

# Brendan Lynch

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## EDUCATION

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### University of Victoria

BSc in Computer Science, Third Year

May 2021 – Present, Victoria, Canada

- Proudly completed my transfer into Computer Science after returning to school and **exceeding** transfer requirements.

## PROJECTS

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### Map Engine – 2D RPG tile map engine

- Map engine is a **C/C++** map editing engine I built to help me develop 2D RPG games.
- An update, draw loop repeatedly draws **raylib** vector graphics to the screen.
- Features multiple drawing/erasing tools, different drawing modes, and an output map state saving feature.

### Campies – Campsite review React app

- Web app enabling where users can post and review local campgrounds.
- **Express** route handlers receive user submitted requests to create, view, review, and delete campgrounds.
- **JSON** payloads are de-structured and user data is parsed and stored in **MongoDB**.
- Leveraged **REST API** to seed database with images.
- Styled with the Bootstrap **CSS** framework.

### Farm Time – Humble 2D, top-down farming game

- Farm time is a 2D RPG written in **C/C++** with no game engine.
- Features an inventory system, harvesting crops/chopping trees, and player movement.
- Customizable terrain system using 2D integer arrays.

## OTHER TECHNOLOGIES

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- **Java**: Prim's Algorithm visualizer.
- **Python**: Simple web server.
- **SQL**: Assignments implementing queries and relations.
- **React**: Weather app featuring sequential REST API calls.

## CERTIFICATIONS

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### Full Stack Open

by The University of Helsinki

Dec 2023 – Present

- Wrote and debugged **React** web apps with browser extension.
- Interfaced with **REST APIs** using **Axios**.
- Properly managed state to make sequential API calls.

### Web Developer Bootcamp

by Colt Steele

July 2021 – Jan 2023

- Rendered markup with **HTML** and **EJS**.
- Styled with **Bootstrap** and vanilla **CSS**.
- Deployed full-scale **CRUD** web applications utilizing **Express** for route handling, **MongoDB** to store user and website data.
- Used npm to manage many packages (ex. bcrypt for user login encryption, Joi for schema validation, cookie for cookies).

## WORK EXPERIENCE

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### Canada Post Company

Letter Carrier

July 2020 – Present, Victoria, Canada

- Comfortable with fluctuating workloads and meeting deadlines as parcel volumes routinely increase during winter times.
- Tackled new delivery routes every day in and around the Greater Victoria Area.

## VOLUNTEERING

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### Rotaract

January 2024 – Present

- Passionately contribute my time to community service projects to make meaningful impact on local communities.