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#### **SUMMARY OF SKILLS**

### **Analytical Problem Solver:**

I enjoy breaking down complex challenges, especially in code and finding efficient solutions. Whether in class projects or self-directed work, I take a step-by-step approach that gets to the root of the problem.

## **Strong Time Management & Prioritization:**

Balancing school and deadlines has taught me how to set clear priorities and stay organized. I rely on digital tools like calendars and to-do lists to stay on track and meet goals consistently.

#### Persistent and Resilient:

I approach problems with curiosity and patience, often going through multiple strategies, researching independently, and debugging thoroughly until I find what works.

### **Detail-Oriented:**

I have an eye for spotting small errors, especially in code and written work. I take pride in delivering accurate results and believe that attention to detail is key to producing quality outcomes.

#### **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

Languages: Java, Python, C++

Frameworks: FastAPI

Productivity Tools: GitHub, GitLab, Visual Studio Code

**Computing and Operating Systems:** Windows and Linux (Ubuntu)

### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

# Kumon Math & Reading Centre, Walnut Grove – Math Marker

September 2021 - August 2022

Marked students' work and assisted with their tasks.

Assisted students in improving their math skills through practice and feedback

Answered the students' questions about the material.

#### **EDUCATION**

### University of the Fraser Valley - Abbotsford, BC

September 2019 - PRESENT

Currently enrolled in Bachelor of Computing Science Program

Initially qualifying studies followed by Computing Science major since Summer 2022

**Coursework:** Object-oriented Programming, Databases and Database Management Systems, Intro to Machine Architecture, Data Structures & Algorithms, Software Engineering, Design & Analysis:

Algorithms, Malicious Software & Attack Prevention, Advanced Website Programming

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# R.E. Mountain Secondary School – Langley, BC

September 2015 - June 2019 Dogwood Diploma

#### **ACADEMIC PROJECTS**

## Tasks Manager | Full-Stack Web Development | FastAPI, Docker, PostgreSQL

Advanced Website Programming - University of the Fraser Valley | January 2025 - April 2025

**Project Overview:** Developed a task management web application with user authentication, role-based access, and Google Calendar integration

**Technology Implemented:** Used FastAPI and PostgreSQL for back-end, Docker for containerization, and JWT for secure user login

Features: Created, updated, and filtered tasks by priority and status; synced with Google Calendar

## Grocery List API | Backend Development | FastAPI, Docker, JSON

Advanced Website Programming - University of the Fraser Valley | January 2025 - April 2025

**Project Overview:** Built a grocery list API supporting full CRUD operations, data validation, file upload, and search/filter features

**Technology Implemented:** FastAPI, Pydantic, Docker, curl, and JSON; implemented path/query/header/cookie/form parameters and custom response models

**Features:** Added item creation, updates with validations, search by category/price/name, deletion with confirmation, and save-to-file functionality

### **CERTIFICATES**

## **Electronic Arts – Virtual Experience Program on Forage**

May 2023

Wrote a feature proposal on adding vacations to the Sims game.

Created a diagram on the objects of the vacation feature.

Made a header file to showcase the objects in C++ code.

Modified an existing code that they gave.

#### **REFERENCES**

Marjorie Fix, Kumon Math & Reading Centre Walnut Grove – Owner(Retired)

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