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# Completed the project named as Phase 1 FRONT END TECHNOLOGY NEWS FEED APPLICATION

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# Phase 1 - Problem Understanding & Requirements

#### **Problem Statement:**

Users need a simple and responsive **news feed interface** where they can view, refresh, and interact with real-time updates from IBM-FE. The application should handle multiple posts, live updates, and maintain feed history in an intuitive UI.

#### **Users & Stakeholders:**

- End Users (students, professionals, IBM-FE members)
- Developers (frontend engineers, backend engineers)
- Project mentor/faculty

#### **User Stories:**

- 1. As a user, I should be able to view the latest IBM-FE news and updates instantly.
- 2. As a user, I should see real-time updates when a new post is published.
- 3. As a user, I should view a list of categories (e.g., events, announcements, technology updates).
- 4. As a user, I should be able to scroll through feed history and revisit older updates.

#### **\* MVP Features:**

- News feed display area with clear formatting (title, description, time, author).
- Categories/sections (sidebar or filter options).
- Real-time updates for new posts.
- Option to mark posts as read/unread or favorite.
- Basic styling for readability and accessibility.

## **\*** Wireframes / API Endpoint List:

#### Wireframes:

- Feed screen with sidebar (categories) and main content area.
- o Refresh/auto-update option at the top.

# • API Endpoints (future integration):

- $_{\circ}$  GET /feed  $\rightarrow$  fetch latest news posts.
- $\circ$  GET /feed/{id}  $\rightarrow$  fetch specific post details.
- $\circ$  GET /categories  $\rightarrow$  list of available categories.

# **\*** Acceptance Criteria:

- Users can view news posts in a responsive feed window.
- Feed updates dynamically without page reload.
- UI is responsive, user-friendly, and categorized.
- Basic feed history is maintained in session state.