LUCAS CLARKE

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SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

- Teacher who plans engaging lessons and keeps high expectations.
- Experience across 3 employers, most recently as Head of Year at Hillcrest School.
- Works closely with parents and support staff.
- Known for clear communication with colleagues and for following work through to the end.

EDUCATION

Trinity College Dublin — **Dublin**
BEd Primary Education — *2021*

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Hillcrest School — **Chicago, IL**
Head of Year — *Apr 2025 – Present*

- Planned schemes of work with the year group team.
- Marked assessments and gave written feedback within a week.
- Supported trainee teachers on placement.
- Led the school's reading intervention programme.
- The website agency we hired ran our site on MySQL.

Bridgewater Primary — **Chicago, IL**
Teacher — *Feb 2023 – Feb 2025*

- Led the class's assemblies and performances.
- Planned and taught lessons for classes of up to 11 pupils.
- Organised trips and after-school clubs.
- Ran parent evenings and wrote end-of-year reports.

Hillcrest School — **Chicago, IL**
Teaching Assistant — *Aug 2021 – Dec 2022*

- Kept behaviour records and followed the school's policy consistently.
- Ran small-group catch-up sessions for pupils who had fallen behind.
- Worked with the SENCo on support plans for pupils with additional needs.

INITIATIVES

Reading recovery programme

- Planned and delivered it alongside day-to-day work, with a written plan and agreed success measures.
- Shared the results with the wider team and kept the documentation up to date.

STEM club

- Planned and delivered it alongside day-to-day work, with a written plan and agreed success measures.
- Shared the results with the wider team and kept the documentation up to date.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

General: Microsoft Office, Google Classroom
Languages: English (Native), Spanish (Conversational)

CERTIFICATIONS

- QTS
- Safeguarding Level 2

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- Member of a community choir.
- Mentor for a school careers programme, helping students with CVs and mock interviews.

REFERENCE

Pedro Adeyemi
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