

ALEX MCLEAN

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ABOUT ME

I am a professional and intelligent Full-stack developer who has successfully run a freelance web design and development agency for the past two years, designing and developing solutions to my client's problems with software and web design.

I have developed a deep understanding of the Node.Js and React environments with a particular interest in building full-stack applications and I am currently working on a side project that helped manage my freelance business built with React, Node.JS and MongoDB.

I am a keen learner, having completed my BA with a 2:1 while working full-time, I do not shy away from continuously pushing my knowledge and skills. I also have an extensive background and training in public speaking and teaching to large groups of people.

CORE SKILLS

- Node.JS and React
- HTML, CSS, Javascript
- Testing: JEST
- Software troubleshooting and bug-fixing
- Time and resource management
- Public Speaking

EDUCATION

2005 - 2010 • Carre's Grammar School

2010 - 2012 • Tresham College

2016 - 2019 • University of Hertfordshire
BA (Hons) Arts

EXPERIENCE

Self-Employed- E-commerce Artisans

- 2019 - Present**
- Developed custom themes and features using the templating language Liquid and Javascript on the Shopify platform.
 - Sourced and solved various bugs and issues that clients were facing.
 - Completed all aspects of business management
 - Gained new clients and practised good communication skills

Deputy Manager - Rectory Nursery School

- 2018 - 2019**
- Managed the day-to-day running of the nursery, ensuring adequate staffing levels across the entire company resulting in increased efficiency of staffing levels cutting our overtime levels by 20%.
 - Handled any and all complaints/issues regarding staff and parents.
 - Developed a program of education to promote safeguarding amongst the company

Various roles within the Early Years sector

- 2012 - 2018**
- Managed staff deployment, ensured outstanding practice was maintained and handled all questions or complaints within the room.
 - I undertook a project to reduce our consumption and spending on consumable items within the nursery, resulting in a 30% reduction in our annual spending.
 - Mentored College students, and junior staff I observed and provided feedback on their work.