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### The Soon to be Boxing Champion

Hello, my name is Abdul Ashaif. I am a first generation Yemeni-American student who intends to major in computer science. My primary language is English. I also speak, understand, read, and write Arabic, although not as fluently as English. My pronouns are He and Him. The issues I have with writing are that whenever I write a substantial amount, my writing starts to become less fluent and disorganized. Another issue I have is that I do not outline my essays ahead of time. I just start writing without brainstorming or making outlines. I know if I make an outline, it will greatly improve my writing. I am looking forward to finding new errors in my writing and fixing them. An interest and hobby of mine is boxing. When it is warmer outside, I go every week to the riverbank park on 145th Street to train and spare. My goal in two years is to start boxing more seriously and to win a tournament. I am a part of this boxing club called "Fight Club." This club is still in development, but I am the vice president. If anyone wants to join, let me know. We don't have any sparring matches right now because it's cold outside. However, once it starts getting warmer, we will practice every week. Another interest I have is playing chess. I'd say I'm good at playing chess, but not that good. I like to play with friends and family. I also love reading manga. Manga is a type of Japanese comic book. The two manga I'm reading at the moment are my favorites. They are called "Berserk" and "Vagabond". Berserk is very dark and gory. It takes place in a dark fantasy world that is also very corrupt. The other manga is called "Vagabond." This manga is about a lone samurai who we see travel the country to find stronger opponents and help understand who he is as a man and a samurai.

