**Shannon Borell**

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**Professional summary**

I am a enthusiastic High School teacher with over 16 years teaching in a variety of high schools in Queensland and New Zealand, including a broad range of subjects from years 7 to 13. I am Passionate about te reo and kaupapa Māori. Kua roa rawa au e mahi ana ki tāwāhi, kei te karanga mai te kāinga ki a au.

**Skills**

* Fluent in te reo Māori, me ōna tikanga
* Developed online learning platforms to teach, beginning, intermediate and advanced learners of Te Reo Māori abroad ( Te Reo Moemoea)
* Kapahaka tutor, leader, for senior and high school kapahaka with Matatini experience
* Judge, Performer, mau rākau teacher , Tuhoe Ahurei.
* Te Whare Tū Taua o Aotearoa, Māori Martial Arts teacher, Currently grading for Pouwhitu.
* Māori cultural advisor for Queensland Police commissioner,
* Cultural liaison for Māori cultural events, tikanga advisor in Māori community in QLD.
* Advisor to actors, movie stars with reality tv experience.
* 10 years plus experience teaching students with special needs
* Deliver curriculum including Maths, Science, Special Education, PE, Social Studies and Te Reo Māori.

**WORK HISTORY**

**Experienced Senior Teacher, 2011- 2021**

**Education Queensland**

* Organise meetings with parents to resolve educational priorities and issues
* Fostered meaningful relationships among students through student led field trip retreats and teamwork community projects.
* Collaborated effectively with teachers and administrators to discuss the academic needs of students including assessment, reporting, and teaching curriculum.

**Te Reo Moemoea 2020- 2021.**

**Self-employed online business**

* Create, design develop on line computer programs to teach Te Reo Māori worldwide
* Run and facilitate Zoom wānanga
* Facilitate and organize wānanga to teach and deliver te reo in a Māori context .

**Secondary School Teacher 2006-2010**

**Ministry of Education New Zealand**

* Collaborated with teachers and administrators to develop and elaborate school programs including kapahaka, manukōrero and mau rākau.
* Observed individual behaviors and reported issues to supervisory staff.
* Collaborated with teachers and administration to discuss the academic needs of students, including assessment, reporting and teaching curriculum.
* Coaching school sport teams
* YANTS, and Māori representative for PPTA Bay Of Plenty region

