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#### Lab 5

**Due** Mar 8, 2023 by 11:59pm **Points** 100 **Submitting** a file upload

#### CS-546 Lab 5

## JSON Routes

For this lab, you will create a simple server that will provide data from a server.

For this lab, you will not need to use a database. You can store your data right in your routes, as local variables.

You can download the starter template here: <a href="mailto:lab5\_stub.zip">lab5\_stub.zip</a>

(https://sit.instructure.com/courses/64637/files/11251291?wrap=1) ↓

(https://sit.instructure.com/courses/64637/files/11251291/download?download\_frd=1) PLEASE NOTE: THE STUB DOES NOT INCLUDE THE PACKAGE.JSON FILE. YOU WILL NEED TO CREATE IT! DO NOT FORGET TO ADD THE START COMMAND AND "type": "module". DO NOT ADD ANY OTHER FILE OR FOLDER APART FROM PACKAGE.JSON FILE.

### **General Notes**

Lecture videos and demos tend to show JSON as "pretty", but your browser may not natively do that -- that's fine!

There are extensions for most major browsers that add that functionality, such as:

- 1. JSONView for Firefox (https://addons.mozilla.org/en-US/firefox/addon/jsonview/)
- 2. <u>JSONView for Chrome</u> (https://chrome.google.com/webstore/detail/jsonview/chklaanhfefbnpoihckbnefhakgolnmc?hl=en)

In addition to that, you probably won't see the actual line breaks, and will see the \n character in your JSON - this is normal, and expected.

### Your routes

/aboutme

When making a GET request to <a href="http://localhost:3000/aboutme">http://localhost:3000/aboutme</a>, this route will return JSON in the following structure (with your own information):

```
{
  "firstName": "Your First Name",
  "lastName": "Your Last Name",
  "biography": "2 biography paragraphs separated by a new line character (\n).",
  "favoriteMovies": ["array", "of", "favorite", "movies"],
```

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```
"hobbies": ["array", "of", "hobbies"],
  "fondestMemory": "One of your fondest memories from your life as far"
}
```

/mystory

When making a GET request to <a href="http://localhost:3000/mystory">http://localhost:3000/mystory</a>, this route will return the following JSON:

```
{
  "storyTitle": "Story Title",
  "storyGenre": "Story Genre i.e. Horror, Fiction, Non-Fiction, biographical",
  "story": "Your creative story.\nSimply use line breaks for paragraphs.\nLike this."
}
```

/educationhistory

When making a GET request to <a href="http://localhost:3000/educationhistory">http://localhost:3000/educationhistory</a>, this route will will return JSON in the following structure (with your own information):

Make sure to include at least 3 schools. For your degreeEarned, If you list your High School, then for the degreeEarned field just use (H.S. Diploma) as the value.

# Packages you will use:

You will use the **express** package as your server.

You can read up on <a href="mailto:expressjs.com/">express (http://expressjs.com/</a>) on its home page. Specifically, you may find the <a href="mailto:API">API</a>
<a href="mailto:Guide section on requests">Guide section on requests (http://expressjs.com/en/4x/api.html#req)</a> useful.

You may use the <u>lecture 5 code (https://github.com/stevens-cs546-cs554/CS-546/tree/master/lecture\_05)</u> as a guide.

You must save all dependencies to your package.json file

# Requirements

- 1. You **must not submit** your node modules folder
- 2. You must remember to save your dependencies to your package.json folder
- 3. You must remember to update your package json file to set (app.js) as your starting script!
- You must submit a zip, or you will lose points, named in the following format:

```
LastName_FirstName_CS546_SECTION.zip.
```

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	33.33 pts Full Marks	0 pts No Marks	33.33 pts
/mystory You MUST return the DATA exactly as shown, naming a key wrong, having the wrong output, will result in the full points off for the route. Even if you have a typo/naming in a single key name wrong will result in FULL points for the function off.	33.33 pts Full Marks	0 pts No Marks	33.33 pts
/educationhistory You MUST return the DATA exactly as shown, naming a key wrong, having the wrong output, will result in the full points off for the route. Even if you have a typo/naming in a single key name wrong will result in FULL points for the function off.	33.34 pts Full Marks	0 pts No Marks	33.34 pts

Total Points: 100