

PostNote User Guide

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The following information outlines the functionalities of Post-Note and provides guidance on its usage for individuals. Post-Note is specifically designed for students enrolled in computer science and engineering (CSE) classes who wish to exchange notes with their peers, access notes shared by others, and enhance their understanding of lecture content through diverse perspectives.


The User Guide aims to familiarize users with the operations of PostNote, guiding them through the process of signing up, enrolling in classes, and sharing notes.

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Creating and Account and Logging In

You will first be prompted to sign-in either through email and password. If you have not created an account, create an account below. Continued Google functionality is available, but has not been fully implemented, so it is not recommended to sign-in with Google.




Sign in


Sign in

Create account

Or

 Continue with Google

If you click on Create Account, you will be directed to the create account page, where you can type in your email and password.



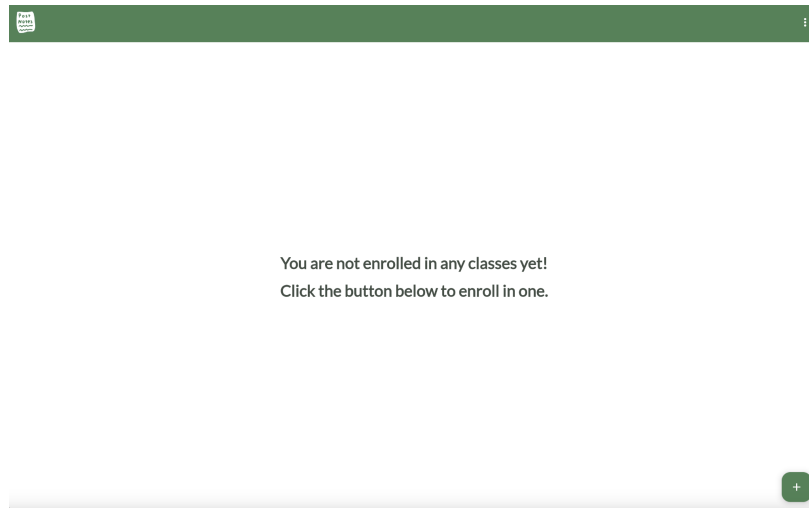
Create an account

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Enrolling and Unenrolling In Classes

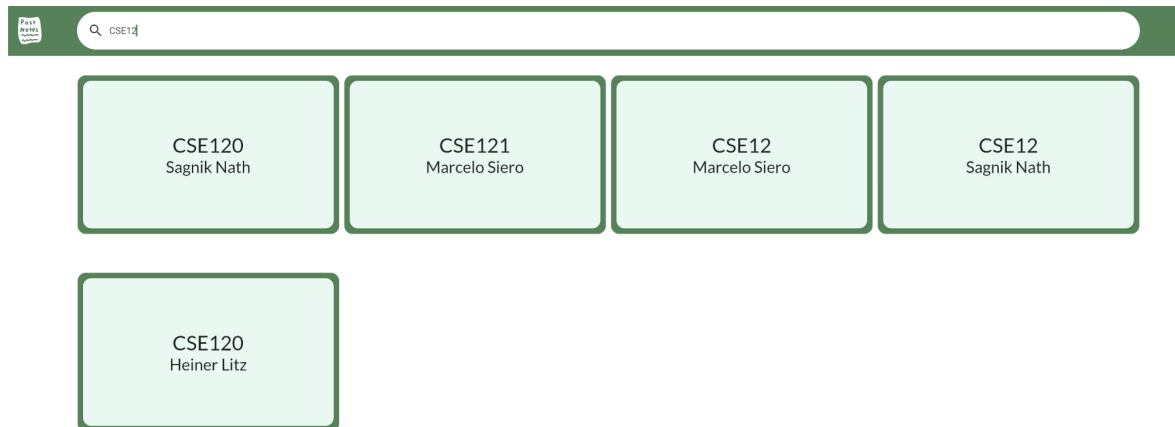
Now, head back to the login-page and sign-in using your email and password, or you use Google Sign-in Authentication (recall that this is not advised). After signing in, you will be guided to your homepage.



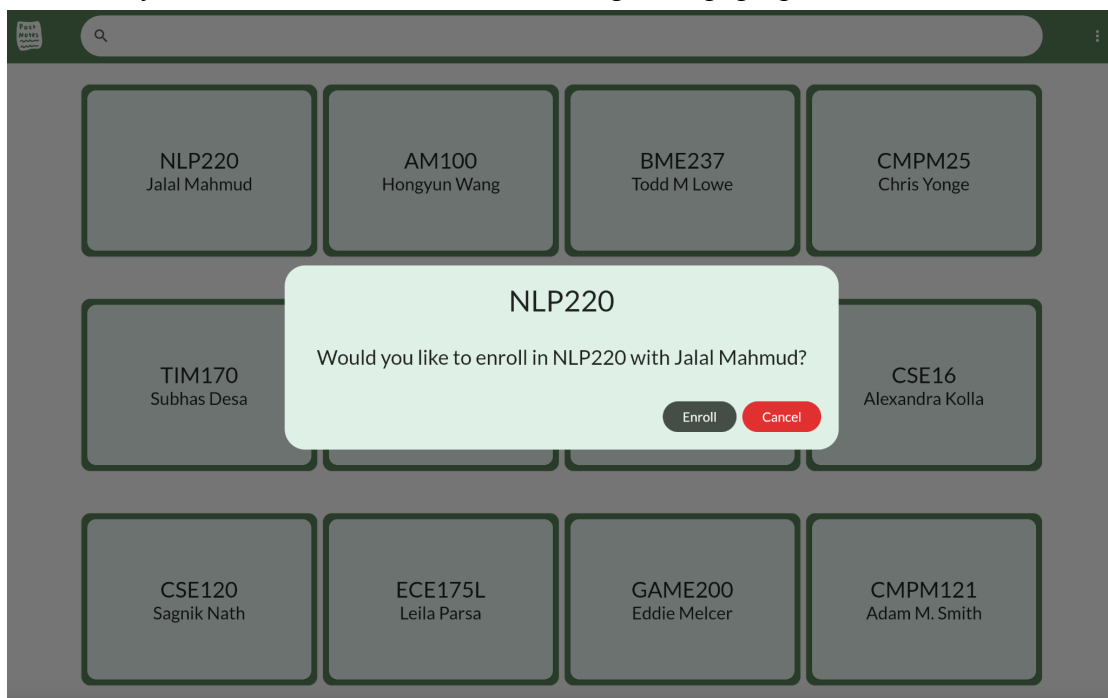
If you have not enrolled in a class, click on the ‘+’ button in the bottom right. You will be guided to a new page with all the classes available.



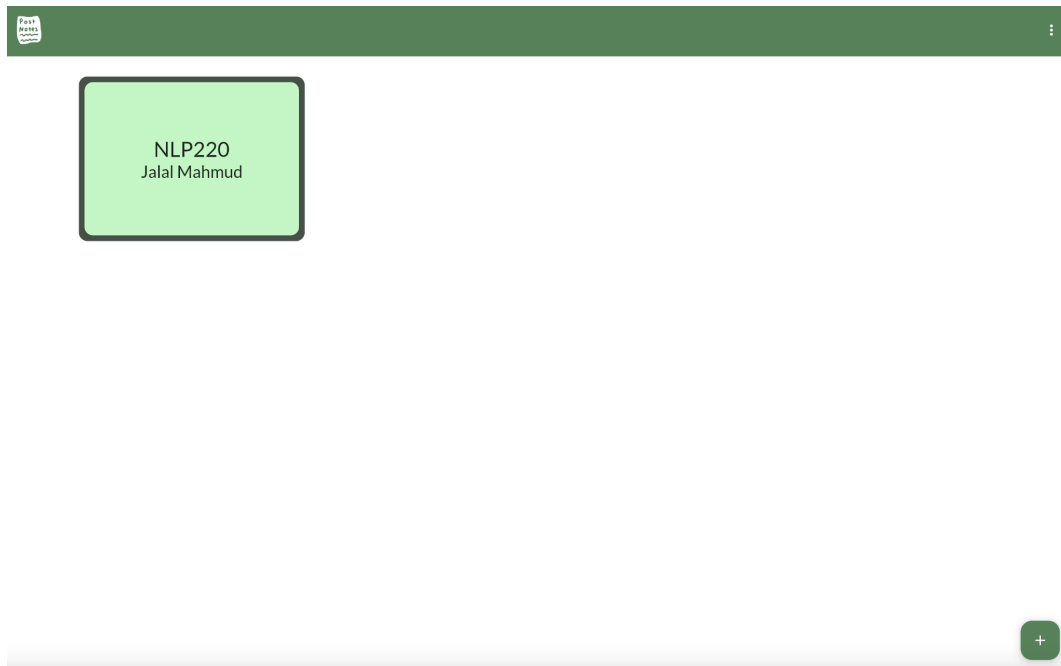
You can select the class by either scrolling through the different classes. Another option is to use the search bar at the top of the screen, and search for a class.



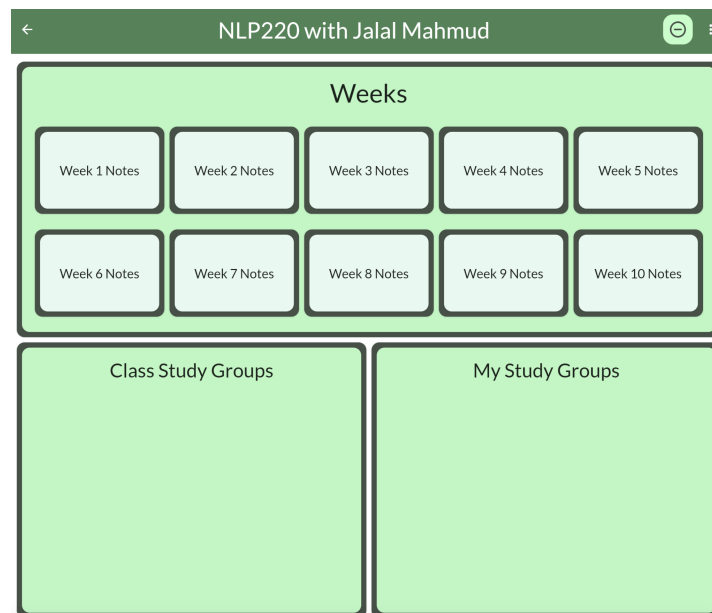
Select the class you want to enroll in, and this message will pop-up. Click enroll.



Once you click enroll, you will be guided to your homepage where you can view all your enrolled classes. If you want to add more classes, use the ‘+’ icon and you will be guided back to the page with all the classes, which you can search.



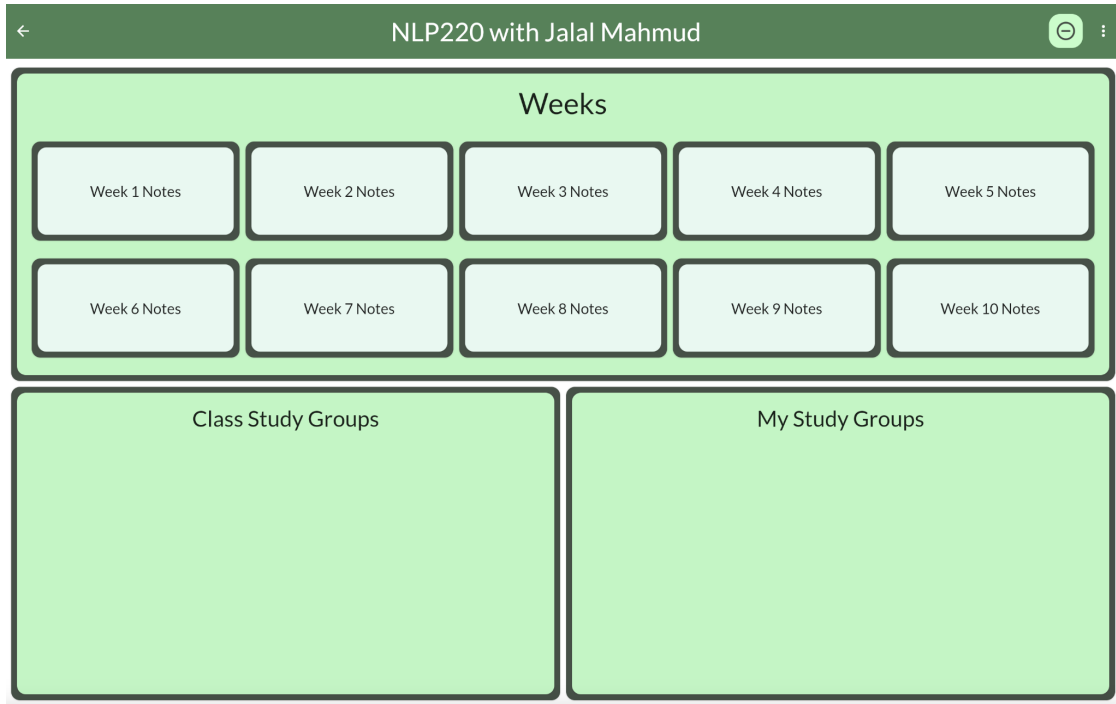
You can also unenroll in a class by clicking on the class, and then clicking on the button with a ‘-’ at the top right.



By unenrolling, you will be guided back to the page with all your enrolled classes.

View and Upload Notes

Click on the class you have enrolled in, and now you have access to the class page. Here you will see each week, study groups, and the study groups you are currently part of.



If you want to view the notes for each a specific week, click on the Week ‘#’ Notes Folder:

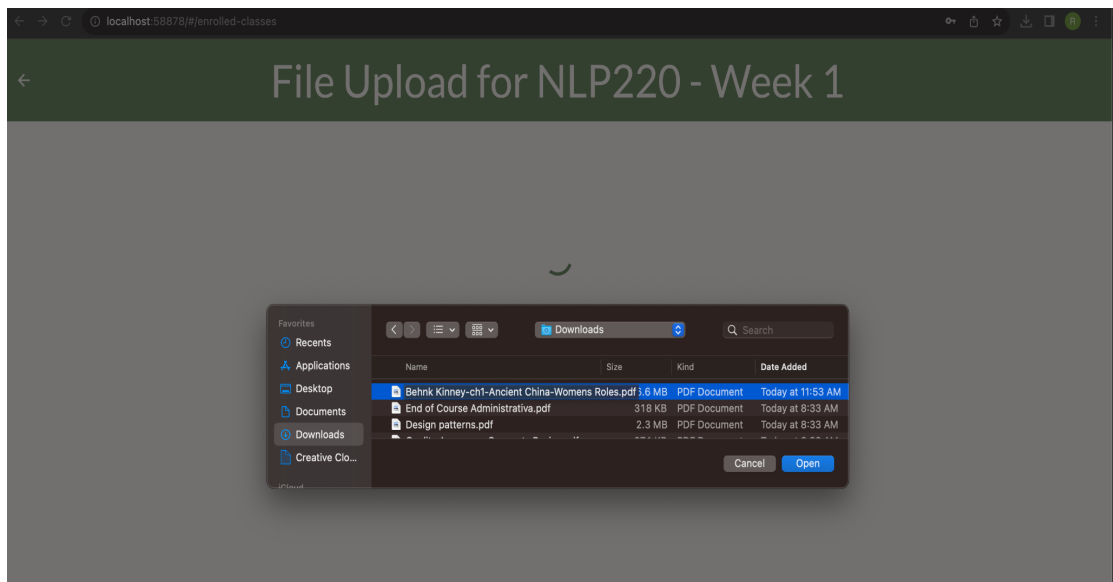


Now, you have access to all notes in that particular chosen week. If you want to view a note, you can click on it and it will download on your computer.

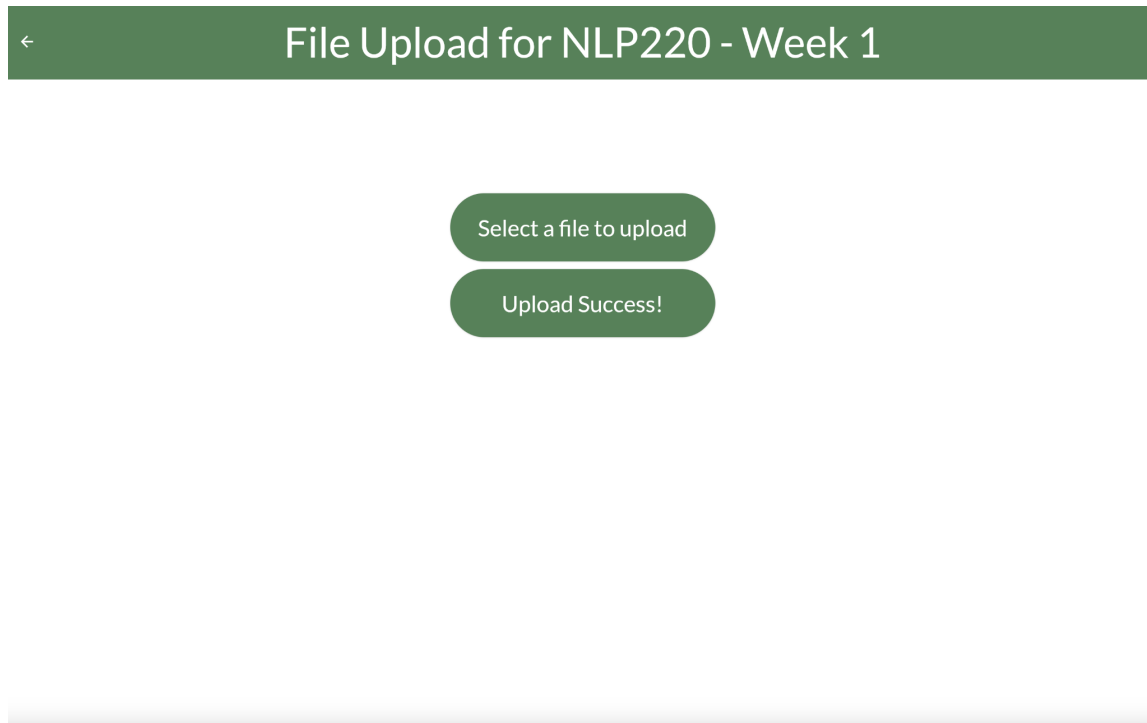
If you want to upload your notes, click on the upload button in the bottom right.



Next, select a file to upload and proceed to open it.



Once you have uploaded, a message will appear determining if it was a successful upload.



Now you can navigate back to the week folder page with the navigator at the top left.



You can navigate back to the enrolled classes page/homepage if you would like to use the navigator at the top left.

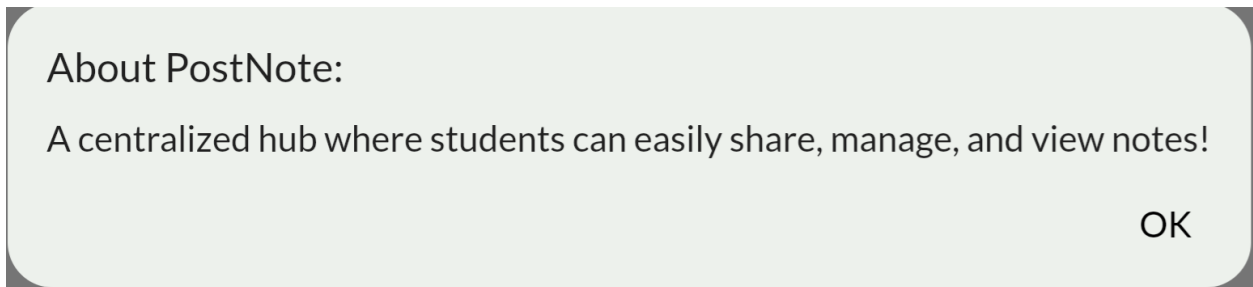
Study Groups

Menu - Log out, About, Help

If you need to log out, learn more about our application, or need help. Click on the menu at the top right, it's composed of 3 circles.

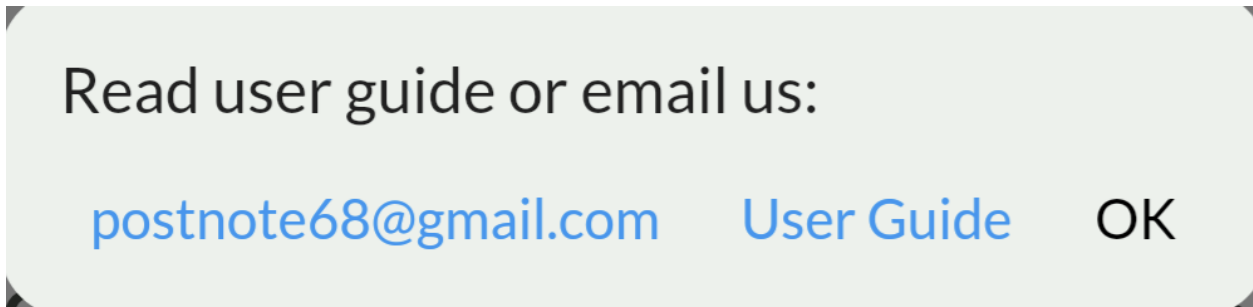


If you click on 'About', a pop-up will appear:



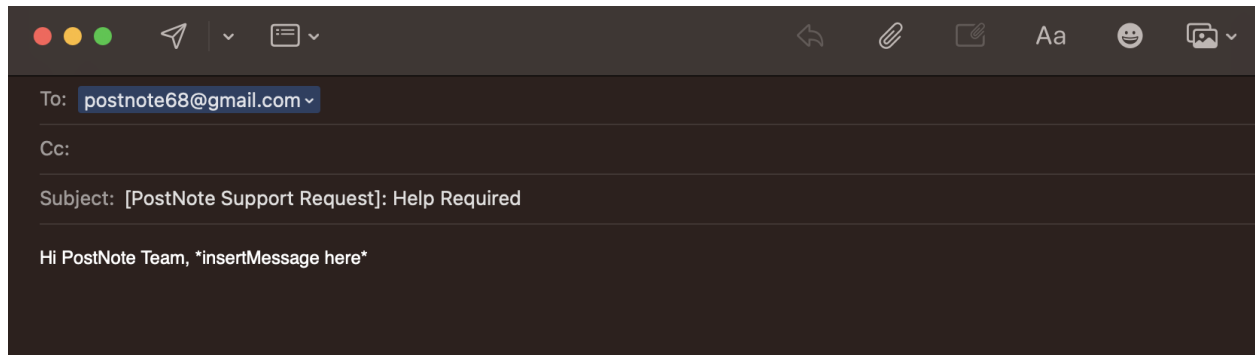
If you want to close the pop-up, click 'OK'

If you need help, click on the 'Help':



You can click on the User Guide, and it will lead you to this document. If you are unable to resolve your issue by looking through the user guide, email is great.

In order to email us, click on the postnote68@gmail.com, and an email will populate. Type in your issue, and hit 'Send'.



The screenshot shows an email composition window with a dark theme. At the top is a toolbar with icons for window controls (red, yellow, green buttons), a paper plane icon, a dropdown arrow, a list icon, another dropdown arrow, a reply icon, a link icon, a document icon, text formatting options (Aa), an emoji icon, and an image icon with a dropdown arrow. Below the toolbar, the email fields are populated: the 'To:' field contains 'postnote68@gmail.com' with a dropdown arrow; the 'Cc:' field is empty; the 'Subject:' field contains '[PostNote Support Request]: Help Required'; and the body of the email contains the text 'Hi PostNote Team, *insertMessage here*'.

To: postnote68@gmail.com ▾

Cc:

Subject: [PostNote Support Request]: Help Required

Hi PostNote Team, *insertMessage here*

If you want to close the 'Help' pop-up, click 'OK'