

## MEAGAN

### Learning Coach

#### IN THE NEXT YEAR, MY CAREER GOALS ARE...

To spend an hour every week increasing my professional development and remaining up-to-date and current with my industry.

#### WHAT MOTIVATES ME MOST IN MY WORK AT CAL?

Knowing that after each time I provide support to the students, it's making a difference in their lives. It warms my heart to receive kind words from our students, and feel appreciated by them when we are having a chat!

#### HAVE YOU COMPLETED ANY ONLINE LEARNING BEFORE?

All of my qualifications are a result of online study! I know and understand the rollercoaster of feelings associated with studying online.



*Prior to working at CAL, I worked in the Healthcare industry for 25 years.*

*My first ever job was as a receptionist in a Youth Resource Centre.*



#### WHAT I LIKE MOST ABOUT WORKING IN EDUCATION IS...

how it is both rewarding and challenging. It's great to see students developing and achieving their goals. I like knowing I am making a difference to a students' life if not today, at least in future opportunities. Sharing my knowledge and experience to help others is the best job satisfaction!



*My two beloved dogs,  
Buster (front) and Milly.*

#### WHAT IS A TYPICAL DAY AT WORK LIKE FOR ME?

My priority every day is YOU. I am literally attached to my computer and phone. When I'm not answering questions, mentoring and supporting my students, I'm role playing assessment simulations or undertaking competency conversations. Of course, what lies behind the contact with your coach is the administrative component - after every conversation with a student, I am making notes to help me keep track of the learning journey and progress.

#### WHAT IS AN ACHIEVEMENT YOU ARE PROUD OF?

Learning to become fiercely independent and strong after a 20-year marriage and divorce.

#### SOMETHING I LEARNT OVER THE LAST YEAR WAS...

Don't give up on yourself, you are worth it.