Member: Kayla Kramer  
Site: Burndale Youth Tutoring and Resource Center

Kayla serves the Burndale community in Auburn, Washington providing support to an after school program that supports low income K-12th grade students. Her work this year will focus on working with students by assisting with homework, planning and implementing engaging project-based learning activities and working to create stronger community partnerships.

Let’s learn more about Kayla…

Q: Where are you from?  
Kayla: Tacoma, WA

Q: What are your hobbies/interests?  
Kayla: Some of my hobbies include taking walks around Greenlake and hiking with my dog, watching Rick and his group fight off walkers (The Walking Dead) all while eating ice cream.

Q: What made you choose to become an AmeriCorps member?  
Kayla: I chose to become an AmeriCorps member as a way to give back. I wanted to be a part of a group that is dedicated to serving our communities.

Q: What are you looking for most this year?  
Kayla: I am looking forward to building positive relationships with the youth and supporting them on their academic journey. I am excited to see their growth over the next year.

Q: What have you enjoyed most so far about your service term?  
Kayla: I’ve really enjoyed getting to know the youth at my site as well as my NH team! The youth are so full of life and energy! The NH team is supportive and truly care about the communities that we serve.
Q: *What has been most challenging?*

Kayla: The most challenging thing I've faced so far is commuting from Seattle to Auburn. Seattle traffic is no joke! :)
