## **Reviewing setup-test**

- If you're new to the class
- Learning Git
- Lessons from the assignment

#### New to the class!

- Follow links in Canvas Announcements
  - Join class Slack Workspace
  - Get a copy of class github repo
- Watch recording of first class
  - Canvas -> Zoom Meetings -> Recordings
  - Check Time/Dates!
- Do setup-test assignment + Quiz
  - No penalty for new students
  - Ensures you can get/submit work
  - Gives me your account info
- Catch up by night before next class

# Learning git is painful

#### git is

- Important to your career
- Important to the class
- Powerful
- Confusing
- Possibly Frustrating

#### Git Commit Message is important!

- "Adds MYNAME"
  - Don't actually say "MYNAME"
  - Only for THAT assignment!
- Commit message summarizes work
  - Used by you/your team
  - Poor commit message = poor programmer
- Fills blank "These changes \_\_\_\_\_
- <a href="https://github.com/facebook/react/commits/main/">https://github.com/facebook/react/commits/main/</a>
  - Examples of professional commit messages
- See git slides and readings

# Only add/commit correct files

- No .idea, no .DS\_Store, etc
- No node\_modules/

Only want files useful to another computer

• Not something specific to yours

Easiest to do with .gitignore file

## .gitignore file

- Lists file "patterns"
- Matching files will be "ignored"
  - Not shown in git status
  - Not used by git add or git rm

### .gitignore scope

.gitignore works on the directory (folder) it is in

• And any dirs inside THAT dir

Your repo has a /work/.gitignore

- but no base .gitignore
- you will want one
- I left it for you to create

https://git-scm.com/docs/gitignore

### Details in your assignments

- README is a long, detailed list
- Details matter
  - Computers are picky
  - So are bosses and clients
  - So am I :)
- This assignment was small
- Learn for the bigger assignments

#### Lessons

- New students aren't punished
  - Just catch up before next class
- Existing students can catch up too
- Git is involved but worthwhile
- Follow README for work closely
- Grades can take a week