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Student Connection



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Piper Colegrove

Revere



Piper Colegrove, a junior at Revere High School, is currently enrolled in CVCC's Auto Body Repair & Refinishing program under the guidance of instructor Michael Kapis. Her passion for automobiles traces back to childhood, with "Cars" (Disney) holding a special place as her favorite movie. Naturally, selecting this program at CVCC was an easy decision for her.

Engaging in a hands-on curriculum where she can disassemble, repair, and reassemble vehicles has been immensely fulfilling for Piper. Working on an older Buick, provided by Mr. Kapis for student projects, has particularly captivated her interest, having always had a fondness for classic cars.

While Piper's post-high school plans remain uncertain, the idea of establishing her own car dealership appeals to her. Nonetheless, she values the practical life skills she's gaining through the program, recognizing their relevance regardless of her career path.

Praising Mr. Kapis as an exceptional instructor who infuses fun and interest into every class session, Piper also dedicates time outside academics to her job at McDonald's and indulges in building Lego structures. Her advice to incoming CVCC students underscores the importance of attentiveness, dedication, and seizing opportunities during their time at the institution. Keep thriving, Piper!

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