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Student Connection



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Evan Schaus

Twinsburg



Evan Schaus, a junior at Twinsburg High School, is currently enrolled in CVCC's Programming & Software Development program, taught by Jami Little. His passion for computer science began when he took an Intro to JAVA Programming course at his homeschool and loved it. Excited to continue exploring the field, Evan signed up for additional computer science courses at his high school, but unfortunately, they were canceled. Determined to keep pursuing his passion, Evan searched for alternative options and discovered an opening in CVCC's Programming & Software Development program, where he eagerly jumped at the opportunity to further his skills and knowledge.

"CVCC happened to have one spot left in the program—thank goodness—and I'm so glad it worked out this way. I love it here and actually want to be here. Mrs. Little is an awesome instructor. She constantly encourages us to earn certifications, get involved, and take initiative in class. We get to work independently on our own projects often which is great."

Evan's most rewarding experience at CVCC has been his involvement in Business Professionals of America (BPA). Recently, he competed at the BPA State Competition in Columbus, where he became one of the first two students in his class to qualify for Nationals—both individually and as part of a team. This May, he's off to Orlando, Florida, for the BPA National Conference!

While Evan is still exploring career options, he likes the idea of being his own boss and starting his own company. Outside of academics, he is passionate about soccer and has played for Ambassadors Football Club for several years. In his free time, he enjoys building websites and hopes to turn that into a source of income in the near future. His advice to fellow CVCC students? "Use your time wisely and take advantage of all the opportunities available—there are so many great ones here." Keep up the great work, Evan! Best of luck at the BPA National Conference!

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