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McAuley Students Learn the 3 D's of Driving

Juniors and seniors at Mother McAuley Liberal Arts High School participated in the Cook County Sheriff Department's 3-D program this week. The program included several activities to illustrate the effects of drugs and alcohol have on a person especially while operating a vehicle. There were two video presentations, one about seatbelt use and cell phones and other distractions and the other dealing with drunk driving and consequences teens face after making the decision to drink and drive. The students also saw a demonstration of the "Seatbelt Convincer" and wore the "fatal vision goggles" while trying to shoot a basketball. They drove golf carts through a test course while wearing the fatal vision goggles to demonstrate the effects of alcohol on perception and coordination while driving. The Sheriff Department brings this 3-D program to high schools all over Cook County.

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Cook County Deputy Sheriff Larry Gade (Tinley Park) observes as senior Lisa Barraco drives along the test course with Deputy Sheriff Hugh Dennehy (Chgo., West Beverly) as part of the Sheriff Department 3-D program.