

Project Report for Final Project - Modern Application Development II (Quiz Pilot)

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Description

In this project, I was tasked with developing a multi-user quiz application using Flask, Vue, SQLite and Bootstrap. The application features an admin who manages users, subjects, chapters, quizzes and its questions while users can attempt quizzes within a situated time set by the admin and view or download their scores along with daily notification and monthly report sending features. It supports CRUD operations, user authentication, quiz management, and data visualization.

Technologies used

For Backend:

Flask : Creating and handling the APIs

SQLite : a lightweight, self-contained, serverless relational database management system (RDBMS)

Redis : Remote Dictionary Server, an open-source, in-memory key-value store that is here used as a:

- Database
- Cache
- Message broker
- Task queue backend

Celery : an asynchronous task queue/job queue based on distributed message passing

Jinja2 : Used for rendering HTML templates.

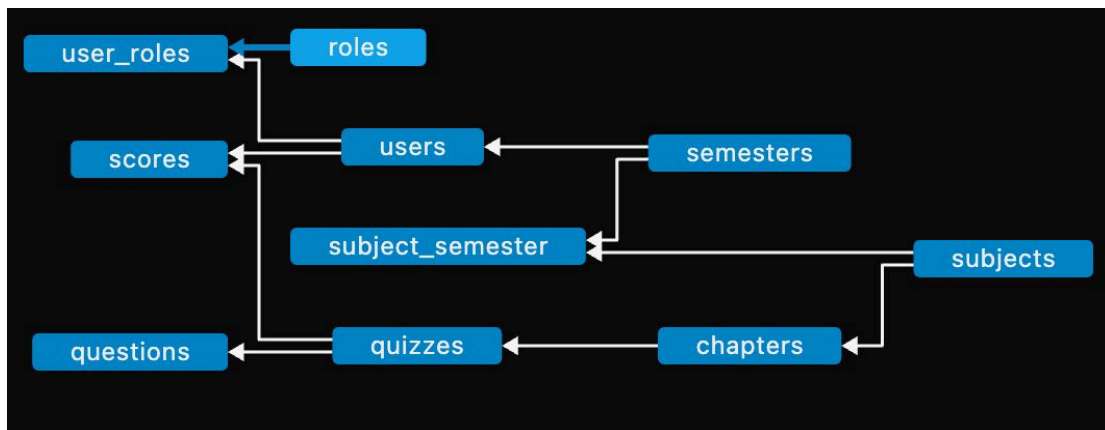
For Frontend:

Vue : For creating UI

Pinia : For State management

ChartJS: For rendering charts

DB Schema Design



API Design

Name	Endpoint	Description	Methods
Login	/api/auth/login	Log in an existing user	GET, POST
Register	/api/auth/register	Register a new user	GET, POST
Logout	/api/auth/logout	Log out the current user	POST
AdminMetrics	/api/admin/metrics	View platform-wide admin metrics	GET
AdminUserManagement	/api/admin/users	Manage user	GET, PUT, DELETE
AdminSubjectManagement	/api/admin/subjects	Manage academic subject	GET, POST, PUT, DELETE
AdminChapterManagement	/api/admin/chapters/<subject_id>	Manage chapters under a given subject	GET, POST, PUT, DELETE
AdminQuizManagement	/api/admin/quizzes	Manage quizzes	GET, POST, PUT, DELETE
AdminQuestionManagement	/api/admin/questions/<quiz_id>	Manage questions for a given quiz	GET, POST, PUT, DELETE
GetStudentDistribution	/api/admin/analytics/student-distribution	View distribution of students	GET
GetSubjectAttempts	/api/admin/analytics/subject-attempts	View number of attempts per subject	GET
GetQuizPerformance	/api/admin/analytics/quiz-performance	Get quiz performance summary	GET
GetLeaderboard	/api/admin/analytics/leaderboard	Get quiz performance summary	GET
GetStudentStatusCount	/api/admin/analytics/student-status	View counts of students by status	GET
DownloadProgress	/api/admin/analytics/download	Download overall progress reports	GET
UserProfile	/api/user/profile/<user_id>	Get user's profile info	GET
UserDashboard	/api/user/dashboard/<user_id>	Get the list of all available quizzes and subjects enrolled	GET
QuizStart	/api/user/quiz/start/<quiz_id>	Start a quiz attempt	GET, POST
getQuestion	/api/user/quiz/questions/<score_entry_id>	Get questions for a given quiz session	GET, POST
QuizResults	/api/user/quiz/results/<string:quiz_session_id>	Get quiz result for a specific session	GET
UserDownloadProgress	/api/user/download/progress/<user_id>	Download user's quiz progress data	GET

Architecture and Features

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Backend/
├── requirements.txt          # List of python package on needed for the app to run
├── (dependencies)
├── .env                    # Environment variables
├── .env.example            # Template for environment variables
├── .gitignore              # Files/folders to be ignored by Git
├── README.md               # Project documentation (this file)
├── app.py                  # Entry point of the Flask app (Main app); .env, Sem seed, app, cache clr, db,
CORSS
├── data/
│   ├── quiz-db-v2.sqlite    # SQLite Database
│   ├── dump.rdb             # Redis Dumb db, relocated here by redis-config.conf
│   ├── celerybeat-schedule.db # Celery beat schedule state;
│   └── backup/ # This is the backup of the data stored in DB; incase I have to delete the .sqlite file
│       ├── backup-creation.sql
│       └── backup-data.sql
├── utils/                  # All the configuration files are being stored here
│   ├── redis-config.conf   # Redis server configuration
│   ├── config.py           # General app configuration; decides db file's location
│   └── CeleryConfig/
│       ├── __init__.py     # Celery-specific configuration
│       ├── celery-beat.py   # A programmatic way to launch the Celery Beat scheduler.
│       ├── celery-worker.py # Celery worker initialization; this uses CreateApp()function
│       └── mailer.py        # Mail sending utility via Celery;
├── controller/
│   ├── __init__.py         # imports and exports send_daily_quiz_reminders, send_monthly_report_to_users
│   ├── extensions.py       # Enables security, redis_client, cache, limiter and celery
│   └── models/             # All db and its models are defined here; Using SQLAlchemy, the ORM
│       ├── __init__.py
│       ├── chapter_model.py
│       ├── enums.py
│       ├── question_model.py
│       ├── quiz_model.py
│       ├── score_model.py
│       ├── semester_model.py
│       ├── subject_model.py
│       └── user_model.py
├── routes/
│   ├── __init__.py         # Registers all the APIs
│   ├── user.py             # Defines the API classes used by the users
│   ├── auth.py             # Defines the API classes used for login, logout, register
│   └── admin/              # Defines the API classes used by the admin
│       ├── __init__.py
│       └── analytics.py    # Defines the AI classes required for ChartJS in the front to render the
charts
├── tasks/
│   ├── __init__.py         # Importing and exporting the tasks
│   ├── README.md           # Listed things could be added here in the tasks
│   └── send_emails/
│       ├── __init__.py     # Importing and exporting the tasks
│       └── send_reports.py  # Created a celery task for sending monthly reports to all the active
users
├── send_reminders.py # created a celery task to send daily noti of pending quizzes to users
├── html-templates/
│   ├── reminder.html
│   └── report.html
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frontend/
├── .gitignore                # Git ignored files and folders
├── vite.config.js           # Vite configuration file ; here the port, poxy and alias are
defined
├── README.md                # Frontend readme (this file)
├── package.json              # Project metadata and dependencies
├── package-lock.json         # Dependency tree lock (auto-generated)
├── index.html                # Main HTML entry point
├── public/                  # Static public assets
│   └── vite.svg              # Vite logo; used in <title> tag of index.html
├── src/                     # Main source code
│   ├── App.vue               # Root Vue component
│   ├── main.js                # JS entry point
│   ├── style.css              # Global styles
│   ├── api/
│   │   └── axios.js           # Axios instance setup; axiosPublic and axiosPrivate is defined here
│   ├── assets/               # Static resources (images/icons)
│   │   ├── logo.png
│   │   └── vue.svg
│   ├── constants/
│   │   └── appInfo.js         # Application metadata and constants; APPNAME is defined here
│   ├── globalComponents/     # Reusable components
│   │   ├── Admin/            # Nothing is here
│   │   ├── User/              # Nothing is in here
│   │   ├── Footers.vue        # Footer component
│   │   ├── Header.vue         # Header component
│   │   └── UseAuth.js         # Contains logout function
│   ├── routes/
│   │   ├── admin.js           # Routes only accessible to Admin
│   │   ├── user.js            # Routes only accessible to User
│   │   └── index.js           # Routes useable for everyone; No authentication needed
│   ├── store/
│   │   └── authStore.js       # Pinia store; Auth-related state management
│   ├── views/                # Page views
│   │   ├── HomeView/
│   │   │   └── HomeView.vue    # This is the page we'll see when running app at the beginning
│   │   ├── AuthView/
│   │   │   ├── AuthFormView.vue # This is the PAGE being used fo both Login and Register
│   │   │   ├── Components/
│   │   │   │   └── DynamicForm.vue # Renders the form dynamically
│   │   ├── admin/
│   │   │   ├── DashboardView.vue # This is the page used for Admin Dashboard
│   │   │   ├── UserView.vue      # This is the page used to view User Card under the Dashboard
│   │   │   └── SubjectView.vue    # This is the page used to view Subject Card under the
Dashboard
│   │   └── ChapterView.vue      # This is the page used to view Chapter paga under each
Subjects
│   │   ├── QuizView.vue         # This is the page used to view Quiz Card under the Dashboard
│   │   ├── QuestionView.vue     # This is the page used to view Questions under each quizzes
│   │   └── AnalyticsView.vue    # This is the page used to view Analytics Card under the
Dashboard
│   │   └── Components/
│   │   │   └── AddQuestionView.vue # This is to handle the modal required for Adding/Editing
Questions
│   │   └── AddSubjectView.vue    # This is to handle the modal required for Adding/Editing
Subjects
│   │   └── ChapterModalView.vue # This is to handle the modal required for Adding/Editing
Chapters
│   │   └── QuizModalView.vue     # This is to handle the modal required for Adding/Editing Quizzes
│   └── user/
│       ├── ProfileView.vue       # This is the page used to view User's profile
│       └── DashboardView/ # This page is used as User Dashboard;Shows available quizzes|   |   |
└── DashboardView.vue
    └── QuizView/

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				QuizLandingView.vue	# Shows quizzes info before starting
				QuizQuestionView.vue	# Shows the questions; Timer is working in this page
				QuizResultView.vue	# After submission this page shows the Result
				UseStartQuiz.js	# Prevent duplicate submission and unauthorized access

VIDEO

Link: https://drive.google.com/file/d/1h2BPRwqGlojK-ouZrI7VdxC3k1vXNB42/view?usp=drive_link