HARRY FOSTER

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EDUCATION

University of Manchester

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

Bury Grammar School

A Levels in Maths, Further Maths, Computer Science, Physics, and an EPQ

JESS Dubai / King's College Murcia

11 GCSEs including Maths (9), Computer Science (9), Further Maths (8)

Manchester, England Sep. 2024 – present Bury, England Sep. 2022 – Aug. 2024 Dubai, UAE / Murcia, Spain Sep. 2019 – June 2022

PROJECT EXPERIENCE

AttendEase - A web-based Attendance management system

Sep. 2024 - April 2025

- Developed AttendEase, a web-based attendance management system using PHP, MySQL, and Bootstrap, for tracking student attendance.
- Implemented geolocation-based attendance with a backup live rolling-code system for reliable tracking, even without location services.
- Designed role-based access control for four user roles: Student, Lecturer, GTA, and Admin, with customized permissions.
- Created a calendar interface for managing attendance records, scheduled classes, and upcoming lectures.
- Enabled light and dark theme modes, along with a leaderboard system to encourage student participation.
- Provided detailed attendance and performance statistics for students and lecturers to track progress.
- Source code and project details available at GitHub Repository.

Chess Engine - Chess Engine and WPF GUI

Sep. 2023 - April 2024

- Developed a chess engine in C# as part of the A-Level NEA, implementing move generation, position evaluation, and game state management.
- Designed a WPF-based frontend to visualize the chessboard, game moves, and provide an intuitive user interface for interaction.
- Implemented a Minimax algorithm with Alpha-Beta pruning to enhance the AI's decision-making and optimize gameplay.
- Integrated a user-friendly interface with real-time move validation and an opening book, improving the engine's
 overall performance and gameplay experience.
- Source code and project details available at GitHub Repository.

Mario Clone - Classic Mario Clone in C#

Nov. 2023 - Feb. 2024

- Developed a single-level Mario clone in C#, recreating core mechanics such as platforming, jumping, and enemy interactions.
- Designed the game with sprite-based graphics and tile maps, utilizing C# for game logic and rendering.
- Implemented physics and collision detection for player movement, jump mechanics, and interaction with game objects.
- Created dynamic level elements, including moving platforms and collectible items to enhance gameplay.
- Integrated sound effects and background music to improve the overall gaming experience.
- Source code and project details available at GitHub Repository.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Python C C# HTML **CSS** PHP Java JavaScript React Next.js Bootstrap Node.is **TypeScript** SQL Git Linux MySQL Docker Firebase Express.js MongoDB Tailwind CSS Firebase