CSC 554 2.0 Net-centric Computing and System Administration (Intake VI) – Assignment Report

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Project Title: - Student Management App

Links

GitHub - <https://github.com/KavinduNuwandika/CSC_554.git>

Docker Hub - <https://hub.docker.com/r/kavib/student_managment>

Docker composer to run with test data - <https://drive.google.com/file/d/13C7r0DuTtaCqbTqchKTbk4Uy8Smc_-Ij/view?usp=sharing>

Project Overview

The goal of this project is to develop a user management and grade tracking system using Spring Boot, where users can register and access different functionalities based on their roles (Admin, Teacher, Student). The system is designed to handle three main user types:

1. **Admin:**
   * The admin has overall control of the system. They can manage users, assign roles (Admin, Teacher, Student), Enroll Students to classes and oversee all activities within the application.
2. **Teacher:**
   * Teachers can create classes and assign grades to students.
   * The grading system allows teachers to input scores for students.
3. **Student:**
   * Students can view their own results. They can track their performance over time, but do not have the ability to modify their own grades or class data.
   * Students can also manage their personal account details and view relevant class information.

Core Features

* **User Registration and Login:** Users can create an account with their personal information (name, email, password), and their default role will be Student
* **Role-based Access Control:** Different users have different permissions.
* **Class Management:** Teachers can create classes. Admins can assign/reassign students to classes.
* **Grading System:** Teachers can input marks for students in their classes.
* **Grade Viewing:** Students can view their Marks and performance history within the system.

**Technologies Used**

**Backend:**

* **Spring Boot:** A powerful framework for building Java-based applications. It simplifies the development of RESTful web services and provides robust support for authentication and authorization, making it ideal for managing different user roles (Admin, Teacher, Student).
* **JPA (Java Persistence API):** Used for database interaction, allowing seamless integration with MySQL to store and retrieve data related to users, classes, and grades.

**Frontend:**

* **HTML:** A simple, lightweight approach for presenting the application's user interface. Basic forms and pages will allow users to interact with the system (e.g., user registration, login, viewing grades).

**Database:**

* **MySQL:** A relational database system used to store user information (Admin, Teacher, Student), class data, grades, and other relevant information. The system uses JPA to interact with MySQL, ensuring easy CRUD operations.

**Version Control:**

* **GitHub:** GitHub is used for version control, allowing for easy code management, and maintaining a history of changes. Regular commits and meaningful comments will ensure smooth progress tracking and enable you to revert to previous versions if necessary.

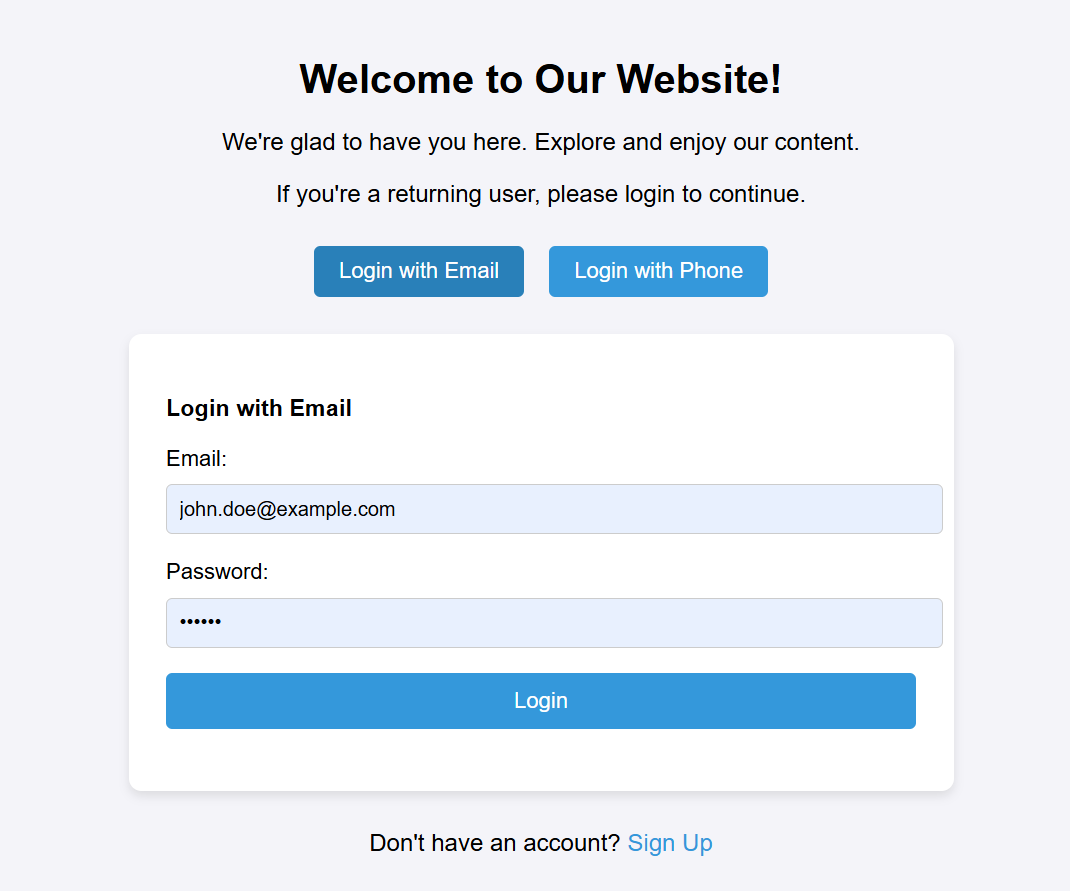
**Deployment:**

* **Docker:** Docker will be used to containerize the application, ensuring that it can be easily deployed across various environments. It simplifies the process of packaging the application along with all necessary dependencies, allowing for consistent deployment on different machines or cloud services.

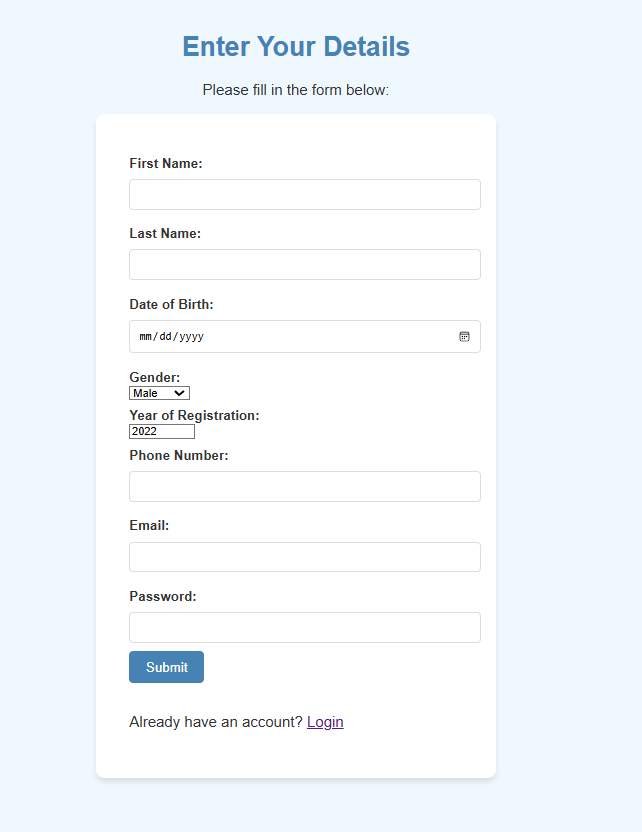
**Testing:**

* **Postman**: Postman is a powerful tool used for testing and interacting with the RESTful APIs of the application. It allows developers to easily send HTTP requests, check responses, and automate tests to ensure that the application’s backend behaves as expected. Postman is particularly useful for testing CRUD operations, ensuring proper authentication, and validating error handling.

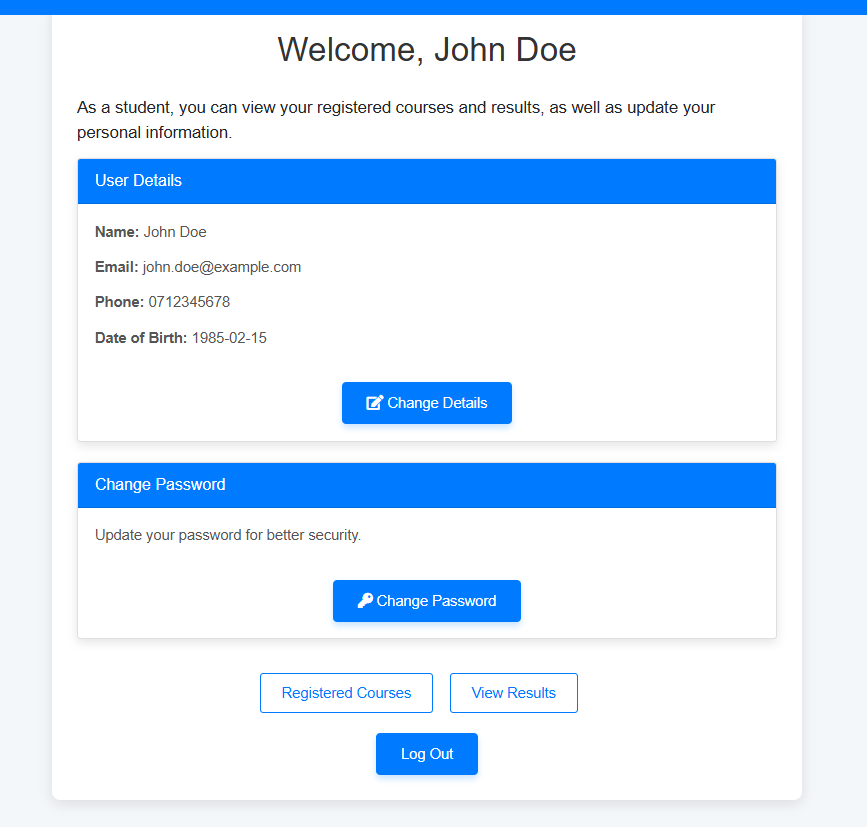
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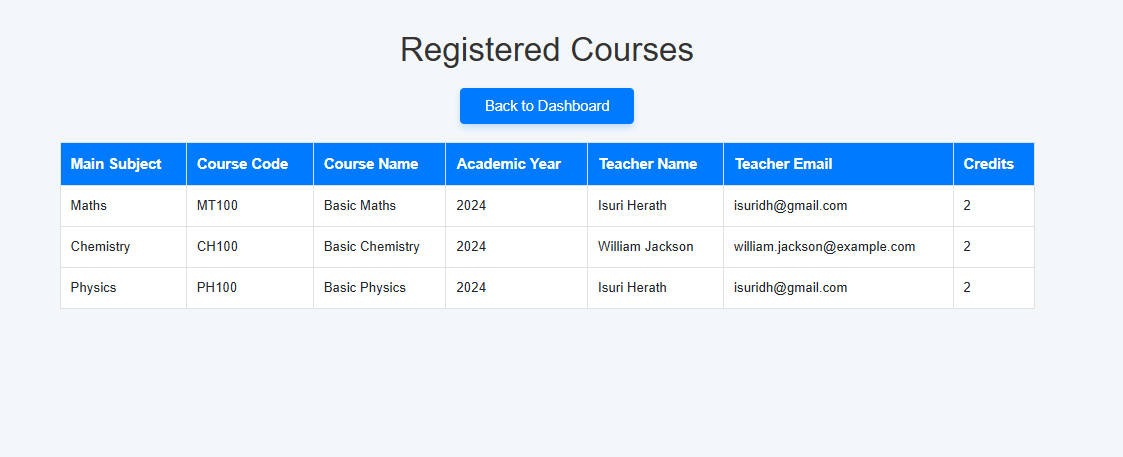
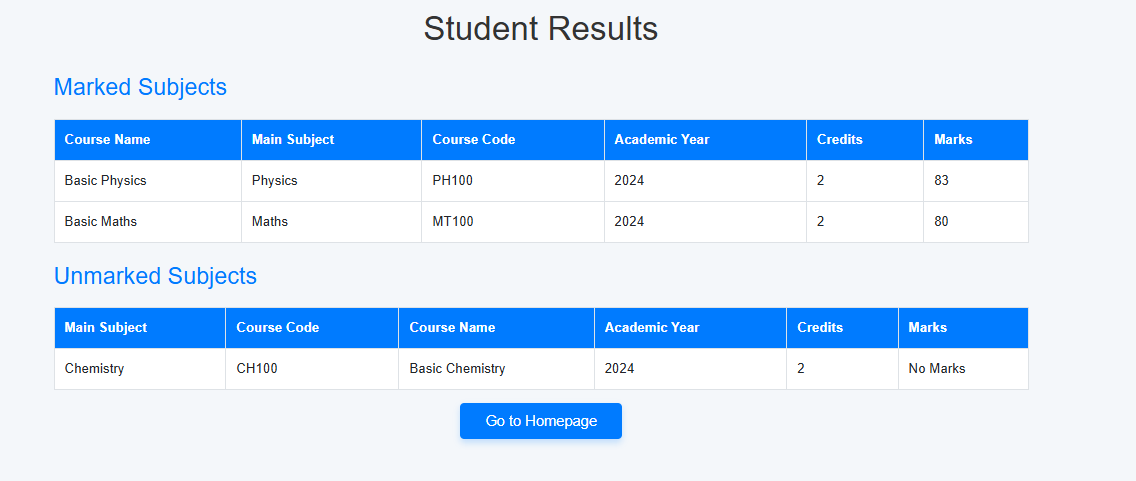
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Sign Up:

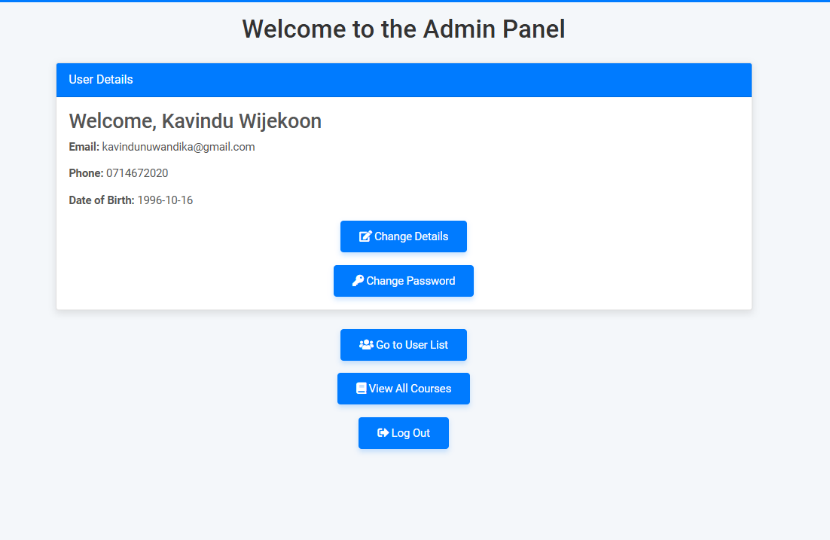


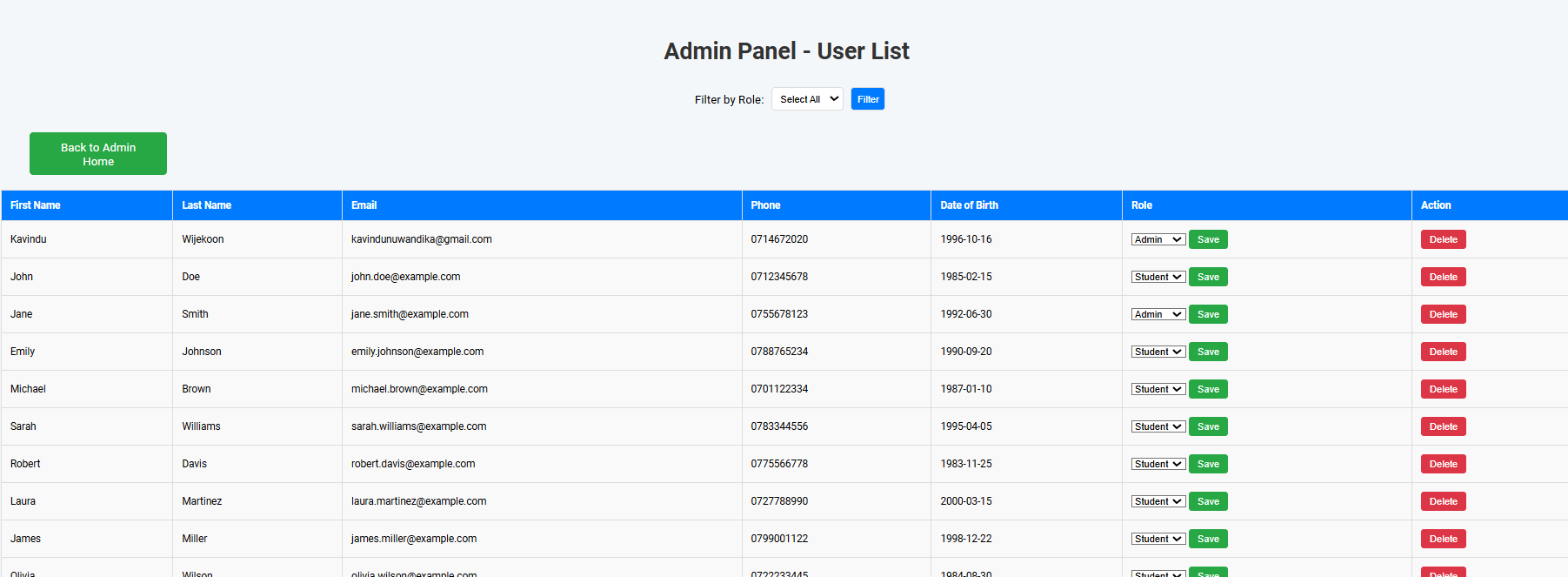
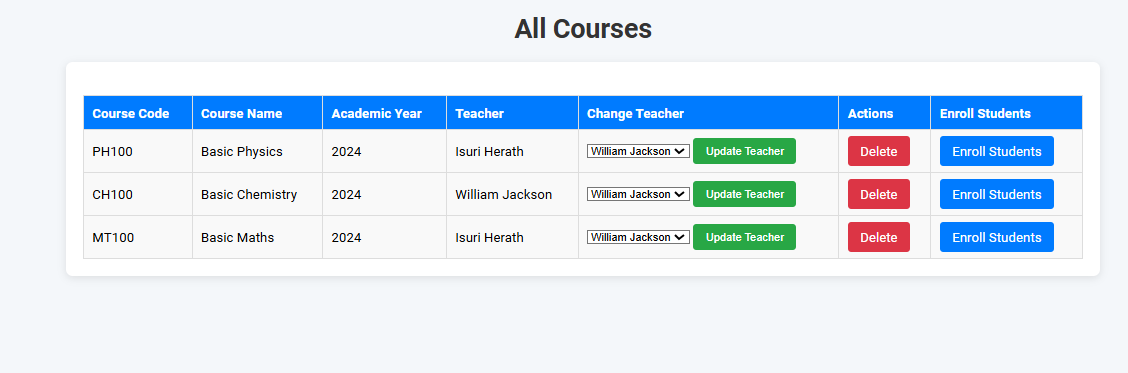
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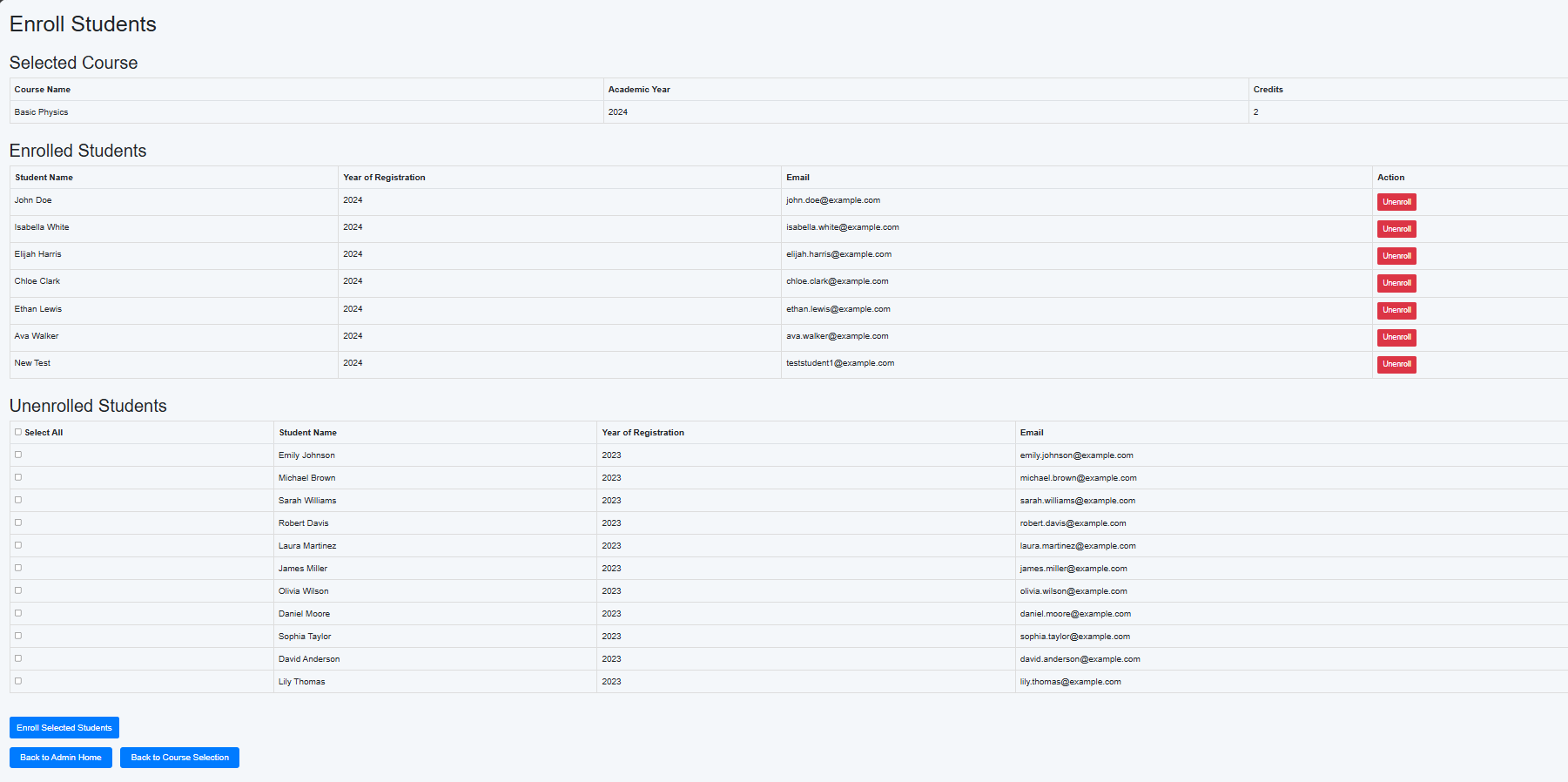




Teacher View:

Admin View:

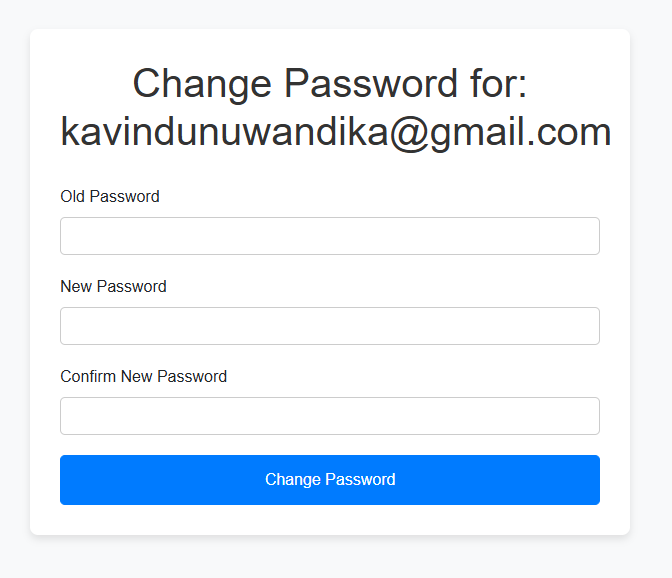




Change details:



Change Password:



Teacher View:

