# Career Services Assignment 0 – Goal Setting

**Points possible:** 50

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| Category | Criteria | % of Grade |
| Completeness | All requirements of the assignment are complete. | 100 |

**Overview:** Our goal at Promineo Tech is to help 100% of our students graduate this program and to help 100% of our graduates find employment as software developers within 6 months of graduation. Completing this program and changing careers will be challenging, but well worth the effort. This first career services assignment will help us help you make a career transformation. Set a clear goal and articulate your own reason behind the goal. This will help you maintain focus when challenges arise.

**Instructions:** Answer the questions below in-line and then upload this file back to the LMS.

1. What is your goal in taking this course?

Personally, I am looking to round out my skills and become a “full-stack” developer after the Back End program. Professionally, I am looking to augment my front-end skills for my job as a Jr. Web Developer. I am looking forward to learning JavaScript, in particular.

1. If you are able to achieve your goal above, what’s something new in your life you will be able to do that you couldn’t do before?

I will be able to work on more in-depth projects for clients’ sites. I will also be more adept in reading other devs’ code.

1. Are you able to put in up to 20 hours per week towards this program?

I’m going to try my best since I’m working full-time now. I expect to work on this program primarily on the weekends.

1. On a scale of 1 to 10, how committed are you to graduating from this program (10 is most committed, 1 is least committed)?

11! I have a lot riding on this professionally since my employer is paying for the Bootcamp. And personally, as I feel I would lose respect from my family, coworkers, and peers. It would bruise my ego more than anything else.

1. On a scale of 1 to 10, how committed are you to finding employment as a software developer (10 is most committed, 1 is least committed)?

Hehehe. I already found employment after graduating from the Back End program, and I am happy in my current position. So 0!

Lastly, print two copies of this assignment. Share one copy with someone close to you. Ask if they will support and hold you accountable for meeting your goal. Keep the other copy for yourself as a reminder throughout the program.