

## Problem:

## Use the Star Wars API to retrieve some information

## Scenario:

You are an SDET tasked with creating automated tests for the Star Wars API (SWAPI) to ensure its functionality is working as expected. The SWAPI base URL is <https://swapi.dev/api>. Your goal is to implement automated tests using Mocha and axios to cover essential scenarios.

## Requirements:

Retrieve a List of Characters:

1. Write a test case to retrieve a list of all Star Wars characters from the API
  - a. Verify that the response status is 200.
  - b. Verify that at least one character is returned.
2. Write a test case to verify that details for a specific character (e.g., Luke Skywalker) can be retrieved successfully:
  - a. Verify that the response status is 200.
  - b. Verify that the response includes the correct character details, and only one result is returned.
3. Write a test case to verify that a list of all Star Wars films can be retrieved.
  - a. Verify that the response status is 200.
  - b. Verify that at least one film is returned.
4. Write a test case to verify that the details for a specific film (e.g., A New Hope) can be retrieved.
  - a. Verify that the response status is 200.
  - b. Verify that the response includes the correct film details, and that only one result is returned.

Follow the below steps to set up the testing environment:

- `npm install -g mocha`
- `npm install axios`
- `Mocha <filename>`

## Additional Considerations:

- Handle potential exceptions and errors appropriately in your code.

- Parameterize the requests (e.g., include character and film names) to demonstrate flexibility.
- Ensure that the function is reusable and follows best practices.
- Provide comments in your code to explain your thought process and any assumptions made.

## Evaluation Criteria:

- Candidates will be evaluated based on the following criteria:
  - Correctness of the automated test cases.
  - Proper use of Mocha and axios.
  - Handling of edge cases and exceptions.
  - Code readability and organization.
  - Reusability and maintainability of the test script.

Starter Code: (Feel free to use different techniques. This is just a suggestion.)

```
const axios = require('axios');
const assert = require('assert');
// SWAPI endpoint
const swapiUrl = "https://swapi.dev/api";

// Test Suite
describe('Star Wars API Tests', function () {

  // Test Case 1: Retrieve a list of all Star Wars characters
  it('should retrieve a list of all Star Wars characters', async
function () {
    const response = await axios.get(`${swapiUrl}/people`);
    assert.strictEqual(response.status, 200, 'Unexpected status
code');
    // TODO: Implement the remainder of this test case
  });

  // Test Case 2: Retrieve details for a specific Star Wars character
  it('should retrieve details for a specific Star Wars character',
async function () {
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    const characterName = "Luke Skywalker";
    // TODO: Implement the remainder of this test case
  });

  // Test Case 3: Retrieve a list of all Star Wars films
  it('should retrieve a list of all Star Wars films', async function ()
  {
    // TODO: Implement the test case
  });

  // Test Case 4: Retrieve details for a specific Star Wars film
  it('should retrieve details for a specific Star Wars film', async
function () {
    // TODO: Implement the test case
  });
});

// Run the tests
// This is just a placeholder, candidates might need to customize this
// based on their project structure.
// For example, if the script is in a "test" folder, candidates can use
`mocha test/*.js`.
// Make sure Mocha is installed either globally or as a devDependency.
// npm install -g mocha
// or
// npm install --save-dev mocha

```

Estimated time to complete: 1 hour (+-).

Please return the test file and time to complete to [Tate Illian](#) for evaluation.