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Subject: Teen CERT Completion

During the Fall semester, JTHS 204 partnered with the City of Joliet Emergency Management Department to provide Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) training for students at Joliet West and Joliet Central. Students who successfully completed the program participated in between 20-25 hours of training two times per week learning skills which will be beneficial to the community response to an emergency. We would like to recognize the following individuals for their participation in the first semester of this program:

Fall 2025 Teen CERT Program Students

Marlene Arroyo
Addison Atilano
Layali Carranza
Kaitlyn MacDonald
Melina Martinez
Julia Mucha
Landon Slabaugh
Lyla Thorstad
Aliyah Wright

Teen CERT Program Instructor

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Joliet Township High School ensures equal educational opportunities are offered to students, regardless of race, color, national origin, age, gender, religion, disability, veteran's status, or marital status.