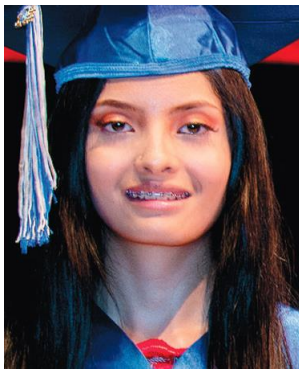




## The Right Place

### ***Karina Roman Alvarado, New America School Class of 2018***



***Karina Roman Alvarado*** will be the first person in her family to attend post-secondary education when she attends Pickens Technical College in the fall of 2018. Her goal is to secure a Dental Assisting Certificate and then use the money she earns to pursue further education in the field of fashion design.

*Karina's American History teacher, Anders Ipsen, has no doubt she'll succeed.*

*"She has a high level of intrinsic motivation and consistently follows through with her commitments. When a task is completed, Karina will search out the next one. In short, she is a joy to have in the classroom."*

*In addition to her academic accomplishments, Karina was an active member of the NAS-Lowry family. She produced signage for the school's culture festival, participated in yearbook and helped plan prom.*

*She will continue to serve her community after NAS, proudly stating, "I want to wake up every morning...knowing that I am another resource to my community as a successful immigrant who is fluent in two languages."*