## Py project req:

- These are a few ways we can add send notification functionality to a Tkinter GUI:
- 1. Using the built-in messagebox module: Tkinter provides the messagebox module which can be used to display simple notifications such as alerts, warnings and error messages.
- 2. Using the plyer library: plyer is a third-party library that provides a variety of notification options such as toast notifications, alert dialogs, and system tray notifications.
- 3. Use a scheduling library such as schedule or APScheduler to schedule notifications to be sent at specific times, such as when the user is close to reaching their budget or when bills are due.
- 4. Use a web service such as Firebase Cloud Messaging (FCM) or OneSignal to send push notifications to the user's device. These services can be integrated with Tkinter using a library such as pyfcm or python-onesignal
- 5. Using a web service: If you want to send notifications to a mobile device or email, you can use a web service like Twilio or Sendgrid to send text message or email notifications.

We will need to import the necessary libraries and call the appropriate functions to send the notifications. The specific implementation will depend on the method you choose and the requirements of our application

- An expense tracker app typically includes the following functionalities:
- Recording expenses: Users should be able to add, edit, and delete expenses, and view them in a list or a summary format.
- 2. Categorizing expenses: Users should be able to assign categories to their expenses, such as "groceries" or "transportation," and view the expenses by category.
- 3. Setting budgets: Users should be able to set a budget for each category and track their expenses against the budget.
- 4. Generating reports: Users should be able to generate reports on their expenses, such as a monthly or yearly summary.
- 5. Setting reminders: Users should be able to set reminders for bills or recurring expenses.
- 6. Import/Export: Users should be able to export their expenses to a spreadsheet or import from one.
- 7. Notifications: Users should be able to receive notifications when they are close to reaching their budget or when bills are due.
- Transforming a GUI built with Tkinter to a mobile-based app typically involves using a library or framework that can convert the Tkinter code to the appropriate format for the mobile platform.
- 1. Kivy: Kivy is an open-source library that allows you to create multi-touch applications for various platforms such as Android, iOS, Linux, and Windows. Kivy is

- designed specifically for creating mobile apps and can be used to convert a Tkinter GUI to a mobile app.
- 2. Beeware: Beeware is a collection of libraries and tools that allows you to create mobile, desktop, and web apps using Python. Beeware includes a Toga library that provides a Tkinter-like API for creating mobile apps

OneSignal is a web service that allows you to send push notifications to mobile and web apps. To use OneSignal with a Tkinter-based GUI, you can use the python-onesignal library, which is a Python client for the OneSignal API. Here are the general steps to use OneSignal with Tkinter:

- 1. Create an account on OneSignal and set up your app in the OneSignal dashboard.
- 2. Install the python-onesignal library using pip: pip install python-onesignal
- 3. Import the library in your Tkinter code: import onesignal
- 4. Initialize the OneSignal client with your app id and REST API key, which can be found in the OneSignal dashboard.

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os_client = onesignal.Client(app_id='YOUR_APP_ID',
api_key='YOUR_API_KEY')
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5. Create a function that will send the notification to the user.

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def send_notification(title:str, message:str):
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notification = onesignal.Notification(contents={"en":
message}, headings={"en": title})
 os\_client.send\_notification(notification)
6. Call this function to send notifications to the user

6. Call this function to send notifications to the user when the budget threshold is reached or bills are due.

if expenses >= budget\_threshold:

send\_notification("Budget threshold reached","Please
check your expenses")