# **Emily McLaughlin**

# Visual Design Student

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A motivated and dedicated individual with enthusiasm, energy and modesty. Highly-achieved and experienced with skills, certifications, high honors, professional work history, and awards.

# **CERTIFICATIONS**

- TestOut IT Fundamentals
- Microsoft PowerPoint (Office 2019)
- Adobe Creative Visual Design
- Visual Design using Adobe Photoshop 2023 (v 24.x)
- Graphic Design & Illustration using Adobe Illustrator 2023 (v 27.x)
- TestOut PC Pro
- Microsoft Excel (Office 2019)
- Google UX Design Professional
- Google Project Management Professional
- Google Digital Marketing & E-Commerce Professional
- Google IT Support Professional
- Google Data Analytics Professional
- Google IT Automation with Python Professional

#### SHOP EXPERIENCE & PRODUCTION

#### **VTHS Automotive Uniform** - Designer

JANUARY 2023

 Used Adobe Photoshop to create the 2023 Automotive uniform, with designs in shirts, jackets, sweatshirts, t-shirts and long-sleeved shirts.

# VTHS Diesel SkillsUSA Banner - Designer

APPROX. JANUARY 2023

 Used Adobe Illustrator to create the banner for Vinal Tech's Diesel SkillsUSA design for the SkillsUSA competition.

VTHS Yearbook 2023 - Photographer, Editor

#### APPROX. MARCH 2023

 Used a professional camera to take photos of every shop and academic classes at Vinal Tech. Compiled hundreds of files and photos to create a yearbook design within a team and individually built the pages.

# VTHS Carpentry Advertisement - Filmer, Editor

JUNE 2023

• Followed the VTHS Carpentry shop on production and helped them collect and develop a video promoting their shop to incoming freshmen using a professional camera in a team of five.

# VTHS Promotional Advertisement 2023 - Filmer, Project Manager

OCTOBER 2023

Assisted in the creation of a promotional video for Vinal Tech's 2023
accreditation presentation while going on production during school
hours to film shops working using a professional camera and drones
while scheduling interviews, filming and editing hours, and managing a
team of editors and producers.

# VTHS School Shop & Merchandise - Designer

APPROX. FEBRUARY 2024

 Made designs for the VTHS future plans to create a school shop and merchandise, making designs in clothing, items, bags, and even planning future building developments for the school such as designs for glass windows and doors.

#### VTHS Yearbook 2024 Senior Class Design - Designer

FEBRUARY 2024

 Created a design commissioned by the yearbook committee for the senior class of 2024 which was to be used as clothing. Communicated with the committee to make the desired work to be used for hoodies and other miscellaneous items for the senior class.

#### **SKILLS & LANGUAGE**

- Organized, responsible, respectful and modest
- Creative and hardworking with a strong work ethic
- Highly emotionally intelligent, patient, and empathetic
- Bilingual: proficient French understanding with 5+ years of study. A set ability to read, write, and translate French into English.

# **EDUCATION, ACCOMPLISHMENTS & VOLUNTEER WORK**

**Vinal Technical High School, Middletown, CT** - *Information Technology* High school diploma expected to graduate 2025

# **AWARDS & HONORS**

- High Honors consistently met throughout the 2022-2023, 2023-2024 school years, ranked #7 out of approximately 150 students.
- 4.0 GPA
- Cromwell "Rising Star" Award September 2023
- NCWIT Women's Aspirations in Computing Award Regional Connecticut Affiliate 2024
- NCWIT Women's Aspirations in Computing Award Regional Connecticut Affiliate 2025

#### **VOLUNTEER WORK**

#### Wesley Elementary School, Middletown, CT

Assisted teachers with instruction and academic work while preparing students for further skills in reading and writing, reading comprehension and penmanship in multiple subjects and classrooms of various grades.

#### E.C Stevens Elementary School, Wallingford, CT

Aided teachers with organization and constructing classrooms over the summers of 2022, 2023 and 2024 while building and instituting learning environments.

# Middletown Senior Center, Middletown, CT

Along with a group of other IT students, helped senior citizens with their technological questions and gave customer service & support.