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Student Connection



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Jaci Hutton

Twinsburg



Jaci Hutton is a student at Twinsburg High School and is enrolled in CVCC's Sports Medicine Exercise Science (SMES) program, instructed by Shawn Fahey. Jaci knew she wanted to attend CVCC because she was eager to try something new and experience a different learning environment. She initially considered the Culinary program—she enjoys cooking and her dad owns restaurants—but ultimately chose SMES due to her background as an athlete and her long-standing interest in working with and around athletes in her future career. She's grateful for her decision, as attending CVCC has confirmed her desire to pursue this field professionally.

"Mr. Fahey makes me want to go to school," Jaci shared. "His teaching style is amazing—you never know what to expect, but no matter the material, I know I'll understand it. He makes things easy to learn and remember with his study strategies and teaching methods." During the rest of her time at CVCC, Jaci looks forward to learning as much as possible and fully embracing the experience.

One of Jaci's favorite class memories was Halloween, when the school held a costume contest and her class participated in a group costume. "It was such a fun and memorable day," she said. "My favorite part about attending CVCC is the people. I love my classmates."

Outside of academics, Jaci plays basketball at Twinsburg High School, enjoys cooking, and spending time with friends. Her goal is to play college basketball and pursue a degree in kinesiology. Her advice to students considering the SMES program is to be prepared to work hard. "It's tough—you have to really want it and take it seriously—but it's an amazing program. You have nothing to lose and so much to gain by trying something you're interested in." Keep up the great work, Jaci!

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