## Joseph Somers, Graduate

Middle College not only saved me, but also saved my family. I was struggling through standardized teaching due to teachers not caring and curriculum that was not engaging. After switching to Middle College, not only did I strive but I GRADUATED EARLY rather than being a 5th year senior like my original college wanted me to. Not only was I taught about civics and community, I was taught how to thrive as an adult in our society. This school helped me grow as an individual, while showing me the campus (South Seattle College) that I am now near graduating from with a 3.6 GPA in Accounting. I plan on getting a BA in Business and supporting my family. Due to outside circumstance my Mom is now disabled and can't work. Not only am I going to school and working, but I'm helping take care of her. NONE of this would be possible for me without the things I learned and ethics I was taught at Middle College. Thanks to teachers like Alonzo and Rigor I have became something greater than I ever thought I would be. I graduated high school and am continuing education so that I will not only be able to support my current family, but also my future family I plan on having. Thank you Middle College for saving my education and my family.