

Homework 0

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1. Your Stevens email:

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2. Your major(s)/minor(s):

Computer Science

3. The last Math class(es) you completed:

MA 122

4. The last Computer Science class(es) you completed:

CS 110, CS 146

5. The programming languages you have used:

Java, Python

6. Varsity Sports/Institute Clubs in which you participate:

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7. Insert a page break, and write a half-page (or longer, if you like) about your favorite roller coaster.

My favorite roller coaster is probably the first roller coaster I have ever been on, Superman at Six Flags Great Adventure. I was a little late to the roller coaster party, but after my thirteenth birthday I decided I was ready to face my fears. My friends tried to drag me on rides I still to this day won't face, like Nitro and Kingda Ka. The concept of not having much more than a few metal bars and bolts restraining me to my seat frightened me. My friends grew sick of me not joining them on the rides, so I was left with the chaperones. After a few minutes, I mustered up all the courage I had and found my friends waiting on line for Superman. As the line shortened, my heart raced, but I was determined to face my fears. I sat between my friends in a seat and when the ceiling came down to lock in, I felt a lot more secure. Squeezing my friend's hand until it was white, the seats lifted off the ground and we were frozen in midair. The cars started creeping up the first hill and my stomach was in knots. At the top of the hill, however, the butterflies stopped and I started to enjoy the ride. The rest of the ride was amazing because I left all of my trepidations behind, waiting on the line.