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Personal Statement:

During my time at High School, I was hard working and achieved good grades on my coursework. I am now doing a 3 - 4 year course in Game Arts & Design at Plymouth University and I am achieving good grades on all of my assignments.

I am also interested in working with computers and computer hardware, as it was one of my courses in College and I am eager to learn more. Having said this, I also have experience working in catering as a Kitchen Porter, as a lunchtime Chef at a bakery, and in a restaurant on the bar.

Main Achievements:

- Saved money for 5 years to purchase my own shotgun.
- Acquired a shotgun licence at 12, in which I was interviewed by the police.
- Ran a YouTube channel for around 3 years.
- Qualified scuba diver at 12.
- Worked at a 5-star pub since I was 14.
- Been in control of my own money since 31st July 2015 and have been responsible with it.
- Got a place at my first choice of College.
- Got a place at my first choice of University.
- Am a fully qualified driver.
- Awarded the Norfolk Scholars Award in College – awarded to the top 100 students.

Education:

In my GCSE exams, I achieved a total of 5 A*-C grades. This was enough to get me into my first choice of College/Sixth Form, and my first choice of courses to do there.

In these courses I achieved two Distinction *'s and one Distinction. From these grades at college, I was able to get a place in my first choice of University and my first choice of course. In this course, I am working hard and really enjoying the type of work we are given.

Personal Interests:

My personal interests include anything to do with IT and practical computer work. I am especially interested in learning more on this because it will help me with University work.

On top of this, I also enjoy playing games and learn about their features and mechanics as it helps me with my games development projects, plus it is a good way to interact with my friends as I do not live close to them.

On top of this, I have joined an airsoft society at University and highly enjoy the sport. The people in the society are friendly and wonderful to talk to.

Finally, I occasionally go clay pigeon shooting with my dad and brother. It is quite an expensive hobby, but on the occasions that we do go it's a lot of fun and would like to do more of it.

References:

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