I learned the most about Web Design and Development careers from Brother Birch this semester. I went into his office one day and learned a ton about careers as he and I talked. He explained the differences in frontend development, backend development, and design. I had previously thought frontend dealt only with design while backend was code. He explained that frontend still does a lot of coding and typically there is a separate designer. Brother Birch helped me understand the differences in the WDD major emphasis options and talked me through the pros and cons of each. Brother Birch also taught me how databases are applied in web design. I am in an intro to database class and it was really cool to see how it connects. Lastly, he explained full stack developers and how his team works in the real world. From class in general I learned html and css obviously, but I also learned that I have a pretty good eye for design. I learned that I don’t like to be told the order in which I code, rather I like to organize it on my own and complete one page at a time. This class also taught me that I really like web design and helped me be more confident in my major selection.

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