ID607001: Introductory Application Development Concepts

Project 1: Node.js REST API Assessment Rubric

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Functionality	REST API contains comprehensive & robust evidence on the following: • REST API is developed using Node.js & can run locally without modification. • An appropriate number of collections & fields with different data types. • Relationships between collections. • Separate controller & route file which contain the appropriate operations for each collection. • Custom validation when creating & updating a field. • Collections are seeded with a JSON file. • REST API version is v1. • A message when performing auth & CRUD operations, if a request does not return any data, & if an endpoint does not exist. • Filter, sort & paginate REST API data. • GET, POST, PUT & DELETE routes are protected. • Rate limit is 25 requests per minute. • HTTP headers secured. • REST API is deployed to Heroku. • REST API data is stored in a MongoDB Atlas database.	REST API contains clear & detailed evidence of functionality on the following: • REST API is developed using Node.js & can run locally without modification. • An appropriate number of collections & fields with different data types. • Relationships between collections. • Separate controller & route file which contain the appropriate operations for each collection. • Custom validation when creating & updating a field. • Collections are seeded with a JSON file. • REST API version is v1. • A message when performing auth & CRUD operations, if a request does not return any data, & if an endpoint does not exist. • Filter, sort & paginate REST API data. • GET, POST, PUT & DELETE routes are protected. • Rate limit is 25 requests per minute. • HTTP headers secured. • REST API is deployed to Heroku. • REST API data is stored in a MongoDB Atlas database.	REST API contains evidence on the following: • REST API is developed using Node.js & can run locally without modification. • An appropriate number of collections & fields with different data types. • Relationships between collections. • Separate controller & route file which contain the appropriate operations for each collection. • Custom validation when creating & updating a field. • Collections are seeded with a JSON file. • REST API version is v1. • A message when performing auth & CRUD operations, if a request does not return any data, & if an endpoint does not exist. • Filter, sort & paginate REST API data. • GET, POST, PUT & DELETE routes are protected. • Rate limit is 25 requests per minute. • HTTP headers secured. • REST API is deployed to Heroku. • REST API data is stored in a MongoDB Atlas database.	REST API does not, or does not fully contain evidence on the following: • REST API is developed using Node.js & can run locally without modification. • An appropriate number of collections & fields with different data types. • Relationships between collections. • Separate controller & route file which contain the appropriate operations for each collection. • Custom validation when creating & updating a field. • Collections are seeded with a JSON file. • REST API version is v1. • A message when performing auth & CRUD operations, if a request does not return any data, & if an endpoint does not exist. • Filter, sort & paginate REST API data. • GET, POST, PUT & DELETE routes are protected. • Rate limit is 25 requests per minute. • HTTP headers secured. • REST API is deployed to Heroku. • REST API data is stored in a MongoDB Atlas database.

Code Elegance	REST API thoroughly demonstrates code elegance on the following: • Intermediate variables, idiomatic control flow, data structures & in-built functions, & sufficient modularity. • Functions & variables are named appropriately. • Efficient algorithmic approach. • REST API groups are named with a plural. • File header & in-line comments. • Formatted code using Prettier. • Prettier installed as a dev dependency. • No dead or unused code. • Database configured for production environment. • Environment variables stored.	REST API clearly demonstrates code elegance on the following: • Intermediate variables, idiomatic control flow, data structures & in-built functions, & sufficient modularity. • Functions & variables are named appropriately. • Efficient algorithmic approach. • REST API groups are named with a plural. • File header & in-line comments. • Formatted code using Prettier. • Prettier installed as a dev dependency. • No dead or unused code. • Database configured for production environment. • Environment variables stored.	REST API demonstrates code elegance on the following: • Intermediate variables, idiomatic control flow, data structures & in-built functions, & sufficient modularity. • Functions & variables are named appropriately. • Efficient algorithmic approach. • REST API groups are named with a plural. • File header & in-line comments. • Formatted code using Prettier. • Prettier installed as a dev dependency. • No dead or unused code. • Database configured for production environment. • Environment variables stored.	REST API does not or does not fully demonstrate code elegance on the following: • Intermediate variables, idiomatic control flow, data structures & in-built functions, & sufficient modularity. • Functions & variables are named appropriately. • Efficient algorithmic approach. • REST API groups are named with a plural. • File header & in-line comments. • Formatted code using Prettier. • Prettier installed as a dev dependency. • No dead or unused code. • Database configured for production environment. • Environment variables stored.
Documentation & Git Usage	REST API documented in succinct detail using Postman. README file contains thorough evidence of: • URL to the REST API on Heroku. • URL to the REST API documentation on Postman. • How to setup the environment for development & deploy the REST API. Comprehensive use of Markdown syntax, i.e., headings, bold text & code blocks. Thorough spelling & grammar correctness. Git commit messages are comprehensively formatted & reflect the functionality changes in succinct detail.	REST API documented in substantial detail using Postman. README file contains clear evidence of: • URL to the REST API on Heroku. • URL to the REST API documentation on Postman. • How to setup the environment for development & deploy the REST API. Substantial use of Markdown syntax, i.e., headings, bold text & code blocks. Clear spelling & grammar correctness. Git commit messages are clearly formatted & reflect the functionality changes in substantial detail.	REST API documented in detail using Postman. README file contains evidence of: • URL to the REST API on Heroku. • URL to the REST API documentation on Postman. • How to setup the environment for development & deploy the REST API. Use of Markdown syntax, i.e., headings, bold text & code blocks. Spelling & grammar correctness. Git commit messages are formatted & reflect the functionality changes in detail.	REST API not or not fully documented in detail using Postman. README file does not or does not fully contain evidence of: • URL to the REST API on Heroku. • URL to the REST API documentation on Postman. • How to setup the environment for development & deploy the REST API. Does not or does not fully demonstrate use of Markdown syntax, i.e., headings, bold text & code blocks. Does not or does fully demonstrate spelling & grammar correctness. Git commit messages are not or are not fully formatted & do not or do not reflect the functionality changes.

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Project 1: Node.js REST API Marking Cover Sheet

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Criteria	Out Of	Weighting	Final Result
Functionality	10	40	
Code Elegance	10	45	
Documentation & Git Usage	10	15	
Final Result			/100
This assessment is worth 30% of the final mark for the Introductory Application Development Concepts course.			

Feedback:

Functionality:

Code Elegance:

Documentation & Git Usage: