

Day 3 - AI Class Assistant

Text Summarization Module (2-Person Task Split)

Project Folder Structure (Backend - Flask)

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app.py	Main Flask app (Person A edits this)
summarizer.py	Summarization logic (Person B edits this)
uploads/	Uploaded lecture files
requirements.txt	

Person A - Work in app.py

- Purpose: Handle API routes and requests

1. Import libraries and generate_summary()

```
from flask import Flask, request, jsonify
```

```
from flask_cors import CORS
```

```
from summarizer import generate_summary # Person B's function
```

2. Setup Flask app

```
app = Flask(__name__)
```

```
CORS(app)
```

3. Add the summarize route

```
@app.route('/summarize', methods=['POST'])
```

```
def summarize_text():
```

```
    data = request.get_json()
```

```
    text = data.get('text', '')
```

```
    if not text:
```

```
        return jsonify({'error': 'No text provided'}), 400
```

```
    if len(text) > 1000:
```

```
text = text[:1000]
```

```
summary = generate_summary(text)  
return jsonify({'summary': summary})
```

Person B - Work in summarizer.py

- Purpose: Handle the summarization logic using NLP model

1. Install required libraries

```
pip install transformers torch
```

2. Write summarizer function in summarizer.py:

```
from transformers import pipeline
```

```
summarizer = pipeline("summarization")
```

```
def generate_summary(text):
```

```
    result = summarizer(text, max_length=150, min_length=30, do_sample=False)
```

```
    return result[0]['summary_text']
```

How to Test It (Both Together)

1. Run Flask:

```
python app.py
```

2. Use Postman or curl to test:

- URL: <http://127.0.0.1:5000/summarize>

- Method: POST

- Body (JSON):

```
{  
    "text": "Paste a long lecture or article text here..."  
}
```

Response:

```
{  
  "summary": "This is the summarized version of the input text."  
}
```