Interview Stories

CSS Flexbox:

I could not position anything on the screen the way I wanted to. I learned a bunch of random positioning techniques through stack overflow questions or random videos online depending on what I needed. These resources sometimes helped, but each app required different workarounds for each one's unique layout. Finally, I used flexbox and this time I used documentation to understand how to position and layout design became much simpler and quicker. This taught me the importance reading documentation directly and how it helps to understand exactly how each property works.

calorieApp:

I created an app that connects to a food calorie database api and allows a user to search for foods they eat and add them to a list that then tells them if they've hit their chosen calorie goal. I used a front-end with axios to make calls to the back-end with express and also to an external api. This project gave me experience interacting with outside data and merging my code to work with existing code.