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Never Take Out Again

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- Aims to facilitate users in sharing their culinary creations by allowing them
 to upload recipes, including detailed instructions, ingredients, and images.
- Users will categorize their recipes using tags such as cuisine type,
 preparation time, and dietary preferences, enhancing searchability.
- The platform will also offer default recipes for users to explore.

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Displaying dynamic data

Uploading data to back-end

Searching through server-side data

Addressing security issues

Displaying dynamic data

- Comprehensive recipe viewing page:
 - Detailed information including images, instructions, ingredients, and tags.
- User-controlled recipe deletion:
 - Ability for users to delete uploaded recipes at their discretion.
- Dynamic library page:
 - Centralized repository of all available recipes on the website.
- Real-time user profile updates:
 - Automatic synchronization of personal information, uploaded recipes,

follower count, and followings across the platform.

Upload data to back-end

- Efficient recipe uploading:
 - Users can upload their recipes with ingredients, procedures (in string format), and images.
- Personalized profile features:
 - Capability for users to upload a profile picture and provide a brief description on their profile page.
- Enhanced platform presence:
 - Facilitates user engagement and personalization on the platform.

Search through server-side data

- Enhanced search capability:
- Extends beyond the library page for ease of recipe exploration throughout the platform.
 - Navbar search field:
 - Allows users to swiftly locate recipes by entering relevant phrases or keywords.
 - Intuitive search functionality:
- Enables seamless navigation through the extensive recipe collection from any page within the platform.

Addressing security

- Mandatory membership signup:
 - Users must register as members to access website content.
- Authentication process:
 - Access token and Refresh token generated by jsonwebtoken
 - This will help us create protected routes to verify user is authenticated
- Password requirements:
 - Passwords must be 8 characters long and include at least one special character for enhanced security.
 - Password is hashed with BCRYPT

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Recipe Library

Visiting user profile pages

Follow other users

Recipe Library

Search Bar:

- Enables users to find recipes quickly by entering keywords or phrases for targeted searches.

Tag Filter:

- Dynamically generated list of checkboxes corresponding to recipe tags.
- Users can refine their search by selecting relevant tags, streamlining the process of finding recipes aligned with their interests.

Ingredients Filter:

- Assists users in exploring recipe ideas based on available ingredients.
- Suggests recipes that match their ingredient inventory, allowing users to discover new culinary creations effortlessly and make the most of their pantry essentials.

Visiting User Page

- Author Information Card:
 - Positioned conveniently on the recipe viewing page, providing insights into the author behind the culinary masterpiece.
- Personal Page Access:
 - Clicking on the information card redirects users to the author's personal page.
 - Delve deeper into the creator's culinary journey via their User description and view their Profile Picture.
- Browse Uploaded Recipes:
 - Explore more of the author's delectable creations by browsing through all their uploaded recipes.
- Explore Connections:
 - View who the author is following to expand their cooking network.
 - Encourages Connection and Interaction:
 - Enriches the user experience and fosters a sense of community within the culinary platform.

Following Feature

- User Following System:
 - Enables users to subscribe to other members whose culinary creations and expertise interest them.
- Stay Updated:
 - Users can easily stay updated on the latest recipes from chefs and food enthusiasts they follow.
- Simple Interface:
 - Provides a user-friendly interface for managing subscriptions.
- Enhances Engagement:
 - Fosters a sense of community among users with shared culinary interests.

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