## Connection Connection

Career Technical Education

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## eadership Developing Leaders for Over 25 Years! 25th



COLTS team Building: We make teambuilding and leadership training fun!



Selfridge Air National Guard Base Tour: We get exclusive behind-the-scenes looks at our nation's defense systems.



Inspiring the Next generation: Our cadets participated in this major event at Selfridge Air National Guard Base, learning about many careers like STEM and search and rescue.



The Blob: Our cadets love to have fun, and no cadet enjoys themselves more than when they are on "the blob"!



Coast Guard Rescue Helo Visit: We have coordinated actual Coast Guard Rescue helicopters and Army Chinook helicopters to land at our high school. Our cadets, and entire school, are invited to come explore them and talk with the crews.

Anchor Bay High School's AFJROTC / Leadership Academy is the premier program for developing leadership in youth for today and for tomorrow. This one-hour class is held at the high school, and is open to all students in grades 9 through 12. For over 25 years, we have been providing our students leadership and growth opportunities. They challenge themselves, they practice communication and leadership skills, they build teams, and they set themselves up for success both inside and outside of high school.

With our AFJROTC there is no military commitment, and our teachers are not military recruiters. They are retired career military professionals, with a lifetime of leadership experience in a variety of career fields. Our teachers are dedicated to helping our students reach their full potential. They will help your student best prepare for college; vocational school; a job; or, entering the military. No one does it better.

Last school year, our classes provided over \$3,000 in college scholarships through the efforts of our Booster Club. Our students earned two West Point Military Academy nominations and two full-ride college ROTC scholarships. Many of our students go on to attend major colleges. Thirty-four of our students received high school academic awards—three seniors graduated with honors! Why not join our program and gain these benefits, too?

Our classes are open to everyone, and students may earn physical education, applied arts/foreign language, and even general elective credit just for taking one of our classes. Uniforms are worn just one day a week, and are provided free of charge. There are scholarship opportunities for all of our events and activities based on financial need. Anchor Bay High School is a school of choice, so parents/guardians may elect to have their students attend our high school. All students are welcome.

For additional information on our program, please contact Jeff Carrothers at 586-648-2500, extension 2357, or Steve Quintana at extension 2356.



Sports Day: We host an annual Sports Sports Day: we nost an annual Sports Day with three other local units, and Compete in ten events. We make great bonds within our unit and with other cadets.



Washington, DC, Trip: Our cadets visit all the major sights in our nation's Capitol by motor coach. We fundraise to keep our trips at a rock-bottom cost.



Color Guards: Our cadets volunteer to be part of color guards for our high school's varsity football and basketball



LifeTime Fun Fitness Party: We routinely host fitness parties at our local LifeTime gym, where our cadets get to use all of the equipment and amenities, and fellowship in a fun, healthy atmosphere.



Obstacle Course: Our local military branches often provide exciting challenges for our cadets, such as very large inflatable obstacle courses and pugil sticks. Come try them!



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Wreaths Across America: Wreaths Across America is our largest community service event. Each year, we place nearly 800 wreaths on veterans' graves

**Anchor Bay Schools** Armada Area Schools Center Line Public Schools Chippewa Valley Schools Clintondale Community Schools **Eastpointe Community Schools** Fitzgerald Public Schools Fraser Public Schools Lake Shore Public Schools Lakeview Public Schools L'Anse Creuse Public Schools Mount Clemens Community Schools New Haven Community Schools

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**Richmond Community Schools** Romeo Community Schools Roseville Community Schools South Lake Schools **Utica Community Schools** Van Dyke Public Schools Warren Consolidated Schools Warren Woods Public Schools

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