

Shawwna Prendergast

SJRCS Graduate 2003



After being named valedictorian of the Salem High School Class of 2007, Shawwna was awarded numerous scholarships including the Simmons College Dean's Scholarship and the Stephen Phillips Memorial Scholarship, as well as scholarships sponsored by the Salem Youth Soccer Association, "Dollars for Scholars," Londonderry Family Practice, and the Parkland Medical Center.

Shawwna recently graduated from Simmons College in Boston, MA, where she majored in nursing and minored in biology. She was a Student Nurses Association Peer Mentor, worked as a Licensed Nursing Assistant, and also found time to run and play in multiple soccer leagues. In January 2010, she traveled to Nicaragua and volunteered in different health clinics through a travel course offered by Simmons in conjunction with its nursing department. A Dean's List student, Shawwna was member of Sigma Theta Tau International (the Honor Society of Nursing), the Simmons College Honor Society which only accepts the top ten percent of the class.