

# Clovis Municipal



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### ***CLOVIS HIGH SCHOOL AFJROTC CADETS ATTEND COMMUNITY EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM RODEO***

*The Clovis High School Air Force Junior ROTC (AFJROTC) cadets, trained in Teen Community Emergency Response Team (CERT), will be participating in a statewide CERT Training Rodeo, September 22, at the University of New Mexico Dreamstyle Stadium in Albuquerque.*

*The Teen CERT Program is a national training program designed for teens who would like to volunteer during a local disaster. As Teen CERT members, cadets will practice/learn skills such as:*

- *Extinguish small fires before they get out of control*
- *Set up a medical treatment zone after a disaster*
- *Conduct search and rescue missions*
- *Assist people injured in an emergency*
- *Assist responders*
- *Identify potential hazards*
- *Reduce the incidence and risk of fire in buildings*
- *Help calm people so they can cope with disasters*

*The training will also consist of a full-scale simulation with 1,000 victims, 25 of whom will be Clovis High School AFJROTC cadets.*

*Through this training, cadets have an opportunity to develop skills that are not only a benefit to Clovis and other communities where they may provide volunteer aid, but also skills they will use now and for the rest of their lives.*

The mission of the Clovis Municipal Schools, an alliance highly committed to educational excellence, is to equip each student with the knowledge and skills needed for a productive life of creative thinking, continuous learning, and exemplary character through challenging and engaging learning experiences led by a dedicated, unified team in vital partnership with family, church, and community.