**Journal entry 2**

10th grade overall was a very changing year for me. It was that year that I had finished catching up on work from previous years and was officially on pace. It was also the year that I moved into the city and had my first girlfriend. It was a lot of firsts for me, such as the first time I drove a car in town, learned the guitar, got my first job, it was the first time I was able to pay my own phone bill, and the first time I ever moved away from my parents out of state. It was still pretty challenging and I had a lot of obstacles to overcome. Catching up on work meant I was staying after school till 6 every single day plus work on the weekends so I never really had a break but It was worth it because in that time I learned a lot of responsibility and how to manage my time better. It was also challenging because not only did I move into the city which took a lot of time to get used to but then moved again to an even bigger city where I only had my sister so that was even more challenging. However, through the struggle I could still say that it was the best year so far….