# Alfred Tapia

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#### **EDUCATION**

Vanderbilt University

August 2023 - Present

Bachelor of Science: Computer Science

Nashville, TN

- Relevant courses: Programming & Problem Solving, Single Variable Calculus
- In Progress courses: Program Design & Data Structures, Discrete Structures

## Northside College Prep

September 2019 – May 2023

High School Diploma

Chicago, IL

- 3.9 unweighted/4.8 weighted GPA
- Questbridge College Prep Scholar
- CAD subteam captain for the Axiom 4787 Robotics Team

#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

Commons Dining September. 2023 – Present

Federal Work Study

Nashville, TN

- At Commons Dining we cook and serve the students in Vanderbilt
- As a student worker at Commons Dining I help fill in the roles that are short in staff like cleaning the floors, wiping down counters, and serving food to students

## Design Build Grow Eat

June. 2023 – August. 2023

Internship

Chicago, IL

- The Design Build Grow Eat Program mission is to maintain and improve the community garden on Kimball
- As an Intern our job is to weed, mulch, decorate, grow, and cook in the garden.
  - o We improved our culinary skills so that we can "Feed the Body, Feed the Soul", moving away from processed foods that's sold everywhere
  - The garden has gone from an empty plot filled with weed to a bustling community garden where people can grow their own food <a href="https://www.voiceofthecity99.org/design-build-grow-eat">https://www.voiceofthecity99.org/design-build-grow-eat</a>.
- During my time in the internship, we built signs for the garden so people in the community could understand
  the role that each part of the garden had.

## **PROJECTS**

Small Video Games Summer 2023

I participated in multiple game jams on Itch.io to create a videogame under 48 to 72 hours

## Hydroponic and Aquaponic System

Summer 2021

- Built a fully 3D-printed Hydroponic system and DIY aquaponic system
- I used PVC pipes and my 3D-printer and designed it on Fusion 360 to create my different gardening system

### **SKILLS & INTERESTS**

- Languages: Thai (Basic), Spanish (Basic)
- Technical: Intermediate at Python, Java, HTML, CSS, and React; Advanced in CAD,
- Interests: Urban Gardening; Video Game Development; Robotics; Pixel Art; 3D-Printing