

# ALYSSA PUPPING

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**Portfolio:** <https://ajp-react-portfolio.netlify.app/>

## PROFILE

Full Stack Web Developer with a background in education. Recognized by colleagues for intuitive problem solving, strong communication and collaboration skills, and growth mindset.

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

**Technical Languages:** JavaScript, HTML, CSS, SQL, GraphQL, Node.js, Express.js, React, REST APIs

**Applications:** Git, MySQL, Insomnia, MongoDB, Material UI, Bootstrap

## PROJECTS

**Personal Portfolio** | <https://github.com/ajpupping/react-portfolio> |  
<https://ajp-react-portfolio.netlify.app/portfolio>

- *My personal website showcasing my projects and contributions*
- *Responsibilities: I designed and built this application on my own*
- *React.js, html, css, javascript*

**Next-Up** | <https://github.com/Andrew-seatter/Next-up> |  
<https://ajp-react-portfolio.netlify.app/portfolio>

- *A job search management tool, track applications and responses, view personal statistics*
- *Responsibilities: Front-end integration, statistics, site navigation, mobile responsiveness*
- *React, node, express, html, css, javascript, graphql, MongoDB, Material UI*

## EXPERIENCE

**Paraeducator** - Vista Unified School District | Vista, CA | (2012–2018, 2023-Present)

- Received the **STARS Award of Excellence and Innovation**, for going above and beyond for the students and staff of VUSD.
- Utilized **assistive technologies** and adaptive strategies to ensure equal access to curriculum and promote inclusion for students with diverse learning needs.
- **Collaborated effectively** with a team to enhance cohesion and coordination, contributing observations and suggestions to improve classroom dynamics.
- Demonstrated adeptness in **de-escalating stressful situations**, independently and as part of a team, to maintain a safe and supportive learning environment.

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- Provided support to students with disabilities, fostering a **positive learning environment** conducive to student success.
- Developed tailored lesson plans and individualized learning tools, resulting in **improved test scores** and successful grade completion for struggling students.

## **Educational Assistant** - *Corvallis School District | Corvallis, OR | (2018-2023)*

- Spearheaded the development and **successful funding** of an inclusive playground equipment project through a **grant proposal**.
- Managed the procurement, assembly, and installation of new equipment, **coordinating efforts** with a team of volunteers.
- **Analyzed student data** to identify knowledge gaps and collaborated with a team to devise individualized education plans, resulting in **optimized student growth**.
- Ensured student **privacy and document security** while facilitating swift problem resolution both in-person and online during the COVID-19 lockdown.
- Resolved technical issues with classroom devices, including iPads, computers, projectors, speakers, and printers, to **minimize disruptions** to learning.

## **Team Leader** - *Target | Vista, CA | (2008-2012)*

- Trained and **mentored new team members** to foster skill development, success within the team, and alignment with company standards.
- Demonstrated **strong leadership and problem-solving** abilities in addressing any operational challenges.
- **Forecasted sales accurately** and managed stock orders for a high-volume store, optimizing inventory levels and preventing overstocking.
- **Implemented organizational improvements** in storage systems to ensure freshness of food items and clarify labeling.
- Demonstrated exceptional **time management and multitasking abilities** to maintain efficient inventory rotation and seamless customer service.

## **EDUCATION** - UCSD Extended Studies - **Full Stack Coding Bootcamp** | San Diego, CA