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Now I'll explain this **React** `handleSubmit` **code** in the **same way** I explained:

| **FastAPI → JSON → Schema → Object → DB**

We'll do:

- Line-by-line explanation
  - JSON → JS object → Backend schema mapping
  - Graphical flow
- ◆ **Your Code**

javascript

```
const handleSubmit = async (e) => {
  e.preventDefault();

  const response = await fetch("http://127.0.0.1:8000/submit-name", {
    method: "POST",
    headers: {
      "Content-Type": "application/json",
    },
    body: JSON.stringify({ name }),
  });

  const data = await response.json();
  console.log("Backend response:", data);
  alert(data.message);
};
```

## Line-by-Line (Easy Words)

► `const handleSubmit = async (e) => {`

📌 Meaning:

- `handleSubmit` → function name
- `async` → this function will **wait for backend response**
- `e` → event object (form submit event)

🧠 Same idea as:

python

```
async def submit_name():
```

► `e.preventDefault();`

📌 Meaning:

- Stops browser **page refresh**
- Keeps SPA behavior (React style)

🧠 Without this:

✗ Page reloads

✗ State lost

► `fetch("http://127.0.0.1:8000/submit-name", { ... })`

📌 Meaning:

- Sends request to backend
- URL → FastAPI POST API

🧠 Think of it as:

“Call FastAPI function `submit_name`”

► `method: "POST"`

📌 Meaning:

- You are **sending data**
- Matches:

python

```
@app.post("/submit-name")
```

► `headers: { "Content-Type": "application/json" }`

📌 Meaning:

- Tells backend:

“I am sending JSON data”

🧠 Without this:

✗ Backend may not understand body

► `body: JSON.stringify({ name })`

📌 MOST IMPORTANT LINE 🔥

Let's break it 👉

1 { name }

This is a JavaScript object:

js

```
{ name: "Siddu" }
```

2 JSON.stringify(...)

Converts JS object → JSON string:

json

```
{
  "name": "Siddu"
}
```

🧠 SAME as:

python

```
json.dumps(...)
```

## ➡️ NOW CONNECT FRONTEND → BACKEND

- ◆ JSON sent from React

json

```
{
  "name": "Siddu"
}
```

- ◆ FastAPI receives it

python

```
async def submit_name(user: UserName):
```

FastAPI does:

pgsql

JSON

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UserName schema

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Python object

Becomes:

python

```
user = UserName(name="Siddu")
```

#### ◆ Access inside backend

python

```
user.name # "Siddu"
```

#### ◆ Stored in MongoDB

python

```
collection.insert_one({"name": user.name})
```

## 🧠 Full Graphical Flow (Frontend → Backend → DB)

pgsql

React Input Field

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| name = "Siddu"

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JS Object

```
{ name: "Siddu" }
```

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| JSON.stringify()

↓

JSON

```
{ "name": "Siddu" }
```

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| POST /submit-name

↓

FastAPI

|

| UserName schema

↓

Python object

```
user.name = "Siddu"
```

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MongoDB

## ◆ Back to React (Response Handling)

► `const response = await fetch(...)`

📌 Meaning:

- Wait for backend to reply
- Similar to:

python

```
result = await insert_one()
```

► `const data = await response.json();`

📌 Meaning:

- Convert backend JSON → JS object

Backend sends:

json

```
{  
  "message": "Data saved successfully",  
  "id": "65abc..."  
}
```

React gets:

js

```
data.message  
data.id
```

► `console.log("Backend response:", data);`

📌 Meaning:

- Print response in browser console

► `alert(data.message);`

📌 Meaning:

- Show backend message to user

## 🔑 One-Line Mapping (Very Important)

React (JS)

FastAPI (Python)

{ name }

UserName schema

JS object

Pydantic model

JSON.stringify()

JSON parsing

await fetch()

await insert\_one()

data.message

return { "message": ... }

## 🧠 Final Mental Model

Frontend creates data

- Converts to JSON
- Backend converts JSON to object
- Object stored in DB
- Backend returns JSON
- Frontend converts JSON to object

You're now thinking like a **full-stack developer** 🎉

If you want next:

- Network tab debugging
- Error handling (try/catch)
- Why 422 error comes
- Why await is needed in React too

Just tell me 👍