

## What Makes You Think You're Worthy of Computer Science?

This might be the type of essay question students dread.

- I had no idea what the Professor wanted!
- The Professor graded me down because I didn't say exactly what they wanted me to say!

And more... but the TL;DR is usually some whining about something irrelevant when really the student missed the point *behind* the question.

But maybe this essay is a little different? Or is it?

### What's the "Prompt"?

You've seen it already: "What makes you think you're worthy of Computer Science?"

You're trying to join **MY** field, **MY** craft, **MY** passion.

What makes you think you're worthy of working in this field?

### How To Answer This Successfully?

I'm not looking for a specific answer.

I'm looking for a specific **kind** of answer.

Here's what's different about this essay:

- You can convene yourselves in any size or number of groups you want.
- Meet as often as you want.
- In the group setting, decide what you think the point *behind* the question is. **Not what the answer is.** Rather, what's the question behind the question?

**Then** individually write your essay in your own way.

### Requirements

- Five hundred words plus or minus ten percent.
- Plain text document.
- Zero or close to zero spelling errors.
- Stating anything beyond this provides too much information.

The vagueness you find here is intentional.