# HANNAH THORLEY

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Dudley, West Midlands, U.K **(moving to Nottingham, summer 2024)**

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## JUNIOR SOFTWARE ENGINEER

As a former educational support assistant, I discovered my love for coding during my free time, which sparked a passion for problem-solving and continuous learning. Fuelled by this discovery, I started my journey with the School of Code Bootcamp. This experience has shaped me into a passionate and driven Full-Stack Developer, committed to continuous growth and innovation. Demonstrating proficiency in a diverse tech stack, I have developed the capability to solve problems and collaborate effectively within dynamic teams. With a pursuit of excellence, I am dedicated to delivering impactful solutions that drive meaningful change.

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## SKILLS

**JavaScript · TypeScript · HTML · CSS · React · Next.js · Tailwind · Jest · Playwright · Node · Express · SQL · Rest APIs · Vitest · Serverless Functions · UI Design · UX Design · Figma · Wireframing · Application Deployment · Git · Agile Methodologies**

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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**School Of Code**                                                                             **Sept 2023  - Feb 2024**
**Bootcamper**

- Successfully completed a challenging 16-week, full-stack developer bootcamp, demonstrating resilience and adaptability in a fast-paced, work-based learning environment.
- Proficiently engaged in pair programming, fostering effective collaboration and problem-solving skills within diverse team dynamics.
- Cultivated a growth mindset, swiftly mastering new technologies through workshops and weekly hackathons, driving personal and professional development.
- Applied agile methodologies to enhance computational thinking and communication within team. Took on project manager roles where I allocated time for stand-ups, sprint reviews and retros, also utilising tools like Kanban boards(Trello) and Figma for planning.
- Developed knowledge in Advanced JavaScript, Node, Express, APIs, Databases, React, Authentication/Authorisation, TypeScript, User Research, UI/UX, wireframing, and comprehensive testing techniques.

**Final Project: Anthony Hall (Stakeholder): Calming Down App** 🔗

- Collaborated closely with stakeholders from the NHS and Innovate Healthcare Services to address the growing mental health challenges exacerbated by the global pandemic.
- Developed the Calming Down App, leveraging Next.js, React, Tailwind CSS, Clerk, Supabase, uploadthing, and shadcn/ui to provide users with personalised tools and resources for managing mindset and tracking progress.
- The stakeholder was extremely impressed with the product made by myself and the team, and has moved our application into further development through the NHS Innovation Hub.
- *"They bring creativity, spark, energy, commitment, technical skill and innovation in abundance and I would have no hesitation whatsoever in recommending them in the highest possible way to any future employer."* Anthony Hall

**Mid-term Project: Tortee App** 🔗

- Addressed the challenge of facilitating meaningful mentor-mentee interactions within the bootcamp environment, resulting in the development of the Tortee App.
- Utilised JavaScript, HTML, CSS, PostgreSQL, Elephant SQL, Vitest, and Render to create a user-centric platform offering icebreakers, question suggestions, and note-taking functionalities.

**Dudley College**                                                          **2013 - 2022**
**Educational Support Assistant**

- **Championed accessibility** initiatives for young adults with learning difficulties and disabilities at Dudley College, fostering an inclusive learning environment.
- Provided dedicated support and advocacy, addressing the unique needs of students and implementing effective accessibility solutions.
- Shared expertise in mental health, autism spectrum education, ADHD awareness, and safeguarding, **promoting knowledge-sharing and collaboration** across the college community.
- Demonstrated professionalism and **conflict resolution skills** in managing student, staff, and parent interactions.

**Calvary Church**                                                          **2013 - 2018**
**Assistant Children's Pastor**

- Organised and led a dynamic team of 15 volunteers in facilitating engaging youth activities for 50 children weekly, **fostering a nurturing and inclusive environment**.
- Demonstrated **leadership and organisational skills** in coordinating youth programs and events, promoting personal and spiritual growth among participants.

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# EDUCATION

**School Of Code Bootcamp**
Full Stack Software Engineer

**Newman University**
BSc Sports Studies

**Holly Hall Secondary School**
Maths GCSE B
English GCSE BB
Science CC

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# INTERESTS

Singing 🎤 Embroidery 🧵 Wedding Cakes 🍰 Reading 📚 Films 🎞️