

Course Module : MIT3206 – Mobile Computing

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❖ Assignment 3 : Get the Given User Interface

Used Android Studio: Android Studio Koala | 2024.1.1

GitHub Private Repository Link :

https://github.com/NavinduMadusanka/Assignment3-MIT3206-22550119.git

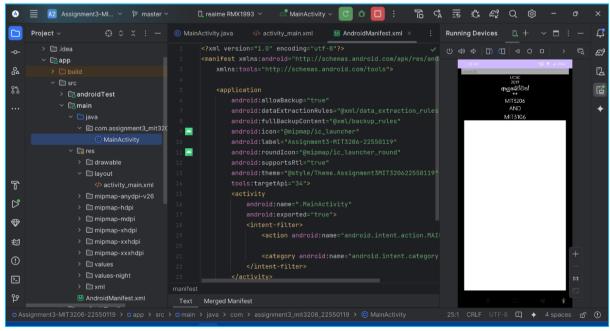
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Below is a summary of what I have learned and focused on in this assignment.

1. Android Components

API level

Android Version	API Level	Version Name
Android 7.0	24	Nougat

Classes

The AppCompatActivity class is used in this assignment.

This is a compatibility library that back ports some features of recent versions of Android to older devices.

Methods

The onCreate() methods is used in this assignment.

It is functioned when an activity is loaded.

Permissions

No special permissions have been granted for this project.

Newly learned key points in this assignment

TextView new line (multiline)

Simply we can put an '\n' on text where we want to create a new line as.

Example : setText("Line1 \n Line 2"),
android:text="UCSC\n2019"

• tools:targetApi="34" in AndroidMainfest.xml



2. Outline of approach to develop the application

• Design Issues

I couldn't find how to use different text sizes in same textview with multiline.

• Tips

I have included the Sinhala Unicode software (Sinhala / Tamil Kit provided by ICTA) to make it easier to enter Sinhala text.

• Warnings

The following warnings appeared.

- Hardcoded string "UCSCn2019", should use @string resource
- Hardcoded string "ආයුබෝවන්n**", should use @string resource
- Hardcoded string "MIT3206", should use @string resource
- Hardcoded string "ANDnMIT3106", should use @string resource

These are few warnings. But the function is working as properly.

3. Layout & Attributes

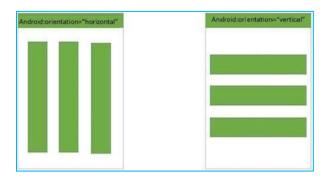
LinearLayout

LinearLayout is a view group that aligns all children in a single direction, vertically or horizontally. We can specify the layout direction with the android:orientation attribute.

Android LinearLayout is a view group that aligns all children in either vertically or horizontally.

In this assignment I used vertical orientation layout.





Android Orientation Layout

Layout Attributes & Other Attributes

In this assignment I will mention only the special items that I have just learned. Following are special attributes and applied to the layout in this assignment.

No	Attribute	Description
1	android:textAlignment="textStart"	The text aligns to the start of the paragraph
3	android:lineSpacingMultiplier="1.25"	Spacing between lines of text of TextView
4	android:layout_height="wrap_content"	View should have a height which corresponds to the height of the content it contains.
5	android:textAllCaps="false"	Disable all caps programmatically
6	android:baselineAligned="false"	App's layout has to do in order to Align its children's baselines



4. Running the Application on my android mobile device

I was running the android app for testing in my android mobile device.

My android mobile device is Realme X2 RMX1993.

Below is a photo of my android mobile device (Realme X2 RMX1993) while the app was running.

My android mobile device display setting is set as dark mode option.

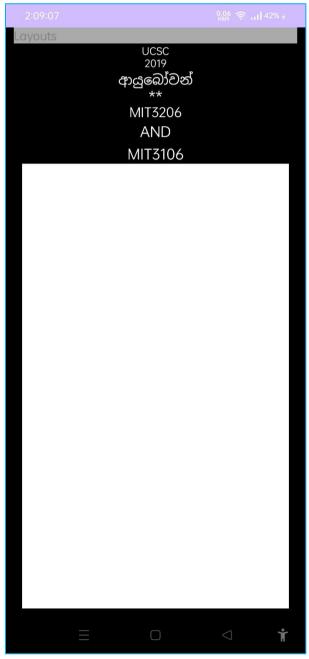


Photo : Assignment3-MIT3206-22550119 in Realme X2 RMX1993



5. Main Coding files

MainActivity.java

```
package com.assignment3_mit3206_22550119;
import android.os.Bundle;
import androidx.appcompat.app.AppCompatActivity;
public class MainActivity extends AppCompatActivity {
    @Override
    protected void onCreate(Bundle savedInstanceState) {
        super.onCreate(savedInstanceState);
        setContentView(R.layout.activity_main);
    }
}
```

activity_main.xml

```
<LinearLayout xmlns:android="http://schemas.android.com/apk/res/android"</pre>
   android:layout width="match parent"
   android: layout height="match parent"
   android:background="@android:color/black"
   android:orientation="vertical"
   <TextView
       android:id="@+id/textLavout"
       android:layout width="match parent"
       android:layout marginLeft="10dp"
       android:textAllCaps="false"
       app:layout constraintBottom toBottomOf="parent"
       app:layout constraintEnd toEndOf="parent"
       app:layout constraintVertical bias="0.022" />
       android:layout_width="match_parent"
       android:text="UCSC\n2019"
       app:layout_constraintBottom_toBottomOf="parent"
       app:layout_constraintEnd toEndOf="parent"
```



```
app:layout constraintStart toStartOf="parent"
    app:layout constraintTop toTopOf="@+id/textLayout"
    app:layout constraintVertical bias="0.062" />
   app:layout constraintStart toStartOf="parent"
   android:layout width="match parent"
   android:layout height="wrap content"
   android:text="MIT3206"
   android:textAlignment="center"
   app:layout constraintBottom toBottomOf="parent"
   app:layout constraintEnd toEndOf="parent"
   app:layout constraintStart toStartOf="parent"
   app:layout constraintTop toTopOf="@+id/textLayout"
   app:layout constraintVertical bias="0.257" />
<TextView
   android:id="@+id/textView5"
   android:layout width="match parent"
   android:layout height="wrap content"
   android:lineSpacingMultiplier="1.25"
   app:layout constraintBottom toBottomOf="parent"
   app:layout constraintHorizontal bias="0.502"
   app:layout constraintStart toStartOf="parent"
   app:layout constraintTop toTopOf="@+id/textLayout"
   android:id="@+id/imageView"
    android:layout width="match parent"
   android:layout_height="match_parent"
   android:layout_marginBottom="10dp"
   app:srcCompat="@android:drawable/screen background light" />
```