



## Good News Scholar Athlete

### A Class President Who Strives For More

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This week's Health Plus/NY1 Scholar Athlete is a difference maker on the court, in the classroom and in the school community. NY1's Jon Weinstein filed the following report.

Alexandra Morman does just about everything at Grover Cleveland High School. From sports, to school work, to student government, there is non-stop activity.

"Any free time, I decide to do my homework, or I go to tutoring if I know I need help with something that I'm struggling, I kind of go to tutoring for calculus everyday, and then it's basketball practice, I'll stop and finish a problem and then go back to playing," Morman says.

"She's such a great student, the fact that she can handle, not only her school work and her academic responsibilities, but also the fact she is so involved in the school and our community," says college counselor Silvia Mastropietro.

Alex is the senior class president helping to organize and run all kinds of events and fundraisers. She's also a member of the Chancellors Student Advisory Council, meeting with both former Chancellor Joel Klein and the new chancellor Cathie Black.

"We get to talk to him, he gets to tell us different things, like first hand information coming from the main guy and not somebody else, and to meet the new one to see her new ideas for what she'll be doing is pretty interesting," Morman says.

When she's not shaping education policy across the city, she's captaining the Tigers basketball team.

"Alex is the kind of young lady that I'd like all the young ladies to be like; she's a very good student, works hard at practice, leads by example, comes to practice everyday, and is able to juggle her athletics with her academics and be very successful at both," says basketball coach Jack Ciano.

In the classroom Alex is an A student with a challenging course load filled with AP classes. She's a member of the National Honor Society and perennially on the Honor Roll.

Alex's favorite subject is mathematics and she's looking forward to passing it on to future generations as a math teacher.

"It's my favorite subject and I understand it, and I love children, so it will be cool to do my favorite thing of helping people and my favorite subject together," Morman says.

And so for planning to use her education to teach others, Alexandra Morman is our Health Plus/NY1 Scholar Athlete of the Week.



Cleveland Student Alexandra Morman

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