

**Jennifer Rae Czowski**

Automotive Technology  
**Bay-Arenac ISD Career Center**  
Pinconning Area High School  
Nominator: Francis Schlaud, Instructor



Jennifer is a second year student in the Automotive Technician program. She did not know much about cars when she started the program, but now she can diagnose and problem solve automotive issues with confidence.

Jennifer has always enjoyed technical tasks. When things would break, she would research how to repair them and found she could often accomplish small repairs successfully. Watching her uncle and a friend repair cars gave her the idea to explore automotive repair as a career.



During her mentorship in the service department of a local Honda dealership, she met many women in the automotive repair field, which has boosted her confidence. She found that she really enjoyed working on vehicles, writing out the work orders, and getting the right parts.

Jennifer is an honor student who loves showing the 10<sup>th</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> grade visiting students the shop and explaining the opportunities for women to the girls on the tours. Her hobbies include working on family and friend’s vehicles, training her dogs, and volunteering at church activities. Jennifer has received student of the month awards and perfect attendance and student success certificates.

Jennifer has been offered a position in the Parts and Service Department of a local dealership upon graduation and hopes to someday own her own business.

“If it is something you think you might want to do, just try it out.”

~ Jennifer Czowski