## Lucy Wang Student of the Year Freestyle Academy May 2023

Over the course of her Freestyle career, Lucy Wang has consistently set the standard for excellence as a student, digital artist, and community member. She puts forth her very best effort and attitude in every challenge presented to her. In our English class, Lucy is always thoroughly prepared with the assigned reading or writing assignments, eager to exchange ideas with her peers. Her classmates are excited to have her on their team because she sincerely puts her heart and mind into each task. Her constructive



criticism, for instance, is always insightful and compassionate. I've even seen her plan time out of her busy schedule to support peers in need of extra help. Lucy will leave a powerful legacy at Freestyle for her outstanding project work and for fostering many meaningful relationships with teachers and peers.

~Jason Greco, Freestyle Academy English Teacher

Lucy Wang has demonstrated tremendous effort and growth throughout the art and animation projects since she started the animation program at Freestyle Academy. She always brought a great energy to classes to help other students. She has that combination of a positive attitude and the perfect foundation art skill sets like drawing, digital painting and she did such an amazing job in making animations from the conceptual projects in junior year to all the 3D visual animation projects in senior year. Her Zenith project is focused on particle effects simulation in 3D animation which no one ever tried before, because it is such a heavy subject for the high school students, but she is making such great progress. I am very glad Lucy is the Freestyle student of the year and she deserves the honor 100%. Congratulations, Lucy.

~Tommy Cho, Freestyle Academy Animation Teacher

Lucy Wang makes teaching joyful with her positive attitude and willingness to go far beyond what's asked of her. Lucy has raised the already high bar for excellence at Freestyle and her work will be excellent models to inspire future students. Thank you Lucy for your incredible passion and energy while at Freestyle. We are all eager to see Lucy come back and show us how she has changed the world for all of us.

~Leo Florendo, Freestyle Academy Program Coordinator and Digital Media Teacher

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