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Welcome to Module Six! This week, our focus is on communication and collaboration, two of the most essential skills for working as part of an Agile team.

## Key Focus

- Students will be placed into small groups (4–6 members) by the first day of Module Six.
- Within each group, students will take on specific roles and work together on the Vision Quest Software case study.
- This activity will simulate a real Agile team environment, emphasizing shared responsibility, collaboration, and communication.

## Assignments This Week

### 1. Discussion: Vision Quest

- Work collaboratively with your group as an Agile team.
- Select your role within the team and contribute to analyzing and solving the case study.
- Be proactive in posting early! Students who wait too long may make collaboration difficult for others.

### 2. Journal: Communication Practices and Project Management Tools

- Reflect on the importance of communication within Agile teams.

- Explore how project management tools (e.g., Trello, Jira, Asana) can support collaboration, task tracking, and transparency.
- Think about how communication and tools have enhanced your work in group discussions and other course activities.

### 3. Project Reminder

This is the last module before the final project is due.

- Dedicate some time this week to working on at least one project deliverable.
- This will help you synthesize your learning and avoid a last-minute rush in the next module.

## Engagement Ideas

- Share your own experiences working on Agile teams—what communication practices worked well, what didn't, and how challenges were overcome.
- Discuss project management tools you've used in real-world settings and how they helped keep teams aligned.
- Encourage students to experiment with different tools and practices to see which ones best support their teamwork.

Looking ahead, Module Seven will require you to add me as a collaborator on your GitHub repository for your portfolio project. If you haven't yet, please set up a GitHub account with your SNHU email. My username is: **rchataut**

This week is not just about learning; it's about growing together as a cohesive unit. Let's embrace the challenges and opportunities that come with teamwork, armed with the right tools and the best of spirits.

To success, together!