## Jacob Tidwell https://jacobtidwellportfolio.com/

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Video Game Programmer

#### **Education**

- Bachelors Degree in Computer Game Design, graduated cum laude George Mason University, Fairfax, VA
- Associates Degree in Graphic Arts, graduated cum laude Tidewater Community College, Chesapeake, VA
- Associates Degree in General Studies, graduated cum laude Tidewater Community College, Chesapeake, VA

#### **Profile**

Proficient game programmer with experience creating efficient and effective scripts. Works well with many groups to create ideal works using creative problem solving. Flexible work environments including on-site and remote. Collaborative approach mindset and a love of learning new knowledge from all resources.

**Experience/Skills:** Excellent communication, problem-solving skills, mathematics, game development, project management, U.I. design, level design, asset implementation, 3D and 2D asset creation, VRChat, scripting, debugging, code review, and software development.

#### **Technical Skills**

**Software** including but not limited to: GitHub, Visual Studios, Unreal, Unity, Adobe Illustrator, Adobe AfterEffects, Adobe Photoshop, Autodesk 3DS Max, Adobe Audition, Microsoft Office programs, Zoom, Microsoft Teams.

**Programming:** C# and C++

#### **Experience**

### Ferry Godmother Productions, Remote April 2023 – May 2024

#### Programming Lead

Work with the Game Developer Team to create new video games. Began working with a programming lead, but later my skills were noticed, and I was promoted to programming lead. Work on 2D and VR games with various teams as a programmer.

- Work with teams programming video games.
- Implement art assets.
- Assist coworkers in other departments.
- Communicate efficiently with others using Microsoft Teams and emails.
- Debug scripts.
- Mentor newcoming programmers.

**Tidewater Community College Testing Center,** Chesapeake, VA March 2018 – March 2020 *Work Study Student* 

Tidewater Community College Testing Center: Work Study student assisted with signing in multiple examinees, provided test results and file duties.

- Worked with coworkers managing the testing center.
- Assisted with resolving problems that occurred during testing.
- Managed incoming calls for testing center related questions.
- Organized files and updated records.
- Oversaw examinees as needed.

# **Tidewater Community College Testing Center,** Chesapeake, VA March 2024 – Present *Education Support Specialist I*

Tidewater Community College Testing Center: Part-time worker that manages the testing facility and proctor exams for examinees.

- Same work duties as the Work Study position with additional responsibilities.
- Administer tests for examinees.
- Work with various instructors/organizations to proctor tests.
- Fix and enhance many old work systems and work ethics to help increase workflow and ease of doing work.
- Properly follow the Code of Conduct for examinees that break them.
- Safely record examinee records where needed.
- Cover working hours when needed.