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Student Connection



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Makayla Corrigan Twinsburg



Makayla Corrigan is a junior at Twinsburg High School and is enrolled in CVCC's Sports Medicine Exercise Science (SMES) program instructed by Shawn Fahey. Makayla has always had an interest in the medical field, and having a few sports injuries in the past herself, along with a love for helping others, attending the SMES program at CVCC was a no-brainer.

"Makayla has demonstrated an improved level of confidence and works very hard academically and in lab situations daily. She demonstrates a genuine interest in the topics discussed in class and treats her classmates and instructors with a great deal of respect." -Shawn Fahey, SMES instructor

After graduation, Makayla plans to attend college to major in sports medicine or physical therapy, hoping to eventually work in a clinical or school setting. Makayla's advice to current and future SMES students is to go "all in" if you're going to attend CVCC; the program is so fun and engaging, but you need to take it seriously, too.

"CVCC has provided me with a new way of seeing school; with all of the hands-on learning and being in an engaging setting that makes sense to me, I truly enjoy my time at school and I know I'm getting a head start on my career." -Makayla Corrigan

Makayla is also involved in the HOSA organization at CVCC (Future Health Professionals; formerly known as Health Occupations Students of America) and is looking forward to competing this spring in the prepared speeches category. Outside of academics, Makayla is on the soccer team at Twinsburg High School and enjoys playing and watching sports. Keep up the great work, Makayla!

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