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## Ty Roberts

### Independence District



Ty Roberts is a junior from Independence High School and is enrolled in CVCC's Health Careers program instructed by Mrs. Valukievic. Ty has always had a passion for health care, especially since his mom is a nurse and saw how she always went above and beyond for others; he wants to do the same as well! Ty has enjoyed meeting new people at CVCC, specifically his classmates. Anatomy has been a challenging element of the program, as well as transitioning back to a fully in-person schedule. Overall, Ty appreciates how wonderful the teaching staff at CVCC is, as they care deeply for their students and want them to succeed. Ty serves as the class president of the junior Health Careers class, he also volunteered his time to assist in the Regional HOSA event CVCC hosted in January. Ty's instructor, Mrs. Valukievic, mentioned the gifts Ty brings to the classroom are wonderful, noting, "...he is very deserving of some recognition! I want him to know that the things he does around CVCC and specifically my program do not go unnoticed."

Ty is a varsity swimmer at Independence High School and is also involved in the drama club and marching band. Outside of school, he works various jobs, including being a maintenance worker for the City of Independence Recreation Department, at Meijer's grocery store, and is involved with a music production and DJ company. In his free time, Ty enjoys spending time with friends and educating himself in the areas of psychology, morals, and ethics. This summer, Ty plans on taking CVCC's Adult Education Phlebotomy program to continue advancing his education and skills. After graduating high school, Ty plans on going on to college. He hopes to become a nurse practitioner and practice psychology, specifically in the prison system, with the hope of helping reform it. He hopes to be able to aid in reforming the health care system as well. Ty's dream job is to make a difference, whether that's becoming President of the United States, or running a free mental health clinic. Keep up the exceptional work Ty, CVCC is honored to be a part of your story!

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