

JOSHUA POLLARD

INFORMATION



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SKILLS

- Problem-solving
- Resilience
- Desire to succeed and develop
- Work well independently as well as in a team
- Good time management
- Reliable
- Organised
- Web-based software engineering
- Git/GitHub
- Python
- Dart
- HTML and CSS
- JavaScript
- ReactJS
- Flutter

CERTIFICATIONS

Duke of Edinburgh

- Archived Bronze and Silver awards

Massive Open Online Courses

- Networking with Python: Socket Programming for Communication
- Object-oriented Programming in Python

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Developed a personal portfolio website (joshlucpoll.com) using Reactjs and GitHub API to deliver information about my code repositories. Includes a virtual console to navigate the website by invoking UNIX commands.

I am a driven and passionate aspiring software engineer. I have invested a significant amount of time and effort in self-teaching, developing my knowledge and supporting others in the field of digital technology. I thrive on the challenge of finding intelligent solutions to complex problems and I am keen to apply and grow my skills in the workplace.

EXPERIENCE

July 2018 to July 2018

Work Experience *Clubhouse Studios*, London, Hackney

- Created some custom emojis for an Adidas Women project in Photoshop.
- Looked for ways to go above and beyond job requirements. Learnt basics of the Unity game engine alongside the C# language, created a top-down tanks PvP game, which the team enjoyed playing.
- Gained insight into the digital marketing sector with multiple one to one sessions with experts in design, strategy, creative and UX.
- Developed communication and organisation skills.

November 2016 to December 2018

Shop Assistant and Website Sales *Oxfam*, Market Harborough, Leicestershire

- Maintained visually appealing and effective displays for the entire store.
- Assisted customers with a selection of products and services.
- Maintained necessary inventory levels and facilitated ordering of products from suppliers.
- Built and maintained effective relationships with peers and upper management.
- Wrote descriptions of items and uploaded images for online sale.

August 2019 to Current

School Mentor Volunteer *Robert Smyth Academy*, Market Harborough, Leicestershire

Micro:bit Club

- Supported younger learners in an after-school club, teaching Year 7 students how to construct circuits and programs using the BBC micro:bit.
- Helped students to transition from block-based programming to text-base (Python and JavaScript).
- Adapted to a range of personalities and abilities.

Maths Mentor

- Supported a Year 11 student through the school's peer mentor scheme.
- Increased my ability to break down concepts and give clear explanations

EDUCATION

2021

A-Levels

Robert Smyth Academy, Market Harborough

- Computer Science - *Predicted A* (AQA)*
- Mathematics - *Predicted A* (MEI)*
- Further Mathematics - *Predicted A* (MEI)*
- Physics - *Predicted A* (OCR)*

2020

AS Level

Robert Smyth Academy, Market Harborough

Further Mathematics - A (MEI)

2019

GCSE

Robert Smyth Academy, Market Harborough

- Mathematics - 9
- Physics - 9
- Chemistry - 9
- Biology - 9
- Computer Science - 8
- French - 8
- Design and Technology - 7
- English Literature - 6
- English Language - 6
- German - 6