

At least 24h before each Project Review, submit a new diary entry (at least 200 words):

1. At least three educational observations related to the use of Scrum or other work methods.
2. A summary of your main contributions to the project since the previous entry.

Diary Entry for Project Review

Date: 29/11/2023

1. Three educational observations Related to Scrum/Work Methods:

Scrum's Impact on Team Dynamics and Productivity: Throughout the project, I've observed how Scrum's framework fosters a collaborative and flexible work environment. The iterative nature of Scrum, with its sprints and regular retrospectives, has enabled our team to adapt quickly to changes. The emphasis on regular communication through Slack channels, and weekly sprint planning meetings, has not only improved transparency but also ensured that every team member is aware of what is happening. The constant messages sent on Slack have been crucial in keeping everyone informed, leading to a more efficient workflow.

The role of scrum artifacts in project management: Scrum artifacts like the Product Backlog, Sprint Backlog, and Agile Board on Jira have been important in providing a structure for the project. The Product Backlog helped us prioritize features based on their value and urgency. By breaking down this backlog into Sprint Backlogs, we managed to create focused, manageable workloads for each sprint, ensuring consistent progress.

Scrum events and continuous learning: Sprint Planning allowed us to define clear goals and set realistic expectations. The Daily Scrum meetings between two members in 10-15 minutes, although brief, were crucial in addressing any immediate concerns. Sprint Reviews opened opportunities for the Coach and Product Owner to help us define our outputs with the requirements effectively.

2. Main contributions since previous entry

- Actively participated in Scrum events
- Assisted in the creation and updating of project documentation.
- Keep track of Slack messages, watching tutorials, and learning Jira.
- Otherwise, I have not contributed much due to the workload from other subjects.