A screenshot of a cell phone

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Semester Project 2

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# Design

## What went well on the project

As time went on I think that things made its impact regarding the knowledge, as I see that small steps towards the goal has made better understanding of the composition of code. Although a slow start and a lot of head scratching, as the hours went on I found a lot of help on the web. I chose React as the framework and have now a lot of hours spent checking and learning to maintain the code experience.

All things considered I think it’s a good project starter, and see that focus can get you there at the end.

The details page got a good look and feal to it, I just wish I hade more time to make a review section more usefull.

At the end I think the Navbar and footer, though maybe seems simple it fits very well, I could have spent more time on the pallet but focused on the code.

## What was difficult/didn’t go well on the project

There are difficulties in life and we can’t dwell on them, but there was a lot of them for me during the course of this project. I focused to little on color and font choices, since I wanted to go for a minimalistic site and let images speak to colors.

I think at first it looked good, but second guessing my choice after seeing that it’s a lot of white in the background. But nevertheless I let it be and have to take learning from it till next time. Since I ran out of time I used a div for the loader, the other choice was to use a snippet from Pure CSS Loaders.

## What would you do differently next time

Since this is a web school I have trouble making time for work projects and this, so I need to prepare and set aside time every day. Now it has been all day work dinner and all night school work, and the focus is not there for either school nor work.

I will try better to make a list of things to do, and cross them of as work is done.

And absolutely make for a better mockup!!

# Technical

## What went well on the project

After a while of back and forth, I find myself reading code I find and understanding what it means and what it does. So the code is now starting to be a third language ☺

The thing is that it actually look like a webpage, even though it’s a bit short of products.

## What was difficult/didn’t go well on the project

There is a lot of frustration when it comes to some of the coding, especially the file upload. I can’t even say how many hours I have spent searching to get it to work, which it still isn’t. Make it to a FormatData() they say, phuu doesn’t work however I twisted and turned it around. And the cart I couldn’t figure out either, as I now sit and have 30 minutes left of writing the report, I still don’t get it ☹.

I also used an arm and a leg to eventually getting the POST, PUT and DELET method to work, but I got there at the end. The add to cart I couldn’t make sence of, so there I gave up. I don’t like to give up but I have no more energy to give at the moment!

## What would you do differently next time

As a student with a full time work I actually are going to send that question back to Noroff, and ask what can Noroff do to have some evenings and maybe weekends to help web students. And yes we can ask and get an answer back the following day, but when you are struggling a Saturday and want to progress that isn’t no help at all, sorry!

And I isn’t blaming Noroff for my lack of understanding, but websites or youtube etc. isn’t as good as getting a person to explain it to you live.

I hope I pass and get a lot of feedback, so I can take that feedback and fix what’s missing on the site as its delivered. It would be nice to get images and actually add to cart to see it working.

Good luck to me! :-0

# References