

# Stephen Cullen

## Contact

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## Skills

Critical Thinking

Student-centered learning

Group learning mechanics

Discussion facilitation

Presentations and public speaking

Document review

Fluent in Gaeilge

## Languages

Fluent in Irish



Fluent in English



Passionate about Education, providing educational assistance and instruction to various levels of learners. Committed to providing students with necessary tools to achieve their goals, instilling love of learning and cooperative teamwork.

## Work History

2023-05 -

### English Teacher

2023-06

*Bairnsdale Secondary College, Bairnsdale, Victoria*

- Planned dynamic lessons to increase student comprehension of books and literary concepts.
- Utilized multimedia strategies and technology to convey information in fresh and interesting ways.
- Prepared comprehensive English curriculum for multiple classes.

2020-09 -

### Secondary School Teacher

2022-06

*DDLETB, Dublin, Dublin*

- Fostered positive and pleasant classroom culture while maintaining learning development goals
- Facilitated stimulating and thought-provoking class discussions on range of philosophical topics.
- Conducted educational and engaging lectures centered on such topics as ethics, critical thinking and contemporary moral issues.
- Established and communicated clear objectives for all educational activities.

2021-08 -

### Translator

Current

*Freelance*

- Replicated flow, style, and overall meaning of original texts.
- Translated works for the Irish Government, Samsung, TikTok and more.
- Translated approximately 2500 words per day.
- Consulted specialized dictionaries, thesauruses, and reference books to identify closest equivalents for nuanced terminology, words, and phrases.
- Reviewed final work to spot and correct errors in punctuation, grammar, and translation.

2019-09 -

### Trainee Teacher

2020-06

*Hansfield Educate Together, Dublin*

- Responsible for 10 independent teaching hours
- Helping the school to meet its needs through casual substitution work.
- Demonstrated creativity and resourcefulness through the development of innovative solutions.

### **Exam Attendant**

*Department, Kildare*

- Ensured that the integrity of the State Exams was upheld.

2015-08 -  
2016-08

### **Leadership Student**

*Spleodar, Galway*

- Presented and drafted various scheduling options for students to help properly allocate time for classes, recreational activities and free time
- Engaged in beginning of camp orientations to assist students with initial adjustment to their time at the summer camp
- Conducted peer-mediations between students to help resolve conflicts and reach agreements
- Provided care and attention to the needs of each individual student under my care
- Curriculum Development
- Excellent
- Lesson Planning
- Excellent

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## **Education**

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2018-08 -  
2020-05

### **Professional Master of Education: Education**

*Maynooth University - Maynooth*

- Professional development completed in Restorative Practice.
- Achieved a 2:1 grade.

2015-09 -  
2018-05

### **Bachelor of Arts**

*Maynooth University - Maynooth*

- Member of Don Bosco Society.
- 2:1 grade achieved.

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## Certifications

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2023-04

VIT Registration