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Profile and Goals Statement

I am a student currently enrolled in Tamarac Secondary School and the Gaming & Multimedia Program at Questar III, aspiring to go to a good college and get a degree in computer science. I find coding incredibly fascinating and challenging and that is why I look forward to learning more about it. Outside of school, I am a 1st Dan Black Belt in Taekwondo. I assist in instructing and teaching children and adults alike. We help push the tenets of modesty, courtesy, integrity, perseverance, self-control, and an indomitable spirit. I believe I represent these values well and use them professionally and proficiently. I am 16 years old, turning 17 in a month. I have three sisters, one older and two younger. I joined this Questar III program as an enthusiastic student ready to learn more about games. However, this program has helped make computers and its sciences an interest of mine which I wish to pursue.

As a student in the Gaming & Multimedia Program at Questar III I participated in many activities and units of study. We have learned about basic game design; the dos and not-dos and the intricacies of it. We have made board games as practice for game design and that unit stands as one of my favorites. My game was a Dungeons and Dragons type game where my group and I created characters, enemies, a board, and a whole combat system. I personally made the board and contributed to making the cards we had everything written on. The unit I learned the most from was definitely the coding unit. It was paramount to my realization of what I wanted to do in college and pursue as a career in life. We learned the foundations of HTML, CSS, and Javascript.

Looking ahead, I don't have any set in stone big goals yet. I know for certain right now that I want to get a masters in computer science and look for any available jobs from there. I have the goal to continue my studies in coding and hope to learn multiple languages such as Python and Java. Along with college, I hope to further improve my Taekwondo abilities as well. My experience outside with Taekwondo and here in this program has been incredibly beneficial and it has brought light to things I never knew before.