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Introduction

Kilifi Primary School Management System is a web-based application designed to streamline the administrative processes of a primary school.

The system provides functionalities for managing student records, teacher details, and other essential school-related data. It aims to improve

efficiency, reduce paperwork, and provide an intuitive interface for school staff.

Objectives

- Simplify the management of student and teacher information.
- Provide a centralized platform for storing school data.
- Enhance communication between school administrators and staff.
- Reduce manual errors in administrative tasks.

Features

Student Management

- Add, edit, and delete student records.

- View details of enrolled students, including age, class, and contact information.

Teacher Management

- Maintain a database of teacher information, including subjects taught and contact details.
- Assign teachers to specific classes.

Class Management

- Organize students into classes.
- Allocate teachers to manage specific classes.

Dashboard

- A user-friendly dashboard summarizing key school data, including the total number of students, teachers, and classes.
- Quick access to essential features such as adding new records or viewing reports.

Authentication

- Secure login for administrators and staff to ensure data confidentiality.

Reports

- Generate reports on student and teacher statistics.
- Export data for external use in formats such as PDF or Excel.

Technologies Used

- **Backend:** Python (Django Framework)
- **Frontend:** HTML, CSS, JavaScript
- **Database:** SQLite (with potential to upgrade to PostgreSQL or MySQL)
- **Environment:** Virtual Environment for dependency management

Project Structure

Directories

- **`kilifi_primary_school_management_system/`**: Main project directory
- **`kilifi_school/`**: Django app handling core functionalities
- **`templates/`**: HTML templates for rendering views
- **`static/`**: Static files (CSS, JavaScript, images)

Files

- `models.py`: Defines the database models for students and teachers.
- `views.py`: Handles the logic for rendering pages and processing data.
- `urls.py`: Routes URLs to the appropriate views.
- `settings.py`: Contains project configurations.

Setup and Installation

Prerequisites

- Python 3.10+
- Django 4.2+
- Virtual Environment

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### Steps
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1. Clone the repository:

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```bash
git clone <repository_url>
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2. Navigate to the project directory:

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```bash
cd kilifi_primary_school_management_system
...
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3. Create and activate a virtual environment:

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""bash

python -m venv kilifi_venv

kilifi_venv\Scripts\activate # On Windows

source kilifi_venv/bin/activate # On macOS/Linux
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4. Install dependencies:

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```bash
pip install -r requirements.txt
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5. Run migrations:			
```bash			
python manage.p	y makemigrations		
python manage.p	y migrate		

6. Start the develop	ment server:		
```bash			
python manage.p	y runserver		
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7. Access the syste	m at:		
- `http://127.0.0.1:8	8000/		
## Budget Quotatio	n Plan		
**Item**	**Description**	**Estimated	
Cost (USD)**			
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**Domain Name**	Registration of a cus	Registration of a custom domain	
\$15/year			
**Hosting**	Cloud-based hosting services		
\$100/year			
**Development To	ols**   Software and utilities	s for development	
\$50 (one-time)	1		

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| **Developer Fees** | Payment for development and setup
$1000 (one-time) |
| **Maintenance** | Updates, bug fixes, and support
$200/year |
| **Miscellaneous** | Unforeseen expenses | $50
| |
| **Total Estimated Cost** | | **$1415**
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# ## Conclusion

The Kilifi Primary School Management System is a comprehensive solution tailored to meet the unique administrative needs of primary schools. By implementing this system, the school can achieve better efficiency, accuracy, and communication. With a moderate budget, the system ensures cost-effectiveness while delivering robust functionalities.