

Luke Swanson

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Skills

Software	Art-Related	Soft
Clip Studio Paint Adobe Illustrator Adobe Photoshop	Character Design Visual Development Comic Storytelling Painting	Friendly Communication Thoughtful Leader

Experience

- ★ Has been completing comics/illustration/painting commissions and selling merchandise of my own characters since 2018
- ★ Taught fellow students principles of character design, comic making and art practice as President of The Comics and Illustration club 2018-2020, again as CCS Comics + Characters Club President Elect
- ★ Worked on a panel of CCS artists to draw with children for the charity Racing for kids
- ★ Successfully started an origami website and YouTube channel in fifth grade which began making an income

Education

- College for Creative Studies, Detroit, Michigan
 - ◆ Pursuing BFA: Illustration
 - ◆ Anticipated graduation date: 2024
 - ◆ Specialization: character design
- Minneapolis College of Art and Design, Minneapolis, Minnesota (Pre-college summer program)
 - ◆ Comic Design major
 - ◆ Completed 2018 with college credit

Awards

- IB Honors Cum Laude graduate
- Math Studies Award, for striving to understand the subject and efforts to help my peers
- CCS Scholarship, for the quality of my portfolio

Activities/Interests

- Comics and Illustrations Club, President Comics
- Comics + Characters Creation Club, Vice President and President Elect
- Mural Enrichment, Teacher Assistant
- Volunteer math tutor
- Writing/Creating original comics since 2017
- Forensics Storyteller, i.e. competitively performing children's books