

Otakurino

Progress Report #1

An ultimate one-stop app for anime and manga fans, offering streaming, manga reading, and merch integration all in one place.

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Work Logs

Date	Number of Hours	Description of Work Done
Jan 16, 2025	0.5	<p>I organized a meeting with my group to discuss our upcoming deliverables for the coming weeks. During the discussion, we agreed on the following timeline:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 19th January - Each member must submit three project ideas on their own and submit them on our group chat. Since we have three members, this will result in a total of nine ideas.• 20th January - As a group, we will review all nine ideas and select the three best proposals to present to our professor.• 22nd January - We will book an appointment with Priya to discuss the three selected proposals.
Jan 18, 2025	1.5	<p>I did some research on potential project ideas for our group. Based on my findings, here are the projects I came up with:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mental Health Companion App<ul style="list-style-type: none">◦ This app functions like a personal therapist, but with AI. It can detect and understand human emotions and feelings, adapting to the user's current situation and providing relevant support.• Personal Nutritionist and Meal Planner<ul style="list-style-type: none">◦ This app tracks health records and other important data. It can create meal plans based on the user's specific goals, whether they want to lose weight, gain muscle, or maintain a healthy lifestyle.• AllyConnect<ul style="list-style-type: none">◦ An app that connects people

		<p>in need of help with those who can offer it. For example: if someone is struggling with a task or needs assistance (like visually impaired users), they can instantly be paired with someone ready to guide them in real-time. The app is focused on providing immediate help and support.</p>
Jan 19, 2025	0.5	I finalized the project ideas I came up with and submitted it to the group.
Jan 20, 2025	0.5	<p>I created a poll on our group chat with all the project ideas each member suggested. I set the deadline for the poll to close by 8pm on the same day to determine which project ideas received the most votes. The result were as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Manga/Anime/Merch store app (Otakurino) • Flight Time Killer app (FlightBuddy) • Personal Nutritionist and Meal Planner app aka (Nutriwise)
Jan 21, 2025	0.5	<p>Emailed Priya to ask about her availability on January 22nd to discuss our projects.</p> <p>I also created a short one-slide presentation summarizing the three projects we came up with in preparation for our meeting with Priya.</p>
Jan 22, 2025	1	<p>We had a Zoom appointment with Priya to discuss our project proposals.</p> <p>After the meeting, we held a separate discussion to evaluate Priya's feedback and decide which project to pursue. In the end, we chose <i>Otakurino</i>.</p>
Jan 23, 2025	1	I created a draft of our project proposal and shared it with the group in our group chat.
Feb 05, 2025	1	I did the following:

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Created a GitHub repository and a document outlining the basics of GitHub commands. Shared it with the team as a reference for using GitHub. Created a Progress Report template that we will use as a team throughout the semester. Edited the Project Proposal template by adding all necessary content based on Priya's requirements. I also asked the team to fill out the document. Discussed the process on how we will be working as a team on this course. (e.g. How to use and what to do on github, filling out the document, advising them about the progress report, etc.)
Feb 08, 2025	2	<p>I edited what the team put on the project proposal document such as the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Added some statistics on the Description. (Making it into Introduction instead of a Description) Did my own research to support the teams input in the Description, and Background Research Changed a little bit on the PACT framework
Feb 09, 2025	3	<p>Finalizing the project proposal document</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Revised the Introduction and Background Research. Added some references (see <i>Closing and References</i> for more details.) Did some indepth research about Context in PACT Framework as I'm still confused on how to create this part Revised Value Proposition Created a Contract Added detailed description of the features of the app Compiled all the Progress report of the team

Feb 13, 2025	0.5	<p>I conducted a meeting with the team to discuss the next sprint, which is focused on conducting a survey. We broke down the key tasks and made sure everyone was clear on what needed to be done.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Watching and reading materials on requirements gathering to ensure we collect relevant data. Made sure we all had a solid understanding before jumping into survey creation. • After weighing the pros and cons, we agreed that a survey would be more efficient than interviews. The survey would allow us to gather more responses quickly and analyze trends more easily. • Defining our target users to ensure we get insights from the right audience. • Decided that we would use Google Forms to create the survey. Brainstormed different ways to distribute it, including social media, online communities, and direct outreach.
Feb 19, 2025	0.5	<p>I held a check-in meeting to see where everyone was at and refine our survey plan further. Here's what we covered:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Survey Content: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Basic information (experience, etc.). ◦ Common challenges users face. ◦ Features they'd like to see in a solution. ◦ How they currently work around the problem. ◦ Any additional feedback they'd want to share. • We discussed ways to make the survey engaging yet concise. • Agreed that the questions should be straightforward and avoid leading users to specific answers.

Feb 20, 2025	0.5	<p>I ran a meeting to review our current progress and make sure we're still on track.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Went through the survey structure again and made a few refinements based on our discussions. • Checked for missing aspects that we might need to include. • Assigned the task of drafting the initial survey questions to me, with a deadline of February 28. • The team will review the draft once it's ready and provide feedback. <p>This meeting helped us confirm our direction and ensure that everyone was on the same page moving forward.</p>
Feb 26, 2025	0.5	<p>I held another progress meeting to check in with the team. Here's what we covered:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We revisited the survey structure one last time before drafting. • Discussed ways to make sure the questions weren't too long or confusing. • Finalized our list of platforms where we'd share the survey.
Feb 28, 2025	1.5	<p>I conducted a meeting to officially kick off the survey drafting process. After the discussion, I started working on the first version of the survey:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Created the initial version in Google Forms, making sure the wording was simple and clear. • Focused on keeping it concise while still capturing all the necessary insights. • Shared the draft with the team for feedback. • Asked them to go through it carefully and suggest improvements. • Gave the team until Sunday night (March 2) to provide their input.
Mar 03, 2025	2	<p>I finalized the survey questions based on the team's feedback and sent the completed version to Priya via email for her</p>

		<p>review. Once I got her feedback, I immediately created the Google Form, send it to my group, and began distributing it to people to collect responses.</p>
Mar 04, 2025	0.5	<p>I reviewed the responses we've received so far. In the meantime, I'm still sending the survey out to more people and having conversations to gather additional insights. I want to make sure we get a diverse range of responses to help guide the next steps.</p>
Mar 05, 2025	0.5	<p>I'm continuing to review the survey responses as they come in. I'm also still actively reaching out to more people, sending out the survey, and engaging in conversations to get as much input and information as possible.</p>
Mar 06, 2025	0.5	<p>Had a team meeting to plan out our next sprint and make sure everyone's on the same page about what needs to be done. We set the following deadlines:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● March 9 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ We're creating Personas and User Stories from scratch ○ Made sure they're realistic and properly structured. ● March 11 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ exchange the work among the team, then generate the functional requirements. ○ deadline of submission within the group ● March 12 - book an appointment with Priya for feedback and discussion of the result of survey ● March 16 - submission of requirement gathering