HOMEWORK 4

MIDDLEWARE, FRAMEWORKS

Tasks

- 1. In a separate directory (e.g. *http-servers*) create three files called **plain-text-server.js**, **html-server.js** and **json-server.js** respectively. Implement basic **http server** using **http** module in each of them with the following requirements:
 - For plain-text-server.js file:
 - a. Set Content-Type header to plain text.
 - b. Send "Hello World" string as a response.
 - For html-server.js file:
 - c. Create index.html file with the following content:

```
<html>
    <head></head>
    <body>
        <h1>{message}</h1>
        </body>
        </html>
```

- d. Set Content-Type header to html.
- e. Read (readFileSync) an **index.html** file with fs module, replace message with a real message text.
- f. Send the response.
- g. Change readFileSync to be a readable stream and pipe it to response stream.
- For json-server.js file:
 - h. Set Content-Type header to deal with JSON
 - i. Take the following sample and send it as a JSON response:

- 2. Create an echo server in **echo-server.js**. Remember that request and response are streams so you can use all their power.
- 3. Install express.
- 4. Create an application structure or update an existing one to fit the following:

```
bin
config
controllers
helpers
middlewares
models
routes
app.js
index.js
```

5. In index file import app from **app.js**, configure port and start an app

```
import app from './app';
const port = process.env.PORT || 8080;
app.listen(port, () => console.log(`App listening on port ${port}!`))
```

- 6. Create middleware for cookie parsing.
 - a. Parsed cookie should be added to request stream object as parsedCookies field.
- 7. Create middleware for query parsing.
 - a. Parsed query should be added to request stream object as parsedQuery field.

8. Make your application to respond to the following routes:

URL	METHOD	ACTION
/api/products	GET	Return ALL products
/api/products/:id	GET	Return SINGLE product
/api/products/:id/reviews	GET	Return ALL reviews for a single product
/api/products	POST	Add NEW product and return it
/api/users	GET	Return ALL users

Evaluation Criteria

- 1. Application structure defined and some files are created.
- 2. All http servers are implemented following the requirements described in tasks 1-2.
- 3. Express is installed and the main server files are created following the requirements described in tasks 3 5.
- 4. Appropriate middleware from tasks 6 7 are implemented properly.
- 5. Application responds to all routes described in task 8.