

Dillon “DJ” Gee

City and state: Lakewood, WA

High school attended: Lakes High School

Graduation year: 2011

Colleges attended/degrees earned:

Associate of Arts from Pierce College



Current career/job:

Student

Describe the path you took from high school graduation to where you are today:

I attended one semester at Washington State University and transferred to Pierce College. I played baseball at Pierce. I was unable to play during my second season due to an injury that required surgery. After receiving my associate of arts degree from Pierce, I returned to play another season of baseball. I had a great season resulting in numerous awards including Pierce Athlete of the year, League MVP and Pacific Coast NW Community College All American. My performance attracted the attention of the coach from Marshall University and I was offered a baseball scholarship, thus achieving my goal of playing for a Division 1 school.

How did your experiences in Clover Park School District help prepare you for this path?

The support I received during my struggles and successes helped me grow academically and athletically. I really think this helped prepare me to face the challenge of my injury and return to playing baseball.

Who was the most influential teacher or administrator to you as a student in the district? Why?

Kitti Wheeler, my mom and my teacher taught me to work hard, get along with people and have a good attitude.

Do you have any favorite memories from when you attended school in Clover Park School District?

Attending Prom and making some great friends!