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Student Connection



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Mars Young Cuyahoga Heights



Mars Young is a junior at Cuyahoga Heights High School and is enrolled in CVCC's Auto Body program instructed by Michael Kapis. Though Mars doesn't necessarily want to do auto body work after graduation, Mars has always had an interest in cars and painting, so thought it was smart to have a backup plan to fall back on without knowing what that "dream job" after graduation is.

*"Mars is a positive, upbeat, and respectful student who always participates and responds well in class."
-Michael Kapis, Auto Body instructor*

Mars has enjoyed all projects in class thus far, especially working on body panel repairs and making a beat up car look 'pretty' again by painting and fixing a dent.

"CVCC has given me an outlet to use my hands which I really appreciate being a visual learner. Going to a small school, it's been so cool to come to CVCC and meet and interact with so many students from other districts." -Mars Young

After graduation, Mars plans to go to college to major in psychology with the hopes of one day becoming a neurologist. Mars's advice to current and future students is to be open minded to anything and everything and try your best to meet new people. Outside of academics, Mars plays several instruments including the cello, trombone, and the ukulele. Keep up the great work, Mars!

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