Sprint Retro 3

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Things That Went Well

What went well this sprint was finishing all of the sprint tasks for this milestone and connecting the front end and back end code together. The tasks for this sprint included implementation of the booking feature, ability to add employees to the database and manage employee shifts and availability. As usual, we assigned tasks and responsibilities early in the sprint so that we could start on development immediately. We attended our daily meetings via MS Teams and followed up the next day when some of us couldn't make it.

The team is happy with the stage of the development as we completed all required tasks and managed to set up docker with our application. Our communication was good as usual and we kept each other posted on what we were doing, which helped us complete the sprint before it was due.

Things That Could Have Gone Better

What we could have done better was organising our ClickUp, as we initially did not assign our subtasks to our user stories in our sprint and product backlogs. We also should be more active in updating our status on tasks that we are working on or finished with so that our ClickUp board progress is accurate.

Things That Surprised Us

What surprised us was figuring out how to get Docker and CircleCI to work. We also didn't expect to run out of credit on CircleCI. This forced us to work on other tasks instead of CircleCI.

Lessons Learned

What we learned from the points above is to use ClickUp more effectively by creating subtasks under and updating task status more frequently. We also learned how to setup and use Docker and CircleCI.

Final Thoughts

Overall, what we did well in this sprint was communicate frequently and plan and assign our tasks early. We should continue to attend our daily meetings and keep each other updated on our progress to give the group a clear overview on everything we need to do.

What we need to for our next sprint is to implement booking history and current bookings for customers and implement an option for admins to add availability for employees. We will need to create separate dashboards for customers and employees and also add the option for a customer to cancel a booking.