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My University of Waterloo Experience

I have really enjoyed my Waterloo experience so far and my favorite part about it is the supportive community and abundance of resources available to the students. I have visited the Waterloo Engineering Endowment Foundation (WEEF) TA office so many times and all of the WEEF TAs always greet you with a smile on their faces and do their best to help you understand any work you're struggling with.

There are also so many clubs and activities going on and I love going around to check them all out. For example, there was a poster sale about a month ago, where I picked up two posters to decorate my dorm. Just recently, for Halloween, I visited the haunted house my residence set up in our basement. Every day is just full of new experiences and excitement.

I chose Waterloo mainly because of its great reputation for co-op. I understand that school work is very different from real work experience, and there are soft skills that just need to be developed over time in the workplace. I am also still exploring my interests and, since our program alternates between work and study terms, it allows me to try out a different job each term and really figure out what I enjoy doing the most.

Recently, I picked up an interest in rock climbing, or more specifically, bouldering. I find it very fun to try and "solve the puzzle" of how to climb up to the top. I've learned that a lot of it requires shifting your body weight and trying to maximize your normal force, which reminds me of all the physics I've learned in class.

Thank you!

I'm not very good with my words, but I appreciate you a lot. Thank you very much.

Your support has made an immeasurable difference to our students. **THANK YOU.**

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