

Project Documentation for Car Dealership Website

Project Overview

Company Name: “**Car-Deal\$**”

Description: Car-Deal\$ is an innovative car dealership platform designed to provide an exceptional car buying experience. The website aims to offer a diverse selection of cars, unparalleled customer service, and an overall seamless and personalized experience for users.

Purpose

The purpose of Car-Deal\$ is to revolutionize the car buying process by:

- **Providing a Diverse Vehicle Selection:** Allowing users to explore a wide range of cars to find the best fit for their needs and preferences.
- **Enhancing Customer Experience:** Delivering superior customer service and support to make the car buying journey smooth and enjoyable.
- **Offering Innovative Solutions:** Incorporating the latest technologies and features to improve the car buying experience and set new standards in the industry.

Objectives

1. **Provide a Wide Selection of Cars:** Offer users a broad range of vehicles to meet their needs, from luxury SUVs to fuel-efficient sedans.
2. **Deliver Exceptional Service:** Ensure top-notch customer service to maintain vehicle performance and customer satisfaction.
3. **Enhance User Experience:** Create a seamless and enjoyable car buying experience with a user-friendly interface and efficient navigation.

Milestones and Deadlines

1. Project Planning and Scope Definition

- **Project Planning:** Brainstorming on the topic for the website and creating the wireframe.
- Start Date: **18/07/2024 - Thursday**
- Completion Date: **20/07/2024 - Saturday**

2. Design Phase

- **Colour Theme:** Dark Blue + White for consistent look and feel.
- Start Date: **21/07/2024- Sunday**
- Completion Date: **24/07/2024 - Wednesday**

3. Development Phase

- **Navigation Links:** Designing the layout (skeleton using HTML).
- **Styling and creating overall body:** Using HTML and CSS and adding content.
- Start Date: **25/07/2024 - Thursday**
- Completion Date: **01/08/2024 - Thursday**

4. Testing and Quality Assurance

- **Debugging:** Debugging the website for any errors, following the instructions, ensuring the rubric is being followed, and using code validators to check for any errors.
- Start Date: **02/08/2024 - Friday**
- Completion Date: **05/08/2024 - Monday**

5. Deliverables Sent to the Professor, Including Documentation.

- **Submitted to eConestoga**
- Date: **06/08/2024**

6. Post-Delivery Meeting

- **In-Class Presentation with Team Members.**
- Date: **13/08/2024**

Hosting Requirements

- **Hosting Provider:** Vercel
- **Server Requirements:**
 - Node.js Version: 18.x
 - MongoDB: Managed through MongoDB Atlas
 - **Dependencies:**
 - Express.js: For handling HTTP requests and server management.
 - Mongoose: For MongoDB object modeling and schema validation.
 - Body-Parser: For parsing incoming request bodies.
 - Nodemon: For development, to automatically restart the server on code changes.
 - jsonwebtoken: For handling JSON Web Tokens for authentication.
 - bcryptjs: For hashing passwords securely.
- **Domain Name:** www.cardeals.ca
- **SSL Certificate:** Required for secure data transmission.