

CILLIAN COOKE

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Motivated First Year Computer Science student at Trinity College Dublin with a strong record of academic excellence, leadership, and initiative. Experienced in building real-world software projects, leading teams, and running independent ventures.

Education

TRINITY COLLEGE DUBLIN

MAI Integrated Computer Science (current average 72%)

Dublin, Ireland

09/2025 – present

- Developing proficiency in multiple programming languages and the ability to quickly learn new technologies
- Expected graduation: 05/2030

CTYI ENGINEERING PROGRAMME

05/2023

09/2022

Children of Talented Youth Ireland (average grade 90%)

- Selected for competitive engineering programme focused on problem-solving, design and analytical thinking

ST CONLETH'S COLLEGE

- 05/2025

09/2019

Secondary School Education

Employment Experience

Lockup

Present

04/2026-

- COO of a 2 month long start-up that helps reduce phone usage of students in secondary schools.
- Accepted into a selective startup incubator called Alpine Valley (only 25 people across the world).
- Selected for the NDRC Pre-Accelerator (Aug–Oct 2026), a selective Irish startup incubator programme.

Utmost Anti-Money Laundering Internship

09/2026

06/2026 -

- Supported customer due diligence (CDD) and know-your-customer (KYC) checks on new and existing policyholders.
- Assisted with transaction monitoring reviews and escalation of flagged activity to senior compliance staff.
- Conducted sanctions and PEP screening using internal compliance tools.

GARDENING

– present

06/2022

- Managed an independent business serving 30+ recurring clients, handling scheduling, customer relations, pricing and service delivery.

DUNGEONS AND DRAGONS SUMMER CAMP

Summer 2025

Summer 2024 &

Founder and Organiser

- Designed, marketed and ran a multi-year summer camp
- Managed client communication, planning and group facilitation.

HAPPY DAYS PRESCHOOL AND AFTERSCHOOL

01/2026

07/2025 -

Customer Afterschool programme assistant and web designer

- Developed responsibility, communication and teamwork skills
- Designed and built the Happy Days Preschool & Afterschool website, delivering a clear, user-friendly online presence

Projects

ATLAS

present

10/2025 –

Social Media Startup · Solo Project · *Flutter*|*Firestore*

- Ongoing independent project (4+ months) designing and building a social media application

- Responsible for full stack development, UI/UX and system architecture

CLAUDE BUILDER HACKATHON

11/2025

Winning Team Project · Dungeons and Dragons game

- Winning *Most Creative Use of AI & Best Teamwork*
- Built a collaborative Dungeons & Dragons campaign app powered by generative AI

Skills and Interests

Coding Languages: Dart (Flutter) [advanced], Java [intermediate], Python [intermediate], RStudio [basic]

Technical skills: Firebase (Authentication, Firestore, Hosting) [advanced], VS Code [advanced], GitHub [intermediate], Linux [intermediate], C [intermediate],

Interests: Football, Circus and Juggling, Dungeons and Dragons, App Development, reading non-fiction books.

Awards & Leadership

Student of The Year – Awarded in St Conleth's College five times for academic excellence, commitment and leadership.

Rugby Team Captain – Demonstrated leadership, discipline and team coordination.

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Dublin, 11/2/2026