

10. Quiz part 2

QuestionRepository Explanation:

- **Interface:** Extends `JpaRepository<Question, Integer>`, making it a repository for performing database operations on `Question` entities.
- **Custom Methods:**
 - `findByCategory(String category)`: Retrieves a list of questions filtered by category.
 - `findByQuestionTitle(String questionTitle)`: Fetches questions based on the question title.
 - `findRandomQuestionsByCategory(String category, int numQ)`: Uses a **native query** to retrieve a specified number (`numQ`) of random questions for a given category. The query orders questions by `RAND()` and limits the result set.

Example:

```
@Repository
public interface QuestionRepository extends JpaRepository<Question, Integer> {

    public List<Question> findByCategory(String category);

    public List<Question> findByQuestionTitle(String questionTitle);

    @Query(value = "SELECT * FROM question WHERE category = :category ORDER BY RAND() LIMIT :numQ",
nativeQuery = true)
    public List<Question> findRandomQuestionsByCategory(@Param("category") String category,
@Param("numQ") int numQ);
}
```

QuizRepository Explanation:

- **Interface:** Extends `JpaRepository<Quiz, Integer>`. This repository is responsible for basic CRUD operations related to the `Quiz` entity.;

Example:

```
@Repository
public interface QuizRepository extends JpaRepository<Quiz, Integer> {

}
```

QuizService Explanation:

- **Service Layer:** Handles the business logic for creating quizzes.
- **Dependency Injection:** Uses `@Autowired` to inject `QuizRepository` and `QuestionRepository` instances.
- **createQuiz Method:**
 - Fetches random questions from the specified category using `findRandomQuestionsByCategory()`.
 - Checks if enough questions were retrieved to create a quiz.
 - Creates a new `Quiz` object, sets the title, and associates the fetched questions with the quiz.
 - Saves the quiz to the database via `quizRepository`.
 - Returns appropriate responses for success, insufficient questions, or any errors.

Example:

```
@Service
public class QuizService {

    @Autowired
    QuizRepository quizRepository;

    @Autowired
    QuestionRepository questionRepository;

    public ResponseEntity<String> createQuiz(String category, int numQ, String title) {
        try {
            List<Question> questions =
                questionRepository.findRandomQuestionsByCategory(category, numQ);

            if (questions.isEmpty()) {
                return new ResponseEntity<>("Not enough questions available for the given
```

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category", HttpStatus.BAD_REQUEST);
    }

    Quiz quiz = new Quiz();
    quiz.setTitle(title);
    quiz.setQuestions(questions);

    quizRepository.save(quiz);

    return new ResponseEntity<>("Quiz created successfully with title: " + title,
HttpStatus.CREATED);
    } catch (Exception e) {
        e.printStackTrace();
        return new ResponseEntity<>("Error occurred while creating the quiz",
HttpStatus.INTERNAL_SERVER_ERROR);
    }
}
}

```

QuizController Explanation:

- **Controller Layer:** Exposes the REST API for managing quizzes.
- **Endpoint:**
 - **POST /quiz/create:** Takes query parameters (**category**, **numQ**, **title**) and calls the **createQuiz()** method from **QuizService** to create a new quiz.
 - Returns an appropriate HTTP response based on the success or failure of the quiz creation.

Example:

```
@RestController
@RequestMapping("quiz")
public class QuizController {

    @Autowired
    QuizService quizService;

    @PostMapping("create")
    public ResponseEntity<String> createQuiz(
        @RequestParam String category,
        @RequestParam int numQ,
        @RequestParam String title) {
        return quizService.createQuiz(category, numQ, title);
    }
}
```

Quiz Entity Explanation:

- **Entity Class:** Represents the **Quiz** entity in the database.
- **Annotations:**
 - **@Entity:** Marks this class as a JPA entity.
 - **@Id, @GeneratedValue, @SequenceGenerator:** Configures the primary key and uses a sequence generator for auto-generating IDs starting from 1.
 - **@ManyToMany:** Establishes a many-to-many relationship between **Quiz** and **Question** entities, where a quiz can have multiple questions, and a question can belong to multiple quizzes.

Example:

```
@Entity
@Data
@NoArgsConstructor
public class Quiz {

    @Id
    @GeneratedValue(strategy = GenerationType.SEQUENCE, generator = "quiz_seq")
    @SequenceGenerator(name = "quiz_seq", sequenceName = "quiz_sequence", allocationSize = 1,
initialValue = 1)
    private Integer id;

    private String title;

    @ManyToMany
    private List<Question> questions;
}
```

Postman:

POST http://localhost:8080/quiz/create?category=Java&numQ=5&title=J1Quiz

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Query Params

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Key	Value	Description	Bulk Edit
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	category	Java		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	numQ	5		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	title	J1Quiz		
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1 Quiz created successfully with title: J1Quiz

```
mysql> show tables;
```

Tables_in_questiondb
question
question_seq
question_sequence
quiz
quiz_questions
quiz_sequence

```
6 rows in set (0.03 sec)
```

```
mysql> select * from quiz;
```

id	title
2	JQuiz
3	JQuiz
4	J1Quiz

```
3 rows in set (0.00 sec)
```