# Tom Whitticase

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Computer science student at Loughborough University. I have been programming for over 6 years both in school and in my spare time. I have demonstrated my proficiency in many programming languages by achieving a 1st in all programming related modules in my first year at Loughborough. I am eager to put my skills to use and further improve them by working hard on a programming related job.

### **EDUCATION**

 <u>Loughborough University</u>— BSc Computer Science (2021 - 2025) - First year grade: 85% (1st) Relevant Modules:

Object Oriented Programming - **97%**, Web Programming - **87%**, Databases - **85%**, Introduction to Algorithms - **86%**, Introduction to programming - **90%**, Software Engineering - **83%** 

- The Cotswold School, Bourton-on-the-Water (2017-2021)
  - A Levels (2019-2021):
    - Mathematics A, Computer Science A, Physics A

GCSEs (2017-2019):

- Five 9s, Two 8s, Three 7s, Including 9 in Mathematics and Computer Science

## **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

Java, Python, C#, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, AJAX, JSON, TypeScript, PHP, MySQL

### **PROJECTS**

- Computer Accessories Shop (March May 2022):
   Developed an e-commerce desktop application in Java using Swing. I achieved a grade of 97%.
- Venue Booking Website (March May 2022):
   Designed and developed a website for searching for wedding venues. I used HTML, CSS, JavaScript, AJAX, RESTful APIs, PHP, and MySQL. I achieved a grade of 87%.
- Library Management Application (October December 2021):
   Designed and Developed a Python application for librarians to manage book loans and analyse trends to give suitable recommendations to users. I used Tkinter and Matplotlib for the GUI and data visualisation. I achieved a grade of 93%.
- Open World Adventure Game (October 2020 March 2021):
   I designed and developed a game using Unity and C# for my A level Computer Science Coursework. The project featured procedurally generated tile based terrain, AI controlled creatures, Inventory management, and saving and loading game data. I achieved an A.

#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

- Student Ambassador for Computer Science, Loughborough University (2022 open days):
   I was chosen to represent the computer science department at open days. I spoke to parents and potential students about the course and my experiences during my first year demonstrating my communication skills. I was also a computer science and ict ambassador at my sixth form.
- Quarwood Manor, Stow-on-the-Wold (2021): demonstrated my team working, time management and organisational skills during my time as a gardener by effectively working in a team.

## **PERSONAL INTERESTS**

I am passionate about music, I enjoy building and playing electric guitars. I enjoy skiing, climbing and running.