

Connection Keeping You Informed



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2021 TPEC GRADUATION!

This year's TPEC Graduation was held on Friday, June 25 with 516 in attendance at the TPEC Building in Switz City. There were 91 students who walked. We graduated 116 this year for high school equivalency only and well over 50 for certifications. You can see by the pictures how this affects families and students!









I'm so thankful for the chance God gave me to be able to get my HSE! It means everything to me to receive my high school diploma at the age of 49! Getting my HSE at this age has showed my children that they can do anything they put their minds to, at any age! God has truly blessed me my entire life! I thank Him for the opportunity to receive it, as well as for my amazing, sweet teacher, Rena Ball. Thank you also to my children for helping me along the way and definitely all who prayed for me!















Melissa Garcia





Cleaning supplies; fishing poles and supplies; men's socks-shoe size 8 and larger; men's underwear size as, s, m; Tennis shoes-size, 8 to 11; boys bikes; freezer—host or upright to put someplace other than in the kitchen. We are getting some food donations (ice cream, popsicles, frozen waffles, frozen pancakes, etc.O that we are not allowed to keep in the walk-in freezer. Doesn't have to be huge—a small one will work.; 2 basketball backboards and goals for new poles that are coming from REMC. School supplies for all ages (backpacks are not needed), ear buds, journals, hair products (gel, mousse, oils, combs, hair spray and brushes), tampons, trash bags (13 and 55 gallon), copy paper, children's Bibles (for foster kiddos), drawing supplies, outdoor equipment for boy's home (balls, etc., anything to keep them busy!), ziplock bags (small bags for meds are needed too), laundry soap.





PRAYERS/PRAISES





Prayers as new boys and girls are entering the group homes. Prayers for TPEC, now WETC as they transition to a larger space to serve more students. Prayers for safety for foster children and parents as they travel this summer and prepare for school.

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