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Reflection

In the beginning of the course, I had no previous experience in coding, or anything related. I was clueless what coding was and I struggled with keeping track of the vocabulary during the first couple weeks. As someone who came into this course with no experience, I feel super proud of myself, and surprised that I can achieve a huge milestone. Because of my surprise in this success I made, I thought it was impossible due to my lack of natural talent in mathematics. I still struggle with it today, but I believe learning code has helped me upkeep good practice in math as well. In the first few weekly course exercises, I have grown more enthusiastic in learning and doing more for my simulation and 2D mini games despite my little knowledge of code. I have been told my ambition is a good sign to keep going, which has also helped my love for code grow even more as the weeks went by.

Since the first few exercises, I can now reflect on major improvements of my code and style of work. I have improved on commenting in code and commits. I have tremendously improved on creating my own JavaScript objects, which is good practice to be original and creative. I have improved on movements and interactivity in my simulations/games. I believe I can create games that make it fun and challenging for users with using both the mouse and keys to achieve that "computer/PC" friendly games.

My most successful code I have done was Project 1. I have worked so hard and paid so much attention on this project that I have forgotten about one of the exercises due that week I started Project 1. I was devastated knowing I missed one of the exercises because I really wanted to perfect my practice in code and maintaining good grades in university. I consider myself a perfectionist when I really take a project and passion seriously.

Although it is good to refer to notes but I find myself looking in them a lot less. To me, it is a good sign that I have truly learned the basics and I am ready to advance and progress next semester. While thinking about what specific code I am passion about, it is creating games and bringing a fun and entertaining experience for users. I am looking forward to learning more about the possibilities of coding games, and especially 3D games. Other than my preference in making games, I am open to creating other user-friendly codes such as making the next best Uber app.