

EXPERIMENT EXPERIENCE



Holyoke High School student Mo Silba Jr. works on an experiment during Biotechnology and Engineering Day on Wednesday, part of STEM Week at Holyoke Community College. Students worked with HCC alumni and faculty on hands-on science activities and experiments. More photos, page 13. *Photo by Adrienne Johnson*



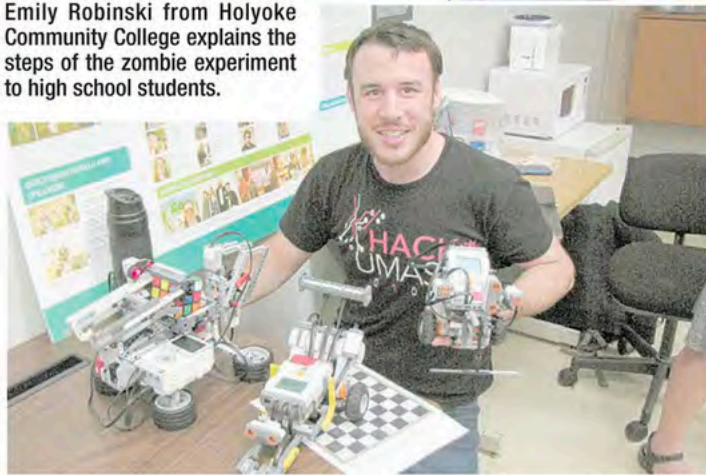
Emily Robinski from Holyoke Community College explains the steps of the zombie experiment to high school students.



Quinn Cauley and Joey Scott, from Holyoke High School, work on an experiment to determine how fast a “zombie virus” could spread.



Ashanti Ridley and Yazmine Rodriguez, from Holyoke High's Dean Campus, work on a science activity Oct. 23 during Biotechnology and Engineering Day.



Charlie Bower, a student in electrical engineering at Holyoke Community College, shows the high school students a robot he found uncompleted. He finished it and now it can solve a Rubik's Cube.



Right, Ethan McClain tries to ride a bicycle with the handlebars reversed — steering left makes the bike go right — as Julian Selgado looks on. Both are students at Holyoke High School. This is a practical demonstration of how hard it is to change how the brain perceives something once it is hardwired. Students from Holyoke, Springfield and the Gateway Regional School District worked with HCC alumni and faculty on hands-on science activities and experiments.

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