Prerequisites

- 1. Install Node.js: https://nodejs.org
- 2. Install MongoDB (local or use MongoDB Atlas)
- 3. Install VS Code: https://code.visualstudio.com

Folder Structure

crud-app/

├— backend/

└─ frontend/

Step 1: Backend Setup (Node.js + Express + MongoDB)

1. Create backend folder and init project

mkdir backend

cd backend

npm init -y

npm install express mongoose cors

2. Create server.js

```
// backend/server.js

const express = require('express');

const mongoose = require('mongoose');

const cors = require('cors');

const app = express();

app.use(cors());

app.use(express.json());

// Connect to MongoDB

mongoose.connect('mongodb://localhost:27017/crudDB', {
    useNewUrlParser: true,
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useUnifiedTopology: true,
});
// Schema
const ItemSchema = new mongoose.Schema({
 name: String,
description: String,
});
const Item = mongoose.model('Item', ItemSchema);
// Routes
// Create
app.post('/items', async (req, res) => {
const newItem = new Item(req.body);
await newItem.save();
res.send(newItem);
});
// Read
app.get('/items', async (req, res) => {
const items = await Item.find();
res.send(items);
});
// Update
app.put('/items/:id', async (req, res) => {
const updated = await Item.findByIdAndUpdate(req.params.id, req.body, { new: true });
res.send(updated);
});
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// Delete
app.delete('/items/:id', async (req, res) => {
 await Item.findByIdAndDelete(req.params.id);
 res.send({ message: 'Deleted successfully' });
});
app.listen(5000, () => {
 console.log('Server is running on port 5000');
});
3. Run the backend
node server.js
Step 2: Frontend Setup (React)
1. Create frontend using React
cd ..
npx create-react-app frontend
cd frontend
npm install axios
2. Update App.js
// frontend/src/App.js
import React, { useEffect, useState } from 'react';
import axios from 'axios';
import './App.css'; // Import the CSS
function App() {
 const [items, setItems] = useState([]);
 const [form, setForm] = useState({ name: ", description: " });
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const [editingId, setEditingId] = useState(null);

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const fetchItems = async () => {
 const res = await axios.get('http://localhost:5000/items');
 setItems(res.data);
};
useEffect(() => {
 fetchItems();
}, []);
const handleSubmit = async (e) => {
 e.preventDefault();
 if (editingId) {
  await axios.put(`http://localhost:5000/items/${editingId}`, form);
  setEditingId(null);
 } else {
  await axios.post('http://localhost:5000/items', form);
 }
 setForm({ name: ", description: " });
 fetchItems();
};
const handleEdit = (item) => {
 setForm({ name: item.name, description: item.description });
 setEditingId(item._id);
};
const handleDelete = async (id) => {
 await axios.delete(`http://localhost:5000/items/${id}`);
 fetchItems();
};
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return (
 <div className="container">
  <h1> > CRUD App</h1>
  <form onSubmit={handleSubmit} className="form">
   <input
    type="text"
    placeholder="Enter name"
    value={form.name}
    onChange={(e) => setForm({ ...form, name: e.target.value })}
    required
   />
   <input
    type="text"
    placeholder="Enter description"
    value={form.description}
    onChange={(e) => setForm({ ...form, description: e.target.value })}
    required
   />
   <button type="submit">{editingId ? 'Update' : 'Add'}</button>
  </form>
  <div className="item-list">
   {items.map((item) => (
    <div key={item._id} className="item-card">
     <h3>{item.name}</h3>
     {item.description}
     <div className="btn-group">
      <button className="edit" onClick={() => handleEdit(item)}>Edit</button>
      <button className="delete" onClick={() => handleDelete(item._id)}>Delete</button>
     </div>
    </div>
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))}
   </div>
  </div>
);
}
export default App;
3. Update App.css (src/App.css):
/* App.css */
body {
margin: 0;
font-family: 'Segoe UI', Tahoma, Geneva, Verdana, sans-serif;
background: linear-gradient(135deg, #e3f2fd, #fffde7);
}
.container {
max-width: 800px;
margin: auto;
padding: 20px;
text-align: center;
}
h1 {
color: #1976d2;
margin-bottom: 20px;
}
.form {
display: flex;
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flex-direction: column;
gap: 12px;
 margin-bottom: 30px;
}
input {
 padding: 10px;
 border: 2px solid #90caf9;
 border-radius: 8px;
font-size: 16px;
}
button {
 padding: 10px 16px;
font-size: 16px;
 background-color: #64b5f6;
color: white;
 border: none;
 border-radius: 8px;
cursor: pointer;
transition: background 0.3s;
}
button:hover {
background-color: #42a5f5;
}
.item-list {
display: grid;
grid-template-columns: repeat(auto-fit, minmax(250px, 1fr));
 gap: 16px;
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}
.item-card {
 background: white;
 border-radius: 12px;
 padding: 20px;
 box-shadow: 0 0 15px rgba(0, 0, 0, 0.1);
}
.item-card h3 {
 margin: 0 0 10px;
 color: #424242;
}
.item-card p {
 margin: 0 0 12px;
 color: #616161;
}
.btn-group {
 display: flex;
 justify-content: space-between;
}
.edit {
 background-color: #4caf50;
}
.delete {
 background-color: #e53935;
}
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.edit:hover {
  background-color: #388e3c;
}
.delete:hover {
  background-color: #c62828;
}
@media (max-width: 600px) {
  .form {
    flex-direction: column;
  }
  .btn-group {
    flex-direction: column;
    gap: 8px;
  }
}
```

4. Run the frontend

npm start

⊘ Connecting MongoDB Atlas (Optional)

Replace mongodb://localhost:27017/crudDB with your MongoDB Atlas URI in server.js.

Final Test

• Backend: http://localhost:5000

• Frontend: http://localhost:3000

You can now insert, display, update, and delete items.

ERROR FIX:-

This error usually occurs when there's a mismatch	or corruption in your node_modules, especially
with ajv and ajv-keywords, which are often used b	y tools like Webpack under the hood.

Let's fix it step-by-step:

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1. Delete node_modules and package-lock.json

In your frontend folder:

rd /s /q node_modules

del package-lock.json

Alternatively, you can do it from VS Code or File Explorer.

2. Clear NPM Cache (optional but recommended)

npm cache clean --force

3. Reinstall Packages

npm install

4. Start the App Again

npm start

If That Doesn't Work — Try Installing ajv Manually

npm install ajv

If needed:

npm install ajv-keywords