Please briefly elaborate on one of your extracurricular activities or work experiences.(optional)

Telling stories is my preferred form of self-care. Facts, or borders if you will, are playable in art, and that to me is powerful. I decide the fate of what, how much, and where. The process of sharing all that imagination with the world is liberating. When I put my words for the world to see or hear, I feel most connected to it and everything in it.

How will opportunities at Purdue support your interests, both in and out of the classroom? (Respond in 100 words or fewer.)\*

I was most stirred by the Marine Biology club at Purdue, among all its student organizations. There is no better way to celebrate nature than to invite all its stakeholders. I am deeply interested in this areas and since there is no prerequisite of a formal qualification in biology to join the club, it perfectly serves my purpose. The Purdue writing lab and the Purdue exponent are places for me to hone my writing skills. I would love to be a part of both of them and bring my stories to their stage and contribute.

Briefly discuss your reasons for pursuing the major you have selected. (Respond in 100 words or fewer.)\*

The Earth is our only home, and I want a life protecting it. I have always been drawn to an approach of solving problems that takes wide perspectives and factors to its account. During my time at Purdue, I want to study as extensively as possible. A year with the environmental studies (pre) major, I believe will allow me to explore the many multidisciplinary options available and help me to make an educated choice regarding my major.

Briefly discuss your reasons for pursuing the second choice major you have selected. (Respond in 100 words or fewer.) \*
I wish to someday effect change in how nations make environment policies and management decisions. My second choice of major - Natural Resources and Environmental Science will ensure just that. The course teaches subjects like atmospheric science and environmental impact analysis; areas that I have been curious about ever since. With the opportunity to choose from five interdisciplinary concentrations that dig deep into societal issues as much as environmental ones, studying this course will equip me with the knowledge and the tools to execute changes for the betterment of humankind.