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## Rachelle Miles

Kokomo High School Class of 2018 graduate Rachelle Miles plans to attend Purdue University to study animal science on a pre-veterinary track. Rachelle, the daughter of Marietta and Ryan Miles, hopes to earn her Doctor of Veterinary Medicine from Purdue. The Student Council member believes her six Advanced Placement courses at KHS, and her experiences in the Veterinary Careers program at the Kokomo Area Career Center, will have a positive impact on her college-readiness level, while giving her an advantage over her college peers. The clarinetist in Kokomo's top concert band, the saxophonist in the top KHS jazz band, and a performer in the KHS indoor winds group, cited Band Director John Pinson as her "No. 1 role model because Mr. Pinson is like a counselor, teacher, and second father figure to me. Mr. Pinson always encourages me and makes me feel like I am going to accomplish great things in life." The Drama Club member, who portrayed Clairee in the recent production of Steel Magnolias, added a second "Thank you" to her English teacher, the late Melanie Peoples, who "influenced the

## Onward Kokomo-

Kokomo High School is definitely on the move, and celebrating student successes! The KHS Class of 2018 has earned \$4.6 million in scholarships to post-secondary institutions, including two full-tuition awards to Harvard University and numerous prestigious universities.

The KHS College Prep Academy features 25 Advanced Placement (AP) courses (corporation-paid AP exam fees), an authorized International Baccalaureate (IB) program, Project Lead the Way engineering courses, and award-winning Music and Arts programs.

Congrats to all KHS graduates! If you would like to join the KHS academic family, please contact Principal Angela Blessing via email at ablessing@kokomo.k12.in.us

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