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I am 18 years old and am currently studying BTEC Engineering, BTEC Business studies, Digital Media Cambridge technical and Gold Arts Award at Formby High Sixth Form.



Experience:

Student parliament, Formby High School (2016 - 2021)

I was the voice of my form group in parliament bringing up things like issues with the quality of school lunches and the temporary one way system that was a major issue which I helped fix by changing one of the corridors back to the two way system.

JLT (Junior Leadership Team), Formby High School (2019 - 2021)

(An elected group of student parliament)

I was one of the three representative of my year group, we helped organise things like prom and the yearbook.

Technician, Formby High School Tech Crew (2017 - 2023 {now})

I have been in the Tech crew since the first day of year 8 where I have not just learnt how to work in a team but how to lead a team. After learning how to be a Lighting, sound, smoke, fog and AV technician. I was made head tech in 2019 overseeing the tech crew and leading them. In 2021 when I joined Formby High Sixth Form I became Tech Supervisor which has had me doing talks in the school about tech crew and filming Into the Woods, Matilda and the 2022 Panto (the schools most recent performances. I have also run sound for Formby High School's summer showcase at The Atkinson in Southport when a technician got COVID and I was needed on short notice.

Videographer, ITV (6/10/2019)

Prepare and use filming equipment for B roll of the seaside and a life ring for a Mental health documentary for ITV Tonight.

Videographer, ITV (24/4/2020)

Prepare and use filming equipment for B roll of sewing for a "Coronavirus: the Survivors' Stories" for ITV Tonight.

Volunteer (6/4/2020 - 30/6/2020)

Making PPE for the NHS and care-home staff, I have designed and made over 800 mask straps. I have also made visors, masks, gowns, scrubs including hat shirt and trousers.

Sixth Form Ambassador (2021 - 2023 {now})

I help out at Formby High open days and tour around new and potential students. I also bring up issues that affect the sixth form students. Instore, Dominos (7/1/2022 - 11/9/2022)

I was an "in-store" employee so I was responsible for taking, making, cooking, packaging and handing over the order. I spent most of my time as CSR (Customer service representative) which was taking orders from walk in's and over the phone as well as handing over the orders when they were done. I also did some logistics work with the delivery drivers and riders to make efficient use of personnel and time.

Broadcast Engineer, Dock 10, Media City (16/3/2022 - 18/3/2022)

I worked in Media city on the Comic Relief, countdown, Blue Peter, CBBC and CBeebies HQ and in the MCR (Master Control Room).

Media Logger, Sky Sports (28/8/2022)

I worked as a Media Logger with Gracie productions, a production company that worked with the Legends Tour (a golf competition that we were filming at Formby Golf Club), the footage was aired on Sky Sports on Tuesday 6th September and was replayed two more times that week and it was uploaded to YouTube.

Videographer, Formby High School (7/12/2022)

I helped film for the Formby High's Christmas video which is an annual comedic video to be shown at our Christmas assembly featuring only staff of the school. As well as filming I was able to see the creative process of the video including choreography and improvisation which helped produce a fun comedy video.

Education:

2009 - 2016 Primary - Trinity St Peters Primary School

2016 - 2021 Secondary - Formby High School

2021 - 2023 College - Formby High Sixth Form

Qualifications:

English literature

2021	2020	2019
Engineering	Silver Arts Award	Bronze DofE
Creative imedia	Silver DofE	
Mathematics		SQ Level 2 Qualification
Drama		in Community
Biology		Sports Leadership
Chemistry		
Physics		
English language		

Skills:

I have leadership qualities that I have built up from my time in the scouting association and in my time in the Formby High School Tech Crew which I have lead as Head Tech in 2019 till 2021 when I became Tech Supervisor for all events where I've learnt to be a leader and a team player.

I am a problem solver which I have learnt from my scouting experience, in tech crew, on my DofE's and learning to be an engineer in my engineering GCSE and my engineering BTEC where I have had to solve problems under pressure which have ranged from taking the wrong turn on a map to having to build scaffolding to replace a light the day of the show.

Achievements:

I have won/earned numerous badges in my scouting life (beavers, cubs, scouts, explorers) between 2009-2022: This includes outdoor activities and skills thats have made me a better teammate and leader. I have participated in scout swimming galas, cubs and scouts sports days, and many camps where I have either participated as a beaver, cub and a scout camper or as an explorer helper where I lead activity's and even participating in first aid for which I have been awarded badges.

Team of the Year 2017: The Formby High School's Drama department's Tech Crew received the team of the year award from the governors of Formby High for our teamwork and dedication to the arts.

Award in Engineering 2019: I received this award for my use of engineering skills in and outside school, including my creation and design of products.

Award in Drama 2019: I received this award because of my work in the performing arts as a technical supervisor, lighting technician, sound technician, Audio Visual technician, smoke technician and fog technician for pantos, A-level and GCSE performances as well as acting.

Simon Harris Award for Performing Arts 2020: I received this award because of my work within the performing arts field as a Technical Supervisor, Head Tech, lighting technician, sound technician, audio visual technician, smoke technician and fog technician for pantos, talent shows, musical performances, A-level and GCSE performances.

Head teacher's Award (2021): I was given a head teacher's recognition award for my work in student parliament and in tech crew giving my time to help others both inside and outside school hours.

Jenny Cator PTA Prize 2021: I received this award for my work on the student parliament and my work in the tech crew helping others. In the students parliament I brought up other students issues and championed healthy food. I was also given this award for my work on the 2021 year book which sold more copies than any other yearbook in Formby High School history!