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**Pioneer Career and Technology Center proudly announces Jack Cotter and Morgan Leid as our May 2025 Students of the Month.**

A junior from Ontario High School, Jack is enrolled in our Power Equipment program. He gives 100%, embraces new challenges, and is always ready to lend a hand—whether in the shop or the classroom.

At Ontario, Jack plays baseball actively, working in concession stands and supporting athletic events. In his free time, he enjoys working on the family cattle and hog farm. He also likes hunting and spending time outdoors.

“Pioneer has been one of the greatest opportunities for me,” Jack shared. He continued, “Being here allows me to learn real hands-on knowledge with people I may not know all that much about, just like a job. I’m lucky to have a great lab instructor to help me get a head start in my future career.”

In the future, Jack plans to pursue a career involving agriculture or operating construction-related machinery.

Morgan Leid is a junior at Crestview High School enrolled in the Cosmetology program. Her positive attitude, work ethic, and behavior make her an exceptional student.



At Crestview, Morgan is involved in NHS (National Honor Society), where she holds the secretary position. She also participates in the choir each day before school.

In her free time, Morgan volunteers for Vacation Bible School and the Worship Team at her church every Sunday. She also enjoys spending time outdoors with her family.

Reflecting on her experience at Pioneer, Morgan shared, “I’ve had an amazing time at Pioneer, connecting with other students in my lab, who have ultimately become family.”

Looking ahead, Morgan plans to work in a salon and eventually own her own.



## **FCCLA Pioneer Shelby Middle School members Compete at the State FCCLA Conference**

Congratulations to the following Shelby Middle School students under the guidance of Mrs. Gwen Schwemley for earning State FCCLA recognition.

### **State Qualifiers**

Tatum Dewald and Hayden Davidson in the National Programs event

Placing 2nd in Focus on Children Event

Karlie Bowman & Paysen Senseimer

Placing 1st in State in Sports Nutrition

Sydney Gunder