



MATTHAN GACAD

SELF-DIRECTED LEARNER
THINKER

About Me

I am a 6th grader at Nathan Hale Middle School, and I'm 12 years old. I live in Norwalk, Connecticut with my family, including my 6-year-old brother Gavin. My mom's name is Megan and my dad's name is Marvin. I'm Filipino, and my birthday is November 7th, 2013. My favorite food is ramen, and my favorite subject in school is math, while my least favorite is ELA. I play the violin, I'm a really good swimmer, and I enjoy biking outside. I also like watching basketball on the weekends. Before middle school I went to Jefferson Elementary School. My favorite movie is Ready Player One, and my favorite color is red. I love building Legos, playing video games, and I also enjoy reading graphic novels. These are all the things about me and what I enjoy doing.

I am a Self-Directed Learner when I

track all my progress and look to see what I need to improve on and learn. I set goals that I can reach whether it's a hard goal or an easy goal that impacts me by making me a better learner. I make smart choices that support me mentally and physically. I take ownership of everything I do and learn whether it's in math, ELA, science, social studies, or in any other classes. I compose strategies that are smart and make my learning easy to comprehend. Lastly, I always have the motivation to grow on my personal growth. I demonstrate being a thinker because either when I take a test, quiz, or answer any question, I take my time to acknowledge what the answer would be and pick the right one that best suits the question. I also take time on a question cutting it in pieces and answer each piece very carefully.

"I fear not the man who has practiced 10,000 kicks once, but I fear the man who has practiced one kick 10,000 times." - Bruce Lee

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birthday

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