

# ANDREW BOWLES

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## OBJECTIVE

I am a highly motivated and responsible college student eager to learn and grow in the fields of information technology and cybersecurity. I am currently a junior at Old Dominion University and am pursuing a BS in cybersecurity at ODU. I plan to use this degree to obtain a federal career where I can apply my skills to have a meaningful impact on protecting the United States' information systems and national security.



## EDUCATION

### **BS Cybersecurity | Old Dominion University**

AUGUST 2023 – PRESENT

Current GPA: 4.0

Honors:

Dean's List: Fall 2023

### **AAS Information System Technologies | Virginia Peninsula Community College**

AUGUST 2021 – MAY 2023

GPA: 4.0

Member of TRiO Student Support Services

Member of Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society

Honors:

Summa Cum Laude

President's List: Spring 2022, Summer 2022, Fall 2022, Spring 2023

Vice President's List: Fall 2021

### **Career Studies Certificate, Cisco Networking | Virginia Peninsula Community College**

AUGUST 2021 – MAY 2023

### **Career Studies Certificate, Cybersecurity for Local Area Networks | Virginia Peninsula Community College**

AUGUST 2021 – MAY 2023

### **High School Diploma | Bowles Homeschool Academy**

AUGUST 2017 – MAY 2021

GPA: 3.88



## EXPERIENCE

### Installer/Technician | Jensen Mechanical

JANUARY 2021 – FEBRUARY 2021

Mounting, angling, and network configuration of business security cameras.

### eBay Seller | Self-Employed

NOVEMBER 2020 – DECEMBER 2021

Procuring, troubleshooting, and repairing computers and other broken electronic equipment.

Providing customer support for buyers with special requests or needing to return items.

Coordinating shipping and adequately packaging merchandise for safe shipping. Sold approximately 120 items and received 100% positive feedback.



## CERTIFICATIONS

### Cisco Certified Network Associate

Cisco, March 2023

Expires March 2026

Cisco ID Number: CSC014275794

Certificate Verification Number: TL2FKQ6JL0K6V4WR

Relevant Skills: Configuration and operation of network hardware and software.



## SKILLS

- Problem-solving
- Detail-oriented
- Determination
- Communication
- Organized
- Ethical



## ACTIVITIES

Since April 2023, I have been acting as the assistant director for the handbell choir at a local church. This involves selecting pieces of music to learn, coordinating performance dates, leading weekly group practices, and identifying areas that can use improvement. Additionally, I provide tutoring and assistance to new members who are learning musical concepts for the first time.

In 2023, I took a 10-session security clearance preparedness course offered by the Commonwealth Cyber Initiative. The class met monthly and provided detailed information about the process of obtaining a security clearance and the necessary qualifications to receive a security clearance.