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## Chemistry Peer Mentor Veronika Kehayova



Hello! I'm Veronika, and I'm happy to be part of the peer mentoring program as a Chemistry peer mentor.

I'm planning to transfer to UCSD in fall 2025, majoring in Biochemistry. I am amazed by the processes happening in our cells, and I hope to earn a PhD in this field so I can dive deeper into research and help make new scientific discoveries.

Originally from Bulgaria, I've been living in San Diego for about three years now. I love animals, and in my free time, you'll often find me at the Safari Park or the San Diego Zoo.

My passion for chemistry and biology is more than just academic; studying these subjects is like a hobby for me. However, I do encounter challenging moments, and that's where peer mentoring comes in.

Peer mentoring has been incredibly helpful, providing support and guidance when needed. I'm excited to share this journey with you!