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Objective

Motivated and reliable entry-level candidate with hands-on leadership experience from high school robotics and a strong work ethic demonstrated in customer service. Looking for a role in tech where I can build hands-on experience and contribute to a collaborative, problem-solving team.

Skills

Technical Skills: Python, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Java, SQL, React, Networking Fundamentals

Tools: GitHub, VS Code, Windows

Soft Skills: Leadership, Customer Service, Communication, Time Management

Projects

Flashcard App – JavaScript, React, HTML, CSS

- Built a responsive flashcard application using React.js, enabling users to create, view, and store flashcards for study purposes.
- Set up localStorage so flashcards are saved between sessions without needing a server or database.

Snake Game - JavaScript, HTML, CSS

- Designed and developed a browser-based Snake game using HTML, CSS, and JavaScript.
- Implemented core game logic including movement, collision detection, and dynamic score tracking.
- Integrated keyboard controls and styled a responsive grid-based layout for smooth user interaction.

Password Generator - Python

- Built a Python command-line tool to generate secure, randomized passwords.
- Used string manipulation and built-in modules like *random* to generate passwords with a chosen length.

Experience

Subway - Team Member / Shift Closer

Summer 2023 - Summer 2024

- Managed nightly closing operations, including register balancing (operating POS), food safety checks, and shutdowns.
- Resolved routine equipment and inventory issues during solo shifts.
- Trusted by management for consistency, punctuality, and independent performance.

Leadership

Robotics Club - Team Leader

Wheatland Union High School 2020-2021

- Led a 4-member team in designing, building, and programming competition-ready robots.
- Organized team meetings and made sure deadlines were met.
- Collaborated on hardware assembly and troubleshooting, and guided new members in programming basics.

Education

Western Governors University - Bachelor of Science, Software Engineering

Current student - 50% Completed | Expected Graduation: 2026

- Relevant Coursework: Data Structures & Algorithms, Network & Security, UX/UI Design, Front-End Web Development
- Applied object-oriented programming, Git, and API integration in hands-on projects