

MADELEINE SMITH



Job: Software Developer

Company: Sainsbury's

I write code on Chop Chop - an app which allows Sainsbury's customers to get their groceries within 60 minutes.

Jolly

Mad!

Sporty

The skills I use most in my job...Coding

- Development
- Communication

The most interesting thing I've worked on in my career so far...Teaching web development through a company called Code First: Girls who are all about encouraging more girls into tech. I loved seeing how much my students progressed and seeing the websites that they created themselves.

What inspired me into digital and tech...Getting involved in the Code First: Girls community and talking to lots of other women who were bossing it in the tech world.

My educational background is... I have always been interested in technology though mainly studied maths and science at school. After I finished school I became a software developer as I loved building things and found it really fun and rewarding.

What advice I'd give to girls thinking about a career in digital and tech... Definitely go for it! There are loads of fun and creative jobs in tech waiting to be discovered.