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My 3 weeks at Strive was the best learning experience I have ever had. I am so glad Shannon told me about Strive and I'm also happy I made the choice of coming in to feel out the application. You see, when I woke up November 30<sup>th</sup> I was having second thoughts about going to feel out the application but something told me to get my behind up and do what I need to do so that's what I did. I have learn so much with in these three weeks that I have been at Strive such as feeling out applications, barriers and artificial barriers, and interviewing. There is alot more that i've learned about myself too. I don't think that I can say it enough, I love Strive. I look at it as an open oppertunity for a new beginning, because now i'm much more confident about feeling out applications and going on an ~~it~~ interview. Oh and I can't forget the great people i've met here at Strive. We have become like one big family and created a bond between us. I love the fact that no matter how different everyone is no one down talked

them or even pulled away, and the most beautiful thing of all is, when one cry most of us cry too. I also found inspiration, everytime someone <sup>(G)</sup> clapped their hands for me it inspired me to have more courage when i'm up front the next time. When I look back to about 4 weeks ago when I was lacking proper job search skills, I say Thank you Strive, because I know now what to put down and what not to put down on applications and also what to say and what not to say on interviews.