was able to get all of my school supplies including my backpack through Kids R First. One of the courses I needed to complete my high school requirements had a fee which I was unable to pay. Kids R first helped pay the fee.

I know that there are many fees associated with applying to college. It is good to know that there is help so I don't have to be troubled by so many fees.

I am thankful that Kids R First has been there to help me pursue my dream of attending George Mason University.