Caitlyn is a 9th grade student attending Winter Park High School who's been surrounded by music her whole life. From a young age, she would listen to her older sister practice piano and violin every day, and this sparked her interest in music as well. At 6 years old, she picked up the violin and began her lessons with Mrs. Svetlana Gubnitskaya. Later on, she started playing piano at 8 years old with Mrs. Zalina Gurevich. She has won many first places and awards for piano and violin for the Florida junior federation in UNF, Jacksonville as well. She has also won awards for other local competitions. At school, Caitlyn is also deeply involved in the choral department and is part of the exclusive a cappella group at Winter Park High School. Music is an important pillar of her life, and she wishes to spread her passion to every person she can reach too.

Major awards:

2017

FFMC State Winner, Piano Hymn, 1st place FFMC, Piano Patriotic/Folk Song, Honorable Mention

2018

FFMC State Winner, Piano Solo, 1st place FFMC State Winner, Piano Hymn, 1st place FFMC, Piano Patriotic/Folk Song, Honorable Mention

2019

FFMC, Piano Concerto, Honorable Mention FFMC State Winner, Piano Hymn, 1st place FFMC State Winner, Piano Patriotic/Folk Song, 1st place

2021

Stockholm International Music Competition, Piano Solo, Group C, 4th place

2022

FFMC, Piano Concerto, Honorable Mention FFMC State Winner, Piano Solo, 1st place FFMC State Winner, Piano Sacred Solo, 1st place