



**EARLY BIRDS
SOCIAL WORKER
DEVELOPMENT
PROGRAM
COMPLETION
CEREMONY**



**WEDNESDAY MAY 6, 2026
AUBURN HIGH SCHOOL**



ABOUT THE PROGRAM



CITIED Foundation's Early Birds Social Worker Development Program celebrates youth achievements beyond traditional education. It aims to inspire and train future community leaders, social workers, and mental health advocates.



Participants engaged in workshops and apprenticeships to enhance their skills and recognize their roles as emerging leaders. This year, students also benefited from postsecondary support workshops hosted by By Any Dreams Necessary.



We proudly honor these students' successful completion of the Early Birds Social Worker Development Program requirements and their dedication to becoming catalysts for change.





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