

## Criterion C – Development

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## **Techniques Used:**

### **(1) Java Servlet API**

Used to enable the use of Java Servlets to handle backend business logic.

#### **(1.1) Cookies implementation to remember logins**

Cookies are used to implement the feature of remembering logins and subsequently logging out users after 14 days (Success Criteria D).

### **(2) Java Database Connectivity API (JDBC)**

Used to establish a connection to the database and execute SQL queries to retrieve, change and add data.

### **(3) JavaServer Pages (JSP)**

Used to handle the front end, that is the client side viewing. It incorporates the use of Java (scriptlet code) and HTML to generate dynamic web pages.

#### **(3.1) JSP Standard Tag Library (JSTL)**

JSTL allows the use of pre-formatted tags instead of Java scriptlet code, which increases readability of code and enables later updates to the code.

### **(4) Object Oriented Programming (OOP)**

While Java is not considered to be a pure object oriented programming language, concepts from OOPs languages can still be implemented. The following concepts are implemented in the development of '**mph\_scheduler**':

#### **(4.1) Abstraction**

Abstraction means only providing essential information to the user and hiding the background details (Moumita)<sup>1</sup>. In '**mph\_scheduler**', the server hides how it processes the data it receives, the teachers and students just click the buttons, and enter input and receive the processed information in its final form.

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<sup>1</sup> Moumita. "What is object-oriented programming (OOP)?" *Tutorials Point*, 14 Feb. 2018, [www.tutorialspoint.com/What-is-object-oriented-programming-OOP](http://www.tutorialspoint.com/What-is-object-oriented-programming-OOP). Accessed 29 Dec. 2020.

#### (4.2) Encapsulation

Encapsulation is the process of binding variables and properties as well as methods into one unit, and is used as a way to restrict access to certain variables (Moumita)<sup>1</sup>. Here, encapsulation is implemented through the use of classes (especially the data classes used to restrict access to information received from the database, explained in **III**).

#### (4.3) Polymorphism

Polymorphism is implemented using method overloading and method overriding (shown in **III**).

#### (4.4) Modularity

Modularity is the concept of writing modules or methods for code that is used frequently to reduce the complexity of code and make it more readable and understandable.

#### (4.5) Inheritance

“The ability to create a new class from an existing class is called Inheritance” (Moumita)<sup>2</sup>. This is implemented in the servlet class which ‘extends’ or inherits the HttpServlet Class (**II**).

### (5) Dynamic Arrays (ArrayList)

ArrayLists store data in a dynamic array, i.e. an array with no size limit, where elements can be added and removed without knowing the initial size of the Array ("ArrayList in Java")<sup>3</sup>. ArrayLists are used in ‘**mph\_scheduler**’ to store the list of lessons that have no known end limit and are constantly changing in number.

### (6) Try/Catch blocks to handle exceptions

try/catch and finally blocks are used to handle any exceptions a method or piece of code may throw and to perform any final clean-up of objects, such as closing JDBC java.sql objects.

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<sup>2</sup> Moumita. "What is object-oriented programming (OOP)?" *Tutorials Point*, 14 Feb. 2018, [www.tutorialspoint.com/What-is-object-oriented-programming-OOP](http://www.tutorialspoint.com/What-is-object-oriented-programming-OOP). Accessed 29 Dec. 2020.

<sup>3</sup> "ArrayList in Java - javatpoint." *javatpoint*, [www.javatpoint.com/java-arraylist](http://www.javatpoint.com/java-arraylist). Accessed 30 Dec. 2020.

(7) Conditional Programming

Conditional programming is used to run a piece of code only when certain conditions are met. In ‘**mph\_scheduler**’ if, else if and else statements as well as switch statements to handle multiple conditions.

(8) SQL: Searching, filtering, inserting, editing and deletion

SQL queries are used to retrieve data from the database and filtering by certain columns. They are also used to insert new rows in the database, editing existing data and deleting rows.

(9) HTML & CSS for UI creation

## I Database:

Using MySQL, the schema ‘mph\_scheduling’ was created for the database with 5 tables. The entries in the table were randomly generated. The tables are as shown:

### **default\_schedule :**

	lesson_id	t_name	t_class	grade	date	time
▶	93879	Olivia-Mae Barrett	Economics	D1	2021-04-21	08:00
	93881	Tulisa Sharma	Sciences	M4	2021-04-21	11:20
	93882	Rahul Cullen	Individuals & Societies	M5	2021-04-21	13:40
	93884	Manraj Rowe	Individuals & Societies	M3	2021-04-22	08:00
	NULL	NULL	NULL	NULL	NULL	NULL

### **teacher\_details :**

	id_teacher	teacher_name	teacher_class	teacher_grades
▶	93877	Ammar Chadwick	Maths AI HL	D1 D2
	93878	Saffron Costa	Maths AI SL	D1 D2
	93879	Krystian Diaz	Visual Arts	D1 D2
	93880	Lilian Moyer	Maths	M1 M2 M3 M4 M5
	93881	Patsy Hancock	Maths AA HL	D1 D2
	93882	Iram Robles	Business Management	D1 D2
	93883	Dolly Hunter	Design	M1 M2 M3 M4 M5
	93884	Olivia-Mae Barrett	Economics	D1 D2
	93885	Zaydan Clarke	Maths AA SL	D1 D2
	93886	Sameer Derrick	Psychology	D1 D2
	93887	Kairon Lawson	Computer Science	D1 D2
	93888	Youssef Massey	Geography	D1 D2
	93889	Salman Povey	Biology	M1 M2 M3 M4 M5 D1 D2
	93890	Abdulahi Roth	Physics	M4 M5 D1 D2
	93891	Kaira Ellwood	History	M4 M5 D1 D2
	93892	Lex Dickinson	Chemistry	M3 M4 M5 D1 D2
	93893	Tessa Davey	Physical Education	M1 M2 M3 M4 M5 D1 D2
	93894	Tiana Sharpe	English	M1 M2 M3 M4 M5
	93895	Tai Finch	English	D1 D2
	93896	Rhia Manning	French	M3 M4 M5
	93897	Raya Knapp	French	D1 D2
	93898	Cerys Bell	French	M1 M2 M3 M4 M5
	93899	Tulisa Sharma	Sciences	M1 M2 M3 M4 M5
	93900	Efan Welch	Arts	M1 M2 M3 M4 M5
	93901	Rahul Cullen	Individuals & Societies	M3 M4 M5
	93902	Manraj Rowe	Individuals & Societies	M1 M2 M3 M4 M5
	NULL	NULL	NULL	NULL

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**student\_details :**

	student_id	student_name	student_grade
▶	83728	Conall Salgado	M1
	83729	Caprice Vazquez	M2
	83730	Kaylan Cruz	M3
	83731	Casey Brooks	M4
	83732	Corrie Wallace	M5
	83733	Ioan Hall	D1
	83734	Makayla Kearns	D2
	83735	Morgan Lim	M1
	83736	Abi Webster	M2
	83737	Andre Drew	M3
	83738	Ayva Houghton	M4
	83739	Keaton Fitzpatr...	M5
	83740	Izaan Chase	D1
	83741	Maya Williams	D2
	83742	Connor Horn	M1
	83743	Lily-Anne Person	M2
	83744	Zakaria Key	M3
	83745	Bryony Short	M4
	83746	Geoffrey Galindo	M5
	83747	Coral Rosario	D1
	83748	Isla Mora	D2
	83749	Denny Solis	M1
	83750	Milena Albert	M2
	83751	Matthew Molloy	M3
	83752	Harvir McGill	D1
	83753	Alessio Rubio	D2

**teacher\_login :**

	user_id	username	password
▶	93877	ammarchadwick	pY9DNmBN
	93878	saffroncosta	Fw3VBUDc
	93879	krystiandiaz	GaFzHDb4
	93880	lilianmoyer	YUMbJkuU
	93881	patsyhancock	AgiDQj2X
	93882	iramrobles	UW2CMssz
	93883	dollyhunter	QPZWnbJa
	93884	olivia-maebarrett	fy4crsFv
	93885	zaydanclarke	pRzrneLT
	93886	sameerderrick	U36FyFjF
	93887	kaironlawson	e6VPYP5p
	93888	youssefmassey	t9V4AVCY
	93889	salmanpovey	NvFAuchu
	93890	abdulahiroth	xKU4UAhN
	93891	kairaellwood	xzEX3EvX
	93892	lexdickinson	Jh6CNfgb
	93893	tessadavey	dMGaHxZ7
	93894	tianasharpe	Dk3bgtXF
	93895	taifinch	2HKcF9AW
	93896	rhiemannning	MJZFBZNF
	93897	rayaknapp	7jggUdWv
	93898	cerysbell	FNgd59tT
	93899	tulisasharma	WvXRgn8m
	93900	efanwelch	rysM22J4
	93901	rahulcullen	5RMpSxs2
	93902	manrajrowe	M8gcf6GM
	NULL	NULL	NULL

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**student\_login :**

Result Grid			
	user_id	username	password
▶	83728	conallsalgado	9EuWDjYN
	83729	capricevazquez	WDBK8sbM
	83730	kaylancruz	uSbKWMVv
	83731	caseybrooks	AGYqUDFg
	83732	corriewallace	pLZm7CTr
	83733	ioanhall	Eg7kU6Na
	83734	makaylakearns	WjLCk6Wj
	83735	morganlim	5tgpJnQB
	83736	abiwebster	BW9seycA
	83737	andredrew	dALwyjBp
	83738	ayvahoughton	6f4udyRb
	83739	keatonfitzpatrick	Q5X8mkzt
	83740	izaanchase	m8SbarEb
	83741	mayawilliams	SrNXUEvY
	83742	connarhorn	cL2xyfLK
	83743	lily-anneperson	bReCD4Dk
	83744	zakariakey	9fPfbkYV
	83745	bryonyshort	bdwEPKCQ
	83746	geoffreygalindo	3BHn7xYP
	83747	coralrosario	ajUpP5tf
	83748	islamora	d4zG8GQc
	83749	dennysolis	UyN9RByW
	83750	milenaalbert	Af7LG3Bj
	83751	matthewmolloy	A9dDf97z
	83752	harvirmcgill	UWxnJSBk
	83753	alessiorubio	GBkjgcED
	NULL	NULL	NULL

## **II The Servlet**

The Java Servlet Application programming interface or API is used to handle the backend business logic of the product. The servlet is the ‘Controller’ in the Model-View-Controller design pattern. The Servlet API provides multiple classes such as the HttpServlet, HttpServletRequest and HttpServletResponse classes which are essential for handling all the HTTP requests coming from the browser and JSP pages as well as sending responses back to them. The class ‘MPHScheduleServlet’ in the com.mph.scheduler.web package, is used as the servlet class which extends the HttpServlet class and inherits its functions (**(4.5) Inheritance**, and **(4.4) Modularity**) which allows handling all the business logic such as redirecting to appropriate pages, checking login information, or adding and editing lessons, amongst other essential features.

The Servlet API also has another extremely useful class, Cookie, which is used to store information about whether a user is logged in or not (Success Criteria A). All class-wide variables are declared with the **private** keyword so as to deny access from any other classes except the object used to store the user’s login details which is declared with a **protected** keyword as it is not threadsafe<sup>4</sup> to do so, in the case that in the future, multiple servlets are implemented in a ‘multi-threaded’ structure.

## **III The Data Classes**

To allow easy access and transfer of data received and sent to the database, Separate ‘data’ classes were created, in the com.mph.scheduler.data package, which stored the details of different tables in the database. These class objects were used to construct new data or read data retrieved from the database (**(4.1) Abstraction**, **(4.2) Encapsulation**).

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<sup>4</sup> BalusC. "doGet and doPost in Servlets" #2349741. *Stack Overflow*, 28 Feb. 2010, <https://stackoverflow.com/a/2349741>. Accessed 20 Oct. 2020.

## Commented Screenshots

### Data Classes:

#### Lessons.java:

```

1 package com.mph.scheduler.data;
2
3 /**
4 * The Lessons class is used to store information about the Lessons. Such as the index/primary key of
5 * the lesson, name of the teacher, the class being taken, the grade being taught, the date of the
6 * lesson, and the time of the lesson. The Lessons class allows individual access to each column's
7 * data and Lessons objects can be created to change or read this data.
8 */
9 public class Lessons {
10
11     private int index;// Stores the primary key of the lesson as an integer value.
12     private String t_name;// Stores name of the teacher.
13     private String t_class;// Stores class taken during lesson.
14     private String grade;// Stores grade that is being taught during the lesson.
15     private String date;// Stores the date of the lesson.
16     private String time;// Stores the time of the lesson.
17
18
19
20
21 /**
22 * Creating a constructor which does not take the primary key. This constructor
23 * is used when the primary key is not required. For example when a new lesson
24 * has to be added where the primary key is auto-generated or auto-incremented.
25 */
26 public Lessons(String t_name, String t_class, String grade, String date, String time) {
27     this.t_name = t_name;
28     this.t_class = t_class;
29     this.grade = grade;
30     this.date = date;
31     this.time = time;
32 }
33 /**
34 * Creating a constructor which does not take the primary key. This constructor
35 * is used when the primary key is required. For example when a specific lesson
36 * that already exists must be updated.
37 */
38 public Lessons(int index, String t_name, String t_class, String grade, String date, String time) {
39     this.index = index;
40     this.t_name = t_name;
41     this.t_class = t_class;
42     this.grade = grade;
43     this.date = date;
44     this.time = time;
}

```

(4.2) Encapsulation

/\* Creating a constructor which does not take the primary key. This constructor  
\* is used when the primary key is not required. For example when a new lesson  
\* has to be added where the primary key is auto-generated or auto-incremented.  
\*/  
public Lessons(String t\_name, String t\_class, String grade, String date, String time) {  
 this.t\_name = t\_name;  
 this.t\_class = t\_class;  
 this.grade = grade;  
 this.date = date;  
 this.time = time;  
}  
/\* Creating a constructor which does not take the primary key. This constructor  
\* is used when the primary key is required. For example when a specific lesson  
\* that already exists must be updated.  
\*/  
public Lessons(int index, String t\_name, String t\_class, String grade, String date, String time) {  
 this.index = index;  
 this.t\_name = t\_name;  
 this.t\_class = t\_class;  
 this.grade = grade;  
 this.date = date;  
 this.time = time;  
}

(4.3) Polymorphism. By implementing  
method overloading using class constructors

```

46     // Getter and Setter methods for accessing or changing individual variables
47
48● public int getIndex() {
49     return index;
50 }
51
52● public void setIndex(int index) {
53     this.index = index;
54 }
55
56● public String getT_name() {
57     return t_name;
58 }
59
60● public void setT_name(String t_name) {
61     this.t_name = t_name;
62 }
63
64● public String getT_class() {
65     return t_class;
66 }
67
68● public void setT_class(String t_class) {
69     this.t_class = t_class;
70 }
71
72● public String getGrade() {
73     return grade;
74 }
75
76● public void setGrade(String grade) {
77     this.grade = grade;
78 }
79
80● public String getDate() {
81     return date;
82 }
83
84● public void setDate(String date) {
85     this.date = date;
86 }
87
88● public String getTime() {
89     return time;
90 }
91
92● public void setTime(String time) {
93     this.time = time;
94 }
95
96 }

```

## LoginDetails.java

>LoginDetails.java

```

1 package com.mph.scheduler.data;
2
3●/*
4 *  The LoginDetails class is used to store the login information about the user.
5 *  such as the user id, username and password of the user.
6 *  An object of this class can be used to access these details or store them
7 *  as required.
8 */
9 public class LoginDetails { (4.2) Encapsulation
10
11     private int user_id;// Stores the user id of the user
12     private String username;// Stores the username of the user.
13     private String password;// Stores the password of the user.
14
15     // Getter and Setter methods for accessing or changing individual variables
16
17● public String getUsername() {
18     return username;
19 }
20● public void setUsername(String username) {
21     this.username = username;
22 }
23● public String getPassword() {
24     return password;
25 }
26● public void setPassword(String password) {
27     this.password = password;
28 }
29● public int getUser_id() {
30     return user_id;
31 }
32● public void setUser_id(int user_id) {
33     this.user_id = user_id;
34 }
35
36 }

```

**Teachers.java**

```

1 package com.mph.scheduler.data;
2
3
4 /*
5  * The Teachers class is used to store information about teachers. Such as the user id of the teacher
6  * teacher name, the class the teacher teaches and the grades the teacher teaches.
7 */
8 public class Teachers {
9
10     private int teacher_id; // Stores the user id of the teacher as an integer value.
11     private String teacher_name;// Stores name of the teacher.
12     private String teacher_lessons;// Stores the subject the teacher takes.
13     private String teacher_grades;// Stores the grades the teacher teaches a String.
14     private String[] taught_grades;// Used to store the grades taught by the teacher in a String array.
15
16     //This constructor is used to generate values for every variable other than the grades array.
17     public Teachers(int teacher_id, String teacher_name, String teacher_lessons, String teacher_grades) {
18         this.teacher_id = teacher_id;
19         this.teacher_name = teacher_name;
20         this.teacher_lessons = teacher_lessons;
21         this.teacher_grades = teacher_grades;
22     }
23
24     /* This method is used to take the String value of the grades taught by the teacher and store each
25      grade in an array so they can be used as options in a drop-down list. */
26     public String[] toGradeArray() {
27
28         /* Splitting the grades String by using the delimiter as a whitespace and then storing the
29          split words into the taught_grades array. */
30         taught_grades = teacher_grades.split(" ");
31         //Returning the array with the grades.
32         return taught_grades;
33     }
34
35     //Getter and Setter methods for accessing or changing individual variables
36
37     public int getTeacher_id() {
38         return teacher_id;
39     }
40
41     public void setTeacher_id(int teacher_id) {
42         this.teacher_id = teacher_id;
43     }
44
45     public String getTeacher_name() {
46         return teacher_name;
47     }
48
49     public void setTeacher_name(String teacher_name) {
50         this.teacher_name = teacher_name;
51     }
52
53     public String getTeacher_lessons() {
54         return teacher_lessons;
55     }
56
57     public void setTeacher_lessons(String teacher_lessons) {
58         this.teacher_lessons = teacher_lessons;
59     }
60
61     public String getTeacher_grades() {
62         return teacher_grades;
63     }
64
65     public void setTeacher_grades(String teacher_grades) {
66         this.teacher_grades = teacher_grades;
67     }
68
69
70 }

```

(4.2) Encapsulation

## The Servlet:

### MPHScheduleServlet.java

```

MPHScheduleServlet.java X
1 package com.mph.scheduler.web;
2
3 import java.io.IOException;
4 import java.util.List;
5
6 import javax.annotation.Resource;
7 import javax.servlet.RequestDispatcher;
8 import javax.servlet.ServletException;
9 import javax.servlet.annotation.WebServlet;
10 import javax.servlet.http.Cookie;
11 import javax.servlet.http.HttpServlet;
12 import javax.servlet.http.HttpServletRequest;
13 import javax.servlet.http.HttpServletResponse;
14 import javax.sql.DataSource;
15
16 import com.mph.scheduler.data.Lessons;
17 import com.mph.scheduler.data.LoginDetails;
18 import com.mph.scheduler.data.Teachers;
19
20 @WebServlet("/MPHScheduleServlet")
21 public class MPHScheduleServlet extends HttpServlet {
22     private static final long serialVersionUID = 1L;
23
24     // Initialising cookie variable to be used in various methods of the servlet
25     // class.
26     private Cookie[] theCookies;
27
28     // Initialising an object for the Database utility class "ScheduleDbUtil".
29     private ScheduleDbUtil scheduleDbUtil;
30
31     * Initialising an object for login details to be used in various methods of the
32     * servlet class. this is also not assigned as a "private" instance variable as
33     * doing so is not threadsafe (BalusC).
34     */
35     protected LoginDetails loginDetails = new LoginDetails();
36

```

Importing classes from the (1) Java Servlet API

Importing the (2) JDBC API DataSource class to get the connection information of the database.

Importing data classes. Example of (4.1) Abstraction and (4.2) Encapsulation.

Example of (4.5) Inheritance. Use of (1) Java Servlet API

Cookie object used to handle the clearing of cookies

Creating the Database Access Object (explained below)

Using a data class LoginDetails object to read the login information entered.

```

65  /*
66   * The "doGet" method is a key method used in a servlet that is used to
67   * intercept any HTTP GET requests or responses. This method is used to read and
68   * compare these requests with any other data or to perform certain actions
69   * based on the request received. HTTP GET requests are idempotent and are used
70   * when there is no need of implementation of security (BalusC).
71   * The handling of commands are done by the doPost() method.
72   */
73 protected void doGet(HttpServletRequest request, HttpServletResponse response)
74     throws ServletException, IOException {
75
76     // Reading "command" parameter received from the JSP page
77     String command = request.getParameter("command");
78
79     // Defaulting to the login page if no command is available
80     if (command == null)
81         response.sendRedirect("login.jsp");
82     else
83         doPost(request, response);
84
85 }

```

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```

87  /*
88  * The "doPost" method is a key method used in a servlet that is used to
89  * intercept any HTTP POST requests or responses. This method is used when there
90  * is a security risk involved, as HTML POST requests are not idempotent and are
91  * used to implement security (BalusC)5. The HTML POST requests can only be read
92  * and will not change even if the servlet explicitly tells it to, this is to
93  * retain any original requests to maintain security.
94  */
95  protected void doPost(HttpServletRequest request, HttpServletResponse response)
96      throws ServletException, IOException {
97
98      try {
99
100         // Reading "command" parameter received from the JSP page
101         String command = request.getParameter("command");
102
103         // Defaulting to the login page if no command is available
104         if (command == null)
105             command = "LOGIN";
106
107         // Checking the command parameter and performing the according processes
108         switch (command) {
109
110             case "LOGIN":
111                 // Redirects the user to the login page
112                 response.sendRedirect("login.jsp");
113                 break;
114
115             case "LOGGEDIN":
116
117                 // Reading the user input login details received from the JSP Login page
118                 String username = request.getParameter("username");
119                 String password = request.getParameter("password");
120                 int user_id = Integer.parseInt(request.getParameter("userId"));
121
122                 // Setting the variables from the loginDetails class to the respective data
123                 // received from the JSP Login page
124                 loginDetails.setUsername(username);
125                 loginDetails.setPassword(password);
126                 loginDetails.setUser_id(user_id);
127
128                 try {
129                     if (scheduleDbUtil.validateTeacherLogin(loginDetails) || command.equals("LIST_TEACH")) {
130                         /*
131                         * This conditional statement is used to redirect the user to the default
132                         * schedule view if the entered teacher login details are correct or if a
133                         * Command from the login page is sent to redirect the user to the teacher
134                         * schedule view. This command is sent only if a cookie with a corresponding
135                         * value that tells signifies a previously logged in teacher that has not logged
136                         * out.
137                         */
138                     listTeacherLessons(request, response);
139                 } else {
140                     if (scheduleDbUtil.validateStudentLogin(loginDetails) || command.equals("LIST")) {
141                         /*
142                         * This conditional statement is used to redirect the user to the default
143                         * schedule view if the entered student login details are correct or if a Command from the login page
144                         * is sent to redirect the user. This command is sent only if a cookie with a
145                         * corresponding value that tells signifies a previously logged in student that
146                         * has not logged out.
147                         */
148                     listLessons(request, response);
149                 } else {
150                     /*
151                     * If both student and teacher login details are incorrect, and if there is no
152                     * cookie value that indicates a previously logged in user, the user is
153                     * redirected back to the login page with a parameter that sends an error
154                     * message of "IncorrectUserOrPass".
155                     */
156                     request.setAttribute("IncorrectUserOrPass", "true");
157                     RequestDispatcher default_dispatcher = request.getRequestDispatcher("/login.jsp");
158                     default_dispatcher.forward(request, response);
159                 }
160             }
161         } catch (Exception e) {
162             e.printStackTrace();
163     }
164

```

Use of Database Utility elaborated below

(1) Java Servlet API

(7) Conditional programming using a switch statement that performs the necessary functions based on the request from the JSP page, ex. logging in

(6) Try/Catch Blocks to handle exceptions

<sup>5</sup> BalusC. "doGet and doPost in Servlets" #2349741. Stack Overflow, 28 Feb. 2010, <https://stackoverflow.com/a/2349741>. Accessed 20 Oct. 2020.

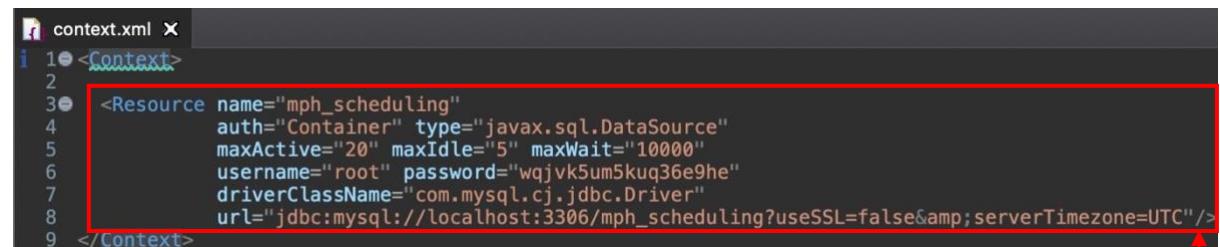
#### **IV The Database Access Object (DAO)**

The database access object or DAO is used to retrieve and make changes to the database using the **(2) Java Database Connectivity API**. There are multiple methods created in this class, ScheduleDbUtil in the com.mph.scheduler.web package, that perform the necessary instructions to retrieve, send or edit data in the database. This is an implementation of **(4.1 Abstraction, (4.2) Encapsulation and (4.4) Modularity.**

These methods are called in the servlet class to perform actions like viewing, adding or deleting lessons from the schedule (database). The following method in the Servlet gets the connection information from the context.xml file that stores the connection details and passes the details to the DAO usnig the constructor.

## Commented Screenshots

### context.xml

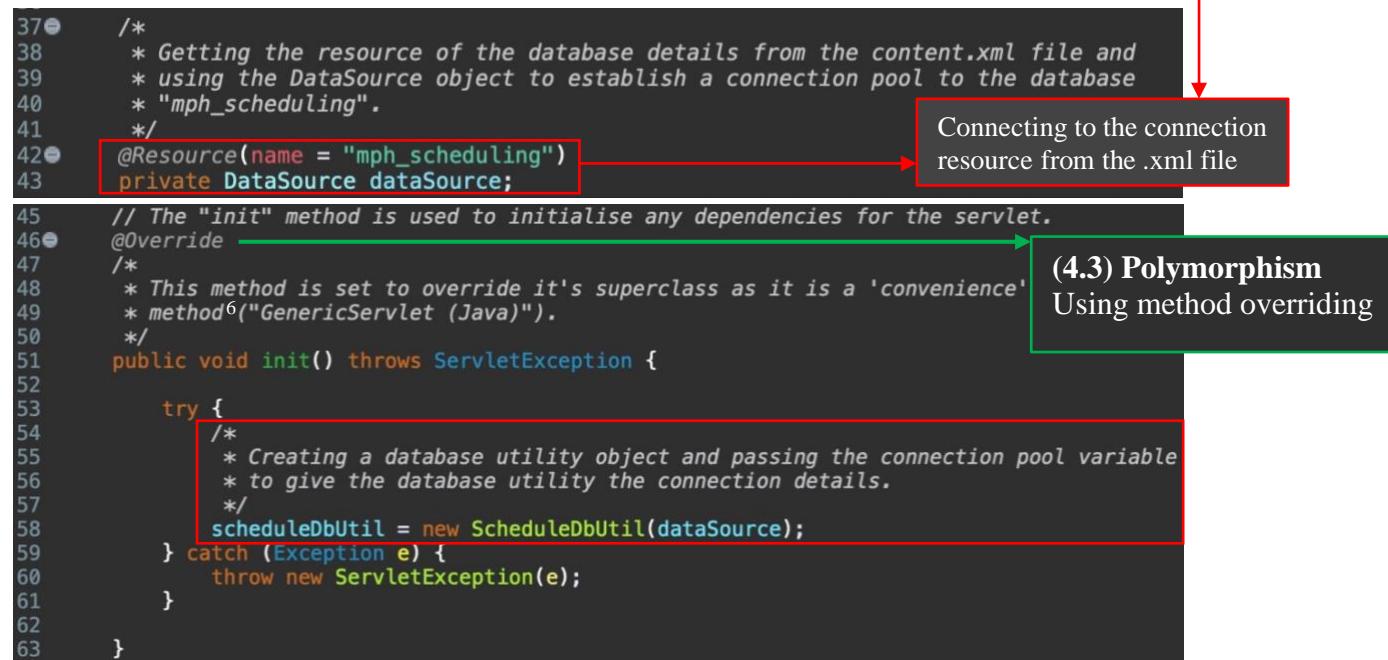


```

1<Context>
2
3<Resource name="mph_scheduling"
4 auth="Container" type="javax.sql.DataSource"
5 maxActive="20" maxIdle="5" maxWait="10000"
6 username="root" password="wqjk5kuq36e9he"
7 driverClassName="com.mysql.cj.jdbc.Driver"
8 url="jdbc:mysql://localhost:3306/mph_scheduling?useSSL=false&serverTimezone=UTC"/>
9</Context>

```

### MPHScheduleServlet.java



```

37/*
38 * Getting the resource of the database details from the content.xml file and
39 * using the DataSource object to establish a connection pool to the database
40 * "mph_scheduling".
41 */
42@Resource(name = "mph_scheduling")
43 private DataSource dataSource;
44
45 // The "init" method is used to initialise any dependencies for the servlet.
46@Override
47/*
48 * This method is set to override it's superclass as it is a 'convenience'
49 * method6("GenericServlet (Java)").
50 */
51public void init() throws ServletException {
52
53    try {
54        /*
55         * Creating a database utility object and passing the connection pool variable
56         * to give the database utility the connection details.
57         */
58        scheduleDbUtil = new ScheduleDbUtil(dataSource);
59    } catch (Exception e) {
60        throw new ServletException(e);
61    }
62}
63

```

Connecting to the connection resource from the .xml file

(4.3) Polymorphism  
Using method overriding

<sup>6</sup> "GenericServlet (Java EE 6)." *Oracle Java Documentation*, 10 Feb. 2011, [docs.oracle.com/javaee/6/api/javax/servlet/GenericServlet.html](https://docs.oracle.com/javaee/6/api/javax/servlet/GenericServlet.html). Accessed 30 Nov. 2020.

## Database Utility: ScheduleDbUtil.java

```
J ScheduleDbUtil.java x
1 package com.mph.scheduler.web;
2
3 import java.sql.Connection;
4 import java.sql.PreparedStatement;
5 import java.sql.ResultSet;
6 import java.sql.SQLException;
7 import java.sql.Statement;
8 import java.util.ArrayList;
9 import java.util.List;
10
11 import javax.sql.DataSource;
12
13 import com.mph.scheduler.data.Lessons;
14 import com.mph.scheduler.data.LoginDetails;
15 import com.mph.scheduler.data.Teachers;
16
17 public class ScheduleDbUtil {
18
19     private DataSource dataSource;
20
21     /* Constructor Method to set the class data source value to the data source
22      * received from the MPHScheduleServlet. */
23     public ScheduleDbUtil(DataSource theDataSource) {
24
25         /* This data source consists of the connection information for the database
26          * stored in the context.xml file. */
27         dataSource = theDataSource;
28     }
}
```

Importing classes from the (2) JDBC API.

Importing the ArrayList and List classes to use (5) Dynamic Arrays (ArrayLists).

Importing data classes. Example of (4.1) Abstraction and (4.2) Encapsulation.

## Methods in the Database Utility

```
30  * This method "validateTeacherLogin" is used to validate the user's login information
31  * with the login information of the teachers that is stored in the database. It takes a
32  * LoginDetails object as an argument and returns a true or false boolean value. A true
33  * value indicates successful validation and a false value indicates incorrect login
34  * information.
35  */
36 public boolean validateTeacherLogin(LoginDetails loginDetails) throws Exception{
37
38     // Variable to be returned as a boolean true or false value.
39     boolean status = false;
40
41     /* Getting the login details input from the user from the LoginDetails object passed
42      * from the MPHScheduleServlet. */
43
44     // Converting the user id to a string for easier processing.
45     String user_id = String.valueOf(loginDetails.getUser_id());
46     String inp_username = loginDetails.getUsername();
47     String inp_password = loginDetails.getPassword(); Success Criteria A, G
48
49     // Initialising JDBC SQL package objects.
50
51     // JDBC SQL Connection object to establish a connection to the database.
52     Connection myConn = null;
53     /* JDBC SQL PreparedStatement object to execute an SQL statement with varying
54      * parameters to be passed.*/
55     PreparedStatement myStmt = null;
56     // JDBC SQL ResultSet object to get the result of the performed SQL query.
57     ResultSet myRs = null;
```

```
try {
    // Getting a connection to the database using the data source from the content.xml.
    myConn = dataSource.getConnection();
    /* Creating the SQL query to read the username and password of the teacher from
     * the database. The "?" signifies a parameter that has to set using one of the
     * PreparedStatement class's set methods. */
    String sql = "SELECT * FROM teacher_login WHERE user_id=?";
    // Preparing the SQL query to be executed.
    myStmt = myConn.prepareStatement(sql);
    // Setting the value for the "?" parameter with the user_id received from the user.
    myStmt.setString(1, user_id);
    // Executing the SQL query and storing the result in the ResultSet Object.
    myRs = myStmt.executeQuery();
    //Loop iterates through all values stored in the ResultSet.
    while(myRs.next())
    {
        //Reading username of the teacher with the specific user_id from the database.
        String username = myRs.getString("username");
        //Reading password of the teacher with the specific user_id from the database.
        String password = myRs.getString("password");
        /* Conditional statement to check if the the user input username and password
         * match the username and password stored in the database. */
        if(inp_username.equals(username) && inp_password.equals(password))
        {
            //Setting the return value as true if the usernames and passwords match.
            status = true;
        }
        else
            //Setting the return value as false if they do not match.
            status = false;
    }
} catch(SQLException e){
    e.printStackTrace();
}

finally {
    // Closing JDBC objects to open up the connection in the connection pool.
    close(myConn, myStmt, myRs);
}

// Returning the status value after validation.
return status;
}
```

(9) SQL searching and filtering

(6) Try/Catch Blocks to handle exceptions

(4.4) Modularity. This close() method is used in every method and is used instead of re-writing repetitive long code (code shown at the end of Database Utility methods).

```

107* This method "validateStudentLogin" is used to validate the user's login information
108 * with the login information of the students that is stored in the database. It takes a
109 * LoginDetails object as an argument and returns a true or false boolean value. A true
110 * value indicates successful validation and a false value indicates incorrect login
111 * information.
112 */
113 public boolean validateStudentLogin(LoginDetails loginDetails) throws Exception{
114
115     // Variable to be returned as a boolean true or false value.
116     boolean status = false;
117
118     /* Getting the login details input from the user from the LoginDetails object passed
119      from the MPHScheduleServlet. */
120
121     // Converting the user id to a string for easier processing.
122     String user_id = String.valueOf(loginDetails.getUser_id());
123     String inp_username = loginDetails.getUsername();
124     String inp_password = loginDetails.getPassword();
125
126     // Initialising JDBC SQL package objects.
127
128     // JDBC SQL Connection object to establish a connection to the database.
129     Connection myConn = null;
130     /* JDBC SQL PreparedStatement object to execute an SQL statement with varying
131      parameters to be passed.*/
132     PreparedStatement myStmt = null;
133     // JDBC SQL ResultSet object to get the result of the performed SQL query.
134     ResultSet myRs = null;
135
136     try {
137
138         // Getting a connection to the database using the data source from the content.xml.
139         myConn = dataSource.getConnection();
140         /* Creating the SQL query to read the username and password of the teacher from
141          * the database. The "?" signifies a parameter that has to set using one of the
142          * PreparedStatement class's set methods. */
143         String sql = "SELECT * FROM student_login WHERE user_id=?"; (9) SQL searching and filtering
144         // Preparing the SQL query to be executed.
145         myStmt = myConn.prepareStatement(sql);
146         // Setting the value for the "?" parameter with the user_id received from the user.
147         myStmt.setString(1, user_id);
148         // Executing the SQL query and storing the result in the ResultSet Object.
149         myRs = myStmt.executeQuery();
150
151         //Loop iterates through all values stored in the ResultSet.
152         while(myRs.next())
153     {
154             //Reading username of the teacher with the specific user_id from the database.
155             String username = myRs.getString("username");
156             //Reading password of the teacher with the specific user_id from the database.
157             String password = myRs.getString("password");
158             /* Conditional statement to check if the the user input username and password
159              match the username and password stored in the database. */
160             if(inp_username.equals(username) && inp_password.equals(password))
161             {
162                 //Setting the return value as true if the usernames and passwords match.
163                 status = true;
164             }
165             else
166                 //Setting the return value as false if they do not match.
167                 status = false;
168             }
169         }
170     } catch(SQLException e){ (6) Try/Catch Blocks to handle exceptions
171         e.printStackTrace();
172     }
173
174     finally {
175         // Closing JDBC objects to open up the connection in the connection pool.
176         close(myConn, myStmt, myRs); (4.4) Modularity.
177     }
178
179
180     // Returning the status value after validation.
181     return status;
182 }

```

```

184  * This method "getLessons" to get all the lessons in the database and store them in a
185  * Lessons object. These multiple Lessons objects are stored in an ArrayList. An ArrayList
186  * is used as there is no known end limit to the number of lessons stored in the database.
187  * Since there are multiple columns of data for each row, a lessons object is used to
188  * access individual column data such as name, class, etc.
189  * The generated ArrayList is then returned.
190  */
191 public List<Lessons> getLessons() throws Exception {
192
193     //Initialising the ArrayList.
194     List<Lessons> lessons = new ArrayList<>();
195
196     // Initialising JDBC SQL package objects.
197
198     // JDBC SQL Connection object to establish a connection to the database.
199     Connection myConn = null;
200     // JDBC SQL Statement object to execute an SQL statement.
201     Statement myStmt = null;
202     // JDBC SQL ResultSet object to get the result of the performed SQL query.
203     ResultSet myRs = null;
204
205     try { → (6) Try/Catch Blocks to handle exceptions
206
207         // Getting a connection to the database using the data source from the content.xml.
208         myConn = dataSource.getConnection();
209         /* Making the SQL query as a String. The following query selects all the rows from
210          * default_schedule table that contains all the lessons and their details. */
211         String sql = "SELECT * FROM default_schedule ORDER BY lesson_id"; → (9) SQL searching and filtering
212         //Creating the SQL Query to be executed (converting the String into a query).
213         myStmt = myConn.createStatement();
214         // Executing the SQL query and storing the result in the ResultSet Object.
215         myRs = myStmt.executeQuery(sql);
216
217         //Loop iterates through all values stored in the ResultSet. while (myRs.next()) { ←
218
219             //Retrieving schedule data from ResultSet
220
221             String t_name = myRs.getString("t_name");// Reading teacher name.
222             String t_class = myRs.getString("t_class");// Reading the class.
223             String grade = myRs.getString("grade");// Reading the grade being taught.
224             String date = myRs.getString("date");// Reading the date of the lesson.
225             String time = myRs.getString("time");// Reading the time of the lesson.
226             int index = myRs.getInt("lesson_id");// Reading the Primary Key (lesson_id).
227
228             // Creating a new temporary Lessons object to store the retrieved data.
229             Lessons tempLesson = new Lessons(index, t_name, t_class, grade, date, time);
230
231             //Adding the Lesson object to the ArrayList of Lessons.
232             lessons.add(tempLesson);
233         }
234
235
236         //Returning the ArrayList with all the Lessons objects.
237         return lessons;
238
239     }
240     finally {
241         // Closing JDBC objects to open up the connection in the connection pool.
242         close(myConn, myStmt, myRs); → (4.4) Modularity.
243     }
244
245 }
```

```

247  * This method "getTeacher" is used to retrieve the teacher details for the currently
248  * logged in teacher. It takes an int argument of the user id of the logged in teacher and
249  * returns a Teacher object with all the column data of the teacher details stored in the
250  * database such as the name, class taught and grades taught.
251  */
252 public Teachers getTeacher(int teacherId) throws Exception {
253
254     //Initialising the Teachers object to be returned
255     Teachers theTeachers = null;
256
257     // Initialising JDBC SQL package objects.
258
259     // JDBC SQL Connection object to establish a connection to the database.
260     Connection myConn = null;
261     /* JDBC SQL PreparedStatement object to execute an SQL statement with varying
262      parameters to be passed.*/
263     PreparedStatement myStmt = null;
264     // JDBC SQL ResultSet object to get the result of the performed SQL query.
265     ResultSet myRs = null;
266
267     try { → (6) Try/Catch Blocks to handle exceptions
268
269         // Getting a connection to the database using the data source from the content.xml.
270         myConn = dataSource.getConnection();
271
272         /* Creating the SQL query to read all the details of the teacher from the database
273          * The "?" signifies a parameter that has to set using one of the PreparedStatement
274          * class's set methods. */
275         String sql = "SELECT * FROM teacher_details WHERE id_teacher=?"; → (9) SQL searching and filtering
276         // Preparing the SQL query to be executed.
277         myStmt = myConn.prepareStatement(sql);
278
279         // Setting the value for the "?" parameter with the user_id of the logged in user.
280         myStmt.setInt(1, teacherId);
281
282         // Executing the SQL query and storing the result in the ResultSet Object.
283         myRs = myStmt.executeQuery();
284
285         // Conditional statement to check if details for the current user's id exist
286         if(myRs.next()) {
287
288             //If the details for the user ID exist:
289
290             String t_name = myRs.getString("teacher_name");// Reading teacher name.
291             String t_class = myRs.getString("teacher_class");// Reading class taught.
292             String grade = myRs.getString("teacher_grades");// Reading grades taught.
293
294             // Creating a new Teachers object with the data retrieved from the database.
295             theTeachers = new Teachers(teacherId, t_name, t_class, grade);
296         }
297         else {
298             // If the details for the user ID do not exist:
299
300                 // Throwing an exception saying that the user id could not be found.
301                 throw new Exception("Could not find the user id" + teacherId);
302             }
303
304             // Returning the Teachers object.
305             return theTeachers;
306         }
307     }
308     finally {
309         // Closing JDBC objects to open up the connection in the connection pool. → (4.4) Modularity.
310         close(myConn, myStmt, myRs);
311     }
312 }
313 }
```

```

315  /* This method "getLesson" is used to read the information of the particular lesson the
316   * user has accessed through the edit button on the TeacherScheduleView JSP page and
317   * takes a String argument of the lesson id chosen. It returns a Lessons object with the
318   * details of the lesson. This method is used to pre-populate the fields of the
319   * update-class-form JSP page using the returned Lessons object.
320 */
321 public Lessons getLesson(String theLessonId) throws Exception{
322
323     // Initialising the Lessons object to be returned.
324     Lessons theLesson = null;
325     // Initialising an int variable that will be used to store the id of the lesson
326     int lessonId;
327
328     // Initialising JDBC SQL package objects.
329
330     // JDBC SQL Connection object to establish a connection to the database.
331     Connection myConn = null;
332     /* JDBC SQL PreparedStatement object to execute an SQL statement with varying
333      parameters to be passed.*/
334     PreparedStatement myStmt = null;
335     // JDBC SQL ResultSet object to get the result of the performed SQL query.
336     ResultSet myRs = null;
337
338     try { → (6) Try/Catch Blocks to handle exceptions
339
340         /* Converting the String value of the lesson id to an int (as the Lessons object
341          * Constructor takes the user id as an integer value. */
342         lessonId = Integer.parseInt(theLessonId);
343
344         // Getting a connection to the database using the data source from the content.xml.
345         myConn = dataSource.getConnection();
346
347         /* Making the SQL query as a String. The following query selects the row from the
348          * default_schedule table that contains details of the specified lesson_id. */
349         String sql = "SELECT * FROM default_schedule WHERE lesson_id=?"; ← (9) SQL searching and filtering
350         // Preparing the SQL query to be executed.
351         myStmt = myConn.prepareStatement(sql);
352         // Setting the value for the "?" parameter with the user_id of the logged in user.
353         myStmt.setInt(1, lessonId);
354         // Executing the SQL query and storing the result in the ResultSet Object.
355         myRs = myStmt.executeQuery();
356
357         // Conditional statement to check if details for the current user's id exist
358         if(myRs.next()) {
359
360             // If the details for the user ID exist:
361
362             String t_name = myRs.getString("t_name");// Reading teacher name.
363             String t_class = myRs.getString("t_class");// Reading class taught.
364             String grade = myRs.getString("grade");// Reading grade taught.
365             String date = myRs.getString("date");// Reading the date of lesson.
366             String time = myRs.getString("time");// Reading the time of lesson.
367
368             // Constructing a Lessons object with the data retrieved from the database.
369             theLesson = new Lessons(lessonId, t_name, t_class, grade, date, time);
370         }
371         else {
372             // If the details for the user ID do not exist:
373
374             // Throwing an exception saying that the user id could not be found.
375             throw new Exception("Could not find the class id" + lessonId);
376         }
377
378         // Returning the Lessons object.
379         return theLesson;
380     }
381     finally {
382
383         // Closing JDBC objects to open up the connection in the connection pool.
384         close(myConn, myStmt, myRs); → (4.4) Modularity.
385     }
386 }
```

```

388*   /* This method "addLesson" is used to add a new lesson and store it in the database in the
389*   * default_schedule table. It takes a Lessons object as an argument. The intended use of
390*   * this method is for a Lessons object that contains user input data to be passed as the
391*   * argument.
392*/
393 public void addLesson(Lessons theLesson) throws Exception{
394     // Initialising JDBC SQL package objects.
395
396     // JDBC SQL Connection object to establish a connection to the database.
397     Connection myConn = null;
398     /* JDBC SQL PreparedStatement object to execute an SQL statement with varying
399      * parameters to be passed.*/
400     PreparedStatement myStmt = null;
401
402     try {
403
404         // Getting a connection to the database using the data source from the content.xml.
405         myConn = dataSource.getConnection();
406         /* Creating the SQL query to insert the user input values into the default_schedule
407          * table in the database. The "?" signifies a parameter that has to set using one
408          * of the PreparedStatement class's set methods. */
409         String sql = "INSERT INTO default_schedule "
410             + "(t_name, t_class, grade, date, time) "
411             + "values (?, ?, ?, ?, ?)";
412
413         // Preparing the SQL query to be executed.
414         myStmt = myConn.prepareStatement(sql);
415
416         // Setting the values for the "?" parameters with the data input by the user.
417         myStmt.setString(1, theLesson.getT_name());
418         myStmt.setString(2, theLesson.getT_class());
419         myStmt.setString(3, theLesson.getGrade());
420         myStmt.setString(4, theLesson.getDate());
421         myStmt.setString(5, theLesson.getTime());
422
423         // Executing the SQL statement
424         myStmt.execute();
425     }
426     finally{
427         // Closing JDBC objects to open up the connection in the connection pool.
428         close(myConn, myStmt, null); → (4.4) Modularity.
429     }
430
431 }
```

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(9) SQL inserting

(4.4) Modularity.

```

433*   /* This method "updateLesson" is used to edit a pre-existing lesson in the database in the
434*   * default_schedule table. It takes a Lessons object as an argument. The intended use of
435*   * this method is for a Lessons object that contains user input data to be passed as the
436*   * argument.
437*/
438 public void updateLesson(Lessons theLesson) throws Exception {
439
440     // Initialising JDBC SQL package objects.
441
442     // JDBC SQL Connection object to establish a connection to the database.
443     Connection myConn = null;
444     /* JDBC SQL PreparedStatement object to execute an SQL statement with varying
445      * parameters to be passed.*/
446     PreparedStatement myStmt = null;
447
448     try {
449
450         // Getting a connection to the database using the data source from the content.xml.
451         myConn = dataSource.getConnection();
452         /* Creating the SQL query to insert the user input values into the default_schedule
453          * table in the database for the specific lesson that the user has chosen to
454          * update using the lesson_id. The "?" signifies a parameter that has to set using
455          * one of the PreparedStatement class's set methods. */
456         String sql = "UPDATE default_schedule "
457             + "SET t_name=?, t_class=?, grade=?, date=?, time=?"
458             + "WHERE lesson_id=?";
459         // Preparing the SQL query to be executed.
460         myStmt = myConn.prepareStatement(sql);
461
462         // Setting the values for the "?" parameters with the data input by the user.
463         myStmt.setString(1, theLesson.getT_name());
464         myStmt.setString(2, theLesson.getT_class());
465         myStmt.setString(3, theLesson.getGrade());
466         myStmt.setString(4, theLesson.getDate());
467         myStmt.setString(5, theLesson.getTime());
468         myStmt.setInt(6, theLesson.getIndex());
469
470         // Executing the SQL statement
471         myStmt.execute();
472     }
473     finally{
474         // Closing JDBC objects to open up the connection in the connection pool.
475         close(myConn, myStmt, null); → (4.4) Modularity.
476     }

```

Success Criteria B

(9) SQL updating

(4.4) Modularity.

```

480  * This method "deleteLesson" is used to delete a pre-existing lesson in the database in
481  * the default_schedule table. It takes a String as an argument. The intended use of this
482  * method is to pass a String containing the lesson id of the lesson that has been chosen
483  * to be deleted as the argument.
484  */
485  public void deleteLesson(String theLessonId) throws Exception{
486
487      // Initialising JDBC SQL package objects.
488
489      // JDBC SQL Connection object to establish a connection to the database.
490      Connection myConn = null;
491      /* JDBC SQL PreparedStatement object to execute an SQL statement with varying
492         parameters to be passed.*/
493      PreparedStatement myStmt = null;
494
495      try {
496
497          /* Converting the String value of the lesson id to an int (as the Lessons object
498             * Constructor takes the user id as an integer value. */
499          int lessonId = Integer.parseInt(theLessonId);
500          // Getting a connection to the database using the data source from the content.xml.
501          myConn = dataSource.getConnection();
502
503          /* Making the SQL query as a String. The following query selects the row from the
504             * default_schedule table that contains details of the specified lesson_id. */
505          String sql = "DELETE FROM default_schedule WHERE lesson_id=?"; // SQL deletion
506          // Preparing the SQL query to be executed.
507          myStmt = myConn.prepareStatement(sql);
508          // Setting the value for the "?" parameter with the user_id of the logged in user.
509          myStmt.setInt(1, lessonId);
510          // Executing the SQL query and storing the result in the ResultSet Object.
511          myStmt.execute();
512      }
513      finally {
514          // Closing JDBC objects to open up the connection in the connection pool.
515          close(myConn, myStmt, null); (4.4) Modularity.
516      }
517  }
518 }
```

```

520  /* This method "close" is used to close connections used by JDBC objects by opening up the
521  * used connection to the connection pool so it can be used by other users. */
522  private void close(Connection myConn, Statement myStmt, ResultSet myRs) {
523
524      /* This does not technically does not close any connections but instead makes the
525         * connection available to other users for them to use. */
526      try {
527          if(myRs != null)
528              myRs.close();
529          if(myStmt != null)
530              myStmt.close();
531          if(myConn != null)
532              myConn.close();
533      }
534      catch(Exception e) {
535          e.printStackTrace();
536      }
537  }
538 }
539 }
```

(4.4) Modularity. Allows use of one method to execute frequently used code through one statement and reduces writing longer redundant code.

## V Use of the DAO and Servlet methods

The database access object is used in the Servlet in the following methods. These DAO methods are used to implement **(4.1) Abstraction** and **(4.2) Encapsulation**.

The functions in the servlet are used to implement **(4.5) Modularity** to reduce redundancy and to avoid repeating long lines of code throughout the class. These also improve the readability

of code especially in the doPost() method above in **(I) & (II)** , where the methods have clear name descriptions of what their purpose is, ex. listLessons() or addLesson(). These methods are shown below.

## Commented Screenshots

```

230  /*
231   * This method "listLessons" uses the database utility to get the array list of
232   * lessons and sends the data to the DefaultScheduleView JSP page. This page is
233   * for the students.
234   */
235  private void listLessons(HttpServletRequest request, HttpServletResponse response) throws Exception {
236
237      /*
238       * Getting the Array list of lessons from the database using the database
239       * utility. An Array List is used as each lesson has multiple columns and there
240       * are a total of 5 Lessons that exist in the database. An Array List provides
241       * access to the data of each column as it is stored as a list. The multiple (5)
242       * lists make up the Array.
243       */
244      List<Lessons> lessons = scheduleDbUtil.getLessons();
245
246      // Assigning the Array List as an HTTP attribute to send to the JSP page.
247      request.setAttribute("CLASS_LIST", lessons);
248
249      // Method to tell the browser not to cache the current page (for security).
250      protectBackButton(request, response);
251
252      // Redirecting the user to the DefaultScheduleView JSP page while passing the
253      // Array List attribute.
254      RequestDispatcher default_dispatcher = request.getRequestDispatcher("/DefaultScheduleView.jsp");
255      default_dispatcher.forward(request, response);
256  }
257
258  /*
259   * This method "listTeacherLessons" uses the database utility to get the array
260   * list of lessons and sends the data to the TeacherScheduleView JSP page. This
261   * page is for the teachers and contains the "Edit" and "Delete" buttons.
262   */
263  private void listTeacherLessons(HttpServletRequest request, HttpServletResponse response) throws Exception {
264
265      // Getting the Array list of lessons from the database using the database
266      // utility.
267      List<Lessons> lessons = scheduleDbUtil.getLessons();
268
269      // Assigning the Array List as an HTTP attribute to send to the JSP page.
270      request.setAttribute("CLASS_LIST", lessons);
271
272      // Method to tell the browser not to cache the current page (for security).
273      protectBackButton(request, response);
274
275      // Redirecting the user to the TeacherScheduleView JSP page while passing the
276      // Array List attribute.
277      RequestDispatcher teacher_dispatcher = request.getRequestDispatcher("/TeacherScheduleView.jsp");
278      teacher_dispatcher.forward(request, response);
279  }
280

```

Success Criteria

B, C, H

Use of DAO methods

```

292  /*
293   * This method "loadAddLesson" is used to pre-populate the fields of the add-lesson-form JSP Page with
294   * the Teacher data that exists in the database, such as the teacher name, class and grades taught.
295   * This method also provides the necessary input options for the JSP page that correspond to the
296   * currently logged in teacher.
297   */
298  private void loadAddLesson(HttpServletRequest request, HttpServletResponse response) throws Exception {
299
300      // Reading the userId of the currently logged in teacher
301      int teacher_id = loginDetails.getUser_id();
302
303      // Getting the currently logged teacher's details from database using a method
304      // from the database utility
305      Teachers theTeacher = scheduleDbUtil.getTeacher(teacher_id);
306
307      // Assigning the specific teacher details as an HTTP attribute to be sent to the
308      // JSP page.
309      request.setAttribute("THE_TEACHER", theTeacher);
310
311      // Method to tell the browser not to cache the current page (for security).
312      protectBackButton(request, response);
313
314      // Redirecting the user to the add-lesson-form JSP page while passing the
315      // teacher details attribute.
316      RequestDispatcher dispatcher = request.getRequestDispatcher("/add-lesson-form.jsp");
317      dispatcher.forward(request, response);
318  }

```

(4.4) Modularity

Success Criteria B

Use of DAO

```

310* /*
311 * This method "addLesson" is used to add a lesson to the schedule with the user input data.
312 * Methods from the database utility are used to perform the necessary changes in the database.
313 */
314 private void addLesson(HttpServletRequest request, HttpServletResponse response) throws Exception {
315
316     // Reading the user input data for the lesson that is sent from the
317     // add-lesson-form JSP page
318
319     String t_name = request.getParameter("teacher"); // name of the teacher to be updated
320     String t_class = request.getParameter("class"); // class of the lesson to be updated
321     String grade = request.getParameter("grade"); // grade of the lesson to be updated
322     String date = request.getParameter("date"); // date of the lesson to be updated
323     String time = request.getParameter("time"); // time of the lesson to be updated
324
325     // Creating a new Lessons object with the user input data
326     Lessons theLesson = new Lessons(t_name, t_class, grade, date, time);
327
328     /*
329      * Using a method from the database utility to update the specific lesson with
330      * the user input details that are passed as a Lessons object.
331     */
332     scheduleDbUtil.addLesson(theLesson); → Use of DAO
333
334     // Method to tell the browser not to cache the current page (for security).
335     protectBackButton(request, response);
336
337     // Redirecting the user to the TeacherScheduleView JSP page.
338     listTeacherLessons(request, response);
339
340 }
341 */
342 * This method "clearLesson" is used to essentially "delete" a lesson
343
344
345 */
346 private void clearLesson(HttpServletRequest request, HttpServletResponse response) throws Exception {
347
348
349     // Reading the index of the lesson that the user has requested to delete from
350     // the TeacherScheduleView JSP page.
351     String theLessonId = request.getParameter("classId");
352
353     /*
354      * Deleting/clearing the lesson from the database using a method from the
355      * database utility while passing the lesson index that has to be deleted.
356     */
357     scheduleDbUtil.deleteLesson(theLessonId); → Use of DAO
358
359     // Method to tell the browser not to cache the current page (for security).
360     protectBackButton(request, response);
361     // Redirecting the user to the TeacherScheduleView JSP page.
362     listTeacherLessons(request, response);
363
364 }
365 */
366 * This method "editLesson" is used to pre-populate the fields of the
367 * update-class-form JSP page with any previous data that exists in the database
368 * for the particular selected lesson to edit. This method also provides the
369 * necessary input options for the JSP page that correspond to the currently
370 * logged in teacher.
371 */
372 private void editLesson(HttpServletRequest request, HttpServletResponse response) throws Exception {
373
374     // Reading the index of the lesson that the user has requested to edit from the
375     // TeacherScheduleView JSP page.
376     String theLessonId = request.getParameter("classId");
377
378     // Reading the userId of the currently logged in teacher
379     int teacher_id = loginDetails.getUser_id();
380
381     // Getting the lesson for the specified lesson id from the database using a
382     // method from the database utility
383     Lessons theLesson = scheduleDbUtil.getLesson(theLessonId); → Use of DAO
384     // Getting the currently logged teacher's details from database using a method
385     // from the database utility
386     Teachers theTeacher = scheduleDbUtil.getTeacher(teacher_id); → Use of DAO
387
388     // Assigning the specific lesson details as an HTTP attribute to be sent to the
389     // JSP page.
390     request.setAttribute("THE_CLASS", theLesson);
391     // Assigning the specific teacher details as an HTTP attribute to be sent to the
392     // JSP page.
393     request.setAttribute("THE_TEACHER", theTeacher);
394
395
396     // Method to tell the browser not to cache the current page (for security).
397     protectBackButton(request, response);
398     // Redirecting the user to the update-class-form JSP page while passing the
399     // lesson and teacher attributes.
400     RequestDispatcher dispatcher = request.getRequestDispatcher("/update-class-form.jsp");
401     dispatcher.forward(request, response);
402
403 }

```

#### (4.4) Modularity

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Use of DAO

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```

405  /*
406  * This method "updateLesson" is used to update the selected lesson's details in
407  * the database with the user input data. Methods from the database utility are
408  * used to perform the necessary changes in the database.
409  */
410 private void updateLesson(HttpServletRequest request, HttpServletResponse response) throws Exception {
411
412     // Reading the user input data for the lesson that is sent from the
413     // update-class-form JSP page
414
415     int id = Integer.parseInt(request.getParameter("classId")); // index of the lesson to be updated
416     String t_name = request.getParameter("teacher"); // name of the teacher to be updated
417     String t_class = request.getParameter("class"); // class of the lesson to be updated
418     String grade = request.getParameter("grade"); // grade of the lesson to be updated
419     String date = request.getParameter("date"); // date of the lesson to be updated
420     String time = request.getParameter("time"); // time of the lesson to be updated
421
422     // Creating a new Lessons object with the user input data
423     Lessons theLesson = new Lessons(id, t_name, t_class, grade, date, time);
424
425     /*
426      * Using a method from the database utility to update the specific lesson with
427      * the user input details that are passed as a Lessons object.
428      */
429     scheduleDbUtil.updateLesson(theLesson); → Use of DAO
430
431
432     // Method to tell the browser not to cache the current page (for security).
433     protectBackButton(request, response);

```

#### (4.4) Modularity

```

436 }
437 */
438 /*
439 * This method "clearCookie" is used to update the value of the cookies stored
440 * in the user's browser and set these values to indicate that there is no user
441 * who was logged in and did not Logout.
442 */
443 private void clearCookie(HttpServletRequest request, HttpServletResponse response) throws IOException {
444
445     // Getting all the cookies that stored in the user's browser and storing it in
446     // the Cookie object
447     theCookies = request.getCookies();
448
449     // Checking if any cookies exist
450     if (theCookies != null) {
451         // Looping through all Cookies to change their values
452         for (Cookie tempCookie : theCookies) {
453             if ("mphScheduleRememberLoginTeacher".equals(tempCookie.getName())) {
454                 /*
455                  * Setting the value of the cookie that indicates if there is a previously
456                  * logged in teacher to null, thereby indicating that there is no logged in
457                  * student.
458                  */
459                 tempCookie.setValue(null);
460                 // Adding the cookie to the browser
461                 response.addCookie(tempCookie);
462             } else if ("mphScheduleRememberLoginStudent".equals(tempCookie.getName())) {
463                 /*
464                  * Setting the value of the cookie that indicates if there is a previously
465                  * logged in student to null, thereby indicating that there is no logged in
466                  * student.
467                  */
468                 tempCookie.setValue(null);
469                 // Adding the cookie to the browser.
470                 response.addCookie(tempCookie);
471             }
472         }
473     }
474 }
475 // Redirecting to the servlet for it to perform the necessary commands (such as
476 // LOGIN).
477 response.sendRedirect("MPHScheduleServlet");
478
479 */
480 /*
481 * This method "protectBackButton" is used to tell the users browser not to
482 * cache a page using HTTP responses. This is done by setting specific headers
483 * that communicate with the browser.
484 */
485
486 private void protectBackButton(HttpServletRequest request, HttpServletResponse response) {
487
488     // This first header is used for any browser using the HTTP 1.1 protocol.
489     response.setHeader("Cache-Control", "no-cache, no-store, must-revalidate");
490     // This header is used for a browser that is using the older HTTP 1.0 protocol.
491     response.setHeader("Pragma", "no-cache");
492     // This header is used if a Proxy server is being used to access the web-page.
493     response.setHeader("Expires", "0");
494
495 }

```

Success Criteria B

Use of DAO

Success Criteria D

(1.1) Cookies implementation to remember logins. Clearing cookies after logout.

## VI The (3) JavaServer Pages

The **(3) JSP Pages** are used to dynamically generate HTML UI and display the data sent from the Servlet (which retrieves the data from the database using the DAO). The JSP pages use minimal scriptlet code (other than cookie implementation) and instead use the **(3.1) JSP Standard Tag Library** for easier readability of code and allows easier editing of code for any necessary updates to the product. The code is shown below.

### Commented Screenshots

#### login.jsp – Login page JSP code

```

1  <%@ page language="java" contentType="text/html; charset=UTF-8"
2   pageEncoding="UTF-8"%>
3  <%@ taglib uri="http://java.sun.com/jsp/jstl/core" prefix="c" %>
4  <!DOCTYPE html>
5  <html>
6  <head>
7  <meta charset="UTF-8">
8  <title>MPH Scheduler | User Login</title>
9  <link type ="text/css" rel="stylesheet" href="css/style.css">
10 <link type ="text/css" rel="stylesheet" href="css/add-class-style.css">
11 </head>
12 <body>
13
14 <div id ="wrapper">
15 <div id="header">
16     <h2>MPH Schedule</h2>
17 </div>
18 </div>
19
20 <div ID="container">
21     <h3>Student/Teacher Login</h3>
22
23 <!-- Variable for indicating any incorrect login information. -->
24 <c:set var="loginError" value="true"/>
25
26 <!-- Variables for storing Teacher and Student cookies. -->
27 <c:set var="theTeacherCookie" scope="session" value="${cookie.mphScheduleRememberLoginTeacher.value}" />
28 <c:set var="theStudentCookie" scope="session" value="${cookie.mphScheduleRememberLoginStudent.value}" />
29
30 <!-- Variables for storing the Teacher and Student cookie values. -->
31 <c:set var="teacherCookieValue" value="rememberTeacher"/>
32 <c:set var="studentCookieValue" value="rememberStudent"/>
33
34 <!-- URL variable for redirecting to the servlet with a LIST_TEACH command to display the Teacher Schedule. -->
35 <c:url var="servletRedirectTeacher" value="MPHScheduleServlet">
36     <c:param name="command" value="LIST_TEACH"/>
37 </c:url>
38
39 <!-- URL variable for redirecting to the servlet with a LIST command to display the Default Schedule. -->
40 <c:url var="servletRedirectStudent" value="MPHScheduleServlet">
41     <c:param name="command" value="LIST"/>
42 </c:url>
43
44 <!-- Conditional statement to test whether either cookie indicates a logged in user and redirecting to the
45 appropriate schedule view using the JSTL URL variables. -->
46 <c:choose>
47     <c:when test="${theTeacherCookie == teacherCookieValue}">
48         <c:redirect url="${servletRedirectTeacher}"/>
49     </c:when>
50     <c:when test="${theStudentCookie == studentCookieValue}">
51         <c:redirect url="${servletRedirectStudent}"/>
52     </c:when>
53 </c:choose>

```

**(3.1) JSP Standard Tag Library** tags used to handle login cookies.

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Contd.

```

55      <!-- Form details are sent to the default POST method of the servlet (in this case doPost). -->
56      <form action="MPHScheduleServlet" method='POST'>
57      <!-- Adding a hidden input field that holds the LOGGEDIN command to be sent to the MPHScheduleServlet -->
58      <input type="hidden" name="command" value="LOGGEDIN"/>
59      <table>
60          <tbody>
61              <tr>
62                  <!-- User inputs user id as a number. -->
63                  <td><label>User ID:</label></td>
64                  <td><input type="number" name="userId" required/></td>
65              </tr>
66
67              <tr>
68                  <!-- User inputs username as text. -->
69                  <td><label>Username:</label></td>
70                  <td><input type="text" name="username" required/></td>
71              </tr>
72
73              <tr>
74                  <!-- User inputs password as password (text is replaced by bullets ●). -->
75                  <td><label>Password:</label></td>
76                  <td><input type="password" name="password" required/></td>
77              </tr>
78
79              <tr>
80                  <!-- Displaying an incorrect details error if the servlet parameter received indicates
81                      incorrect login information. -->
82                  <c:if test="#{IncorrectUserOrPass == loginError}">
83                      <p style="color:Red;">Incorrect Details!</p>
84                  </c:if>
85              </tr>
86
87              <tr>
88                  <td><label></label></td>
89                  <td><input type="submit" value="Login" class="save" /></td>
90              </tr>
91
92          </tbody>
93      </table>
94
95      <div style="clear: both;"></div>
96
97  </div>
98
99 </body>
100 </html>

```

**(9) HTML & CSS for UI Creation****Screenshots of Live Login Page:**

**MPH Schedule**

**Student/Teacher Login**

User ID:

Username:

Password:

**Login**

**MPH Schedule**

**Student/Teacher Login**

User ID: 93902

Username: manrajrowe

Password: .....

**Login**

## MPH Schedule

**Student/Teacher Login**

User ID:

Username:  Please enter a number.

Password:

**Login**

## MPH Schedule

**Student/Teacher Login**

User ID:

Username:

Password:  Please fill in this field.

**Login**

## MPH Schedule

**Student/Teacher Login**

User ID:

Username:

Password:

Please fill in this field.

## MPH Schedule

**Student/Teacher Login**

**Incorrect Details!**

User ID:

Username:

Password:

**Login**

**TeacherScheduleView.jsp – JSP Page for the teacher schedule which contains Add, Edit****and Delete buttons (Success Criteria B, G, H).**

Java Scriptlet code

```

1 <%@ page language="java" contentType="text/html; charset=UTF-8"
2 pageEncoding="UTF-8"%>
3 <%@ taglib uri="http://java.sun.com/jsp/jstl/core" prefix="c" %>
4 <!DOCTYPE html>
5 <html>
6 <head>
7 <meta charset="UTF-8">
8 <title>MPH Scheduler | Teacher Schedule</title>
9 <link type="text/css" rel="stylesheet" href="css/style.css">
10 </head>
11
12 <body>
13
14 <%
15 /**
16 * This scriptlet is used to store a cookie in the user's browser with
17 * a value that indicates that a teacher is currently logged in.
18 */
19
20 // String to store the value of the Cookie.
21 String remember = "rememberTeacher";
22
23 /* Creating a new Cookie called mphScheduleRememberLoginTeacher and storing
24 the previously created Cookie value in this Cookie.*/
25 Cookie theCookie = new Cookie("mphScheduleRememberLoginTeacher", remember);
26
27 /*
28 * Setting the expiry for the Cookie as 14 days. This is done as per the
29 * request of the client. A user must be remembered for 14 days till they
30 * are automatically logged after this period. The age is set in seconds,
31 * therefore the argument is passed as:
32 * 14 (days) X 24 (hours) X 60 (minutes) X 60 (seconds).
33 */
34 theCookie.setMaxAge(14*24*60*60);
35
36 //Adding the Cookie to the user's browser.
37 response.addCookie(theCookie);
38
39 %>
40
41 <div id="wrapper">
42 <div id="header">
43 <h2>MPH Scheduler | Teacher Schedule</h2>
44 </div>
45 </div>
46
47 <div id="container">
48 <div id="content">
49
50 <!-- Button that is used to Logout by redirecting to the MPHScheduleServlet with a
51 "LOGOUT" command as a parameter. -->
52 <form action="MPHScheduleServlet" method="POST">
53     <input type="hidden" name="command" value="LOGOUT">
54     <input type='submit' value='Logout' class="add-class-button" formnovalidate/>
55 </form>
56
57 <!-- Button that is used to pre-populate the form data in the add-lesson-form JSP page
58 and redirecting to it by redirecting to the MPHScheduleServlet with a "LOAD_ADD"
59 command as a parameter. -->
60 <form action="MPHScheduleServlet" method="POST">
61     <input type="hidden" name="command" value="LOAD_ADD">
62     <input type='submit' value='Add Lesson' class="add-class-button" formnovalidate/>
63 </form>
64
65 <table>
66
67 <tr>
68
69     <th>Teacher</th>
70     <th>Class</th>
71     <th>Grade</th>
72     <th>Date</th>
73     <th>Time</th>
74     <th>Action</th>
75
76 </tr>

```

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```

78 <!-- Using JSTL tags to loop through the data stored in the ArrayList sent by the MPHScheduleServlet -->
79@   <c:forEach var="tempTeacher" items="${CLASS_LIST}">
80
81@   <!-- JSTL URL that is used to pre-populate the form data in the update-class-form JSP page and
82       and redirecting to it by redirecting to the MPHScheduleServlet with a "LOAD"
83       command as a parameter. The index of the class clicked is also sent as a parameter. -->
84@   <c:url var = "tempLink" value="MPHScheduleServlet">
85     <c:param name="command" value="LOAD" />
86     <c:param name="classId" value="${tempTeacher.index}" />
87   </c:url>
88
89@   <!-- JSTL URL that is used to delete the selected lesson from the schedule by redirecting to the
90       MPHScheduleServlet with a "DELETE" command and the index of the lesson that has chosen to be
91       deleted as parameters. -->
92@   <c:url var = "deleteLink" value="MPHScheduleServlet">
93     <c:param name="command" value="DELETE" />
94     <c:param name="classId" value="${tempTeacher.index}" />
95   </c:url>
96
97@   <tr>
98     <!-- Displaying teacher name -->
99     <td> ${tempTeacher.getT_name()}</td>
100
101    <!-- Displaying class taught -->
102    <td> ${tempTeacher.getT_class()}</td>
103
104    <!-- Displaying grade taught -->
105    <td> ${tempTeacher.getGrade()}</td>
106
107    <!-- Displaying date of the lesson -->
108    <td> ${tempTeacher.getDate()}</td>
109
110    <!-- Displaying time of the lesson -->
111    <td> ${tempTeacher.getTime()}</td>
112
113    <!-- Link to edit the particular lesson using the "tempLink" JSTL URL variable -->
114@   <td> <a href="${tempLink}">Edit</a>
115     |
116@   <!-- Link to delete the particular lesson using the "deleteLink" JSTL URL variable.
117     An additional JavaScript element is added to confirm the deletion of the lesson. -->
118@   <a href="${deleteLink}">
119     onclick="if (!confirm('Are you sure you want to delete this class?')) return false">Delete</a>
120   </td>
121 </tr>
122
123 </c:forEach>
124
125 </table>
126 </div>
127 </div>
128 </body>
129 </html>

```

Success Criteria B, H

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Screenshots of Live Teacher Schedule View Page:

MPH Scheduler   Teacher Schedule						
Teacher	Class	Grade	Date	Time	Action	
Olivia-Mae Barrett	Economics	D1	2021-04-21	08:00	<a href="#">Edit</a>   <a href="#">Delete</a>	
Tulisa Sharma	Sciences	M4	2021-04-21	11:20	<a href="#">Edit</a>   <a href="#">Delete</a>	
Rahul Cullen	Individuals & Societies	M5	2021-04-21	13:40	<a href="#">Edit</a>   <a href="#">Delete</a>	
Krystian Diaz	Visual Arts	D2	2021-04-22	08:00	<a href="#">Edit</a>   <a href="#">Delete</a>	
Abdulahi Roth	Physics	M4	2021-04-21	08:00	<a href="#">Edit</a>   <a href="#">Delete</a>	

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MPH Scheduler   Teacher Schedule						
Teacher	Class	Grade	Date	Time	Action	
Olivia-Mae Barrett	Economics	D1	2021-04-21	08:00	<a href="#">Edit</a>   <a href="#">Delete</a>	
Tulisa Sharma	Sciences	M4	2021-04-21	11:20	<a href="#">Edit</a>   <a href="#">Delete</a>	
Rahul Cullen	Individuals & Societies	M5	2021-04-21	13:40	<a href="#">Edit</a>   <a href="#">Delete</a>	
Krystian Diaz	Visual Arts	D2	2021-04-22	08:00	<a href="#">Edit</a>   <a href="#">Delete</a>	
Abdulahi Roth	Physics	M4	2021-04-21	08:00	<a href="#">Edit</a>   <a href="#">Delete</a>	

Are you sure you want to delete this class?

## add-lesson-form.jsp – Page/Form to accept Teacher input for adding a new lesson

### (Success Criteria B, E, F).

```

1 <%@ page language="java" contentType="text/html; charset=UTF-8"
2   pageEncoding="UTF-8"%>
3 <%@ taglib uri="http://java.sun.com/jsp/jstl/core" prefix="c" %>
4 <!DOCTYPE html>
5 <html>
6 <head>
7   <meta charset="UTF-8">
8   <title>MPH Scheduler | Teacher Schedule</title>
9   <link type="text/css" rel="stylesheet" href="css/style.css">
10  <link type="text/css" rel="stylesheet" href="css/add-class-style.css">
11 </head>
12 <body>
13
14  <div id="wrapper">
15    <div id="header">
16      <h2>MPH Scheduler</h2>
17    </div>
18  </div>
19
20  <div ID="container">
21    <h3>Add Lesson</h3>
22
23    <!-- Form details are sent to the default POST method of the servlet (in this case doPost). -->
24    <form action="MPHScheduleServlet" method='POST'>
25
26      <!-- Adding a hidden input field that holds the ADD command to be sent to the MPHScheduleServlet -->
27      <input type="hidden" name="command" value='ADD' />
28      <!-- JSTL URL that is used to redirect to the TeacherSchedule View JSP Page by sending a
29          "LIST_TEACH" command to the MPHScheduleServlet -->
30      <c:url var = "outLink" value="MPHScheduleServlet">
31        <c:param name="command" value="LIST_TEACH" />
32      </c:url>
33
34  <table>
35    <tbody>
36
37      <tr>
38        <td><label>Teacher name:</label></td>
39        <td>
40          <select name="teacher" class ="select" required>
41            <option value = "${THE_TEACHER.teacher_name}" selected>${THE_TEACHER.teacher_name}</option>
42          </select>
43        </td>
44      </tr>
45
46      <tr>
47        <td><label>Class:</label></td>
48        <td>
49          <select name="class" class ="select" required>
50            <option value = "${THE_TEACHER.teacher_lessons}" selected>${THE_TEACHER.teacher_lessons}</option>
51          </select>
52        </td>
53      </tr>
54
55      <tr>
56        <td><label>Grade:</label></td>
57        <td>
58          <select name="grade" class ="select" required>
59            <!-- Using JSTL to loop through the array of grades taught by using the toGradeArray()
60                method to split the String of the grades taught by the teacher and display each
61                grade as a separate drop-down list option. -->
62            <c:forEach var = "gradeTaught" items="${THE_TEACHER.toGradeArray()}">
63              <option value = "${gradeTaught}" >${gradeTaught}</option>
64            </c:forEach>
65          </select>
66        </td>
67      </tr>
68
69      <tr>
70        <td><label>Date:</label></td>
71        <td><input type="date" name="date" min=2021-01-01 max=2040-01-01 required/></td>
72      </tr>
73
74      <tr>
75        <td><label>Time:</label></td>
76        <td><input type="time" name="time" required/></td>
77      </tr>
78
79      <tr>
80        <td><label></label></td>
81        <td><input type="submit" value="Save" class="save" /></td>
82      </tr>
83
84      <tr>
85        <td><label></label></td>
86        <td><a href='${outLink}'><input type="button" value="Cancel" class="cancel" formnovalidate/></a></td>
87      </tr>
88
89    </tbody>
90  </table>
91 </form>
92
93  <div style="clear: both;"></div>
94
95 </div>
96
97 </body>
98 </html>

```

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(9) HTML & CSS for UI Creation

Success Criteria E, F

Screenshots of the Live add-lesson-form Page:

**MPH Scheduler**

**Add Lesson**

Teacher name:

Class:

Grade:

Date:

Time:

**MPH Scheduler**

**Add Lesson**

Teacher name:

Class:

Grade:    
 M1  
 M2  
 M3  
 M4  
 M5

Date:

Time:

**MPH Scheduler**

**Add Lesson**

Teacher name:

Class:

Grade:

Date:

Time:

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Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
29	30	31	1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9

93901	Rahul Cullen	Individuals & Societies	M3 M4 M5
93902	Manraj Rowe	Individuals & Societies	M1 M2 M3 M4 M5

Currently Logged in User's details in the database table

## update-class-form.jsp – Page to accept Teacher input for the Lesson details to be edited.

```

update-class-form.jsp ×
1 <%@ page language="java" contentType="text/html; charset=UTF-8"
2   pageEncoding="UTF-8"%>
3 <%@ taglib uri="http://java.sun.com/jsp/jstl/core" prefix="c" %>
4 <!DOCTYPE html>
5 <html>
6 <head>
7 <meta charset="UTF-8">
8 <title>MPH Scheduler | Teacher Schedule</title>
9 <link type ="text/css" rel="stylesheet" href="css/style.css">
10 <link type ="text/css" rel="stylesheet" href="css/add-class-style.css">
11 </head>
12 <body>
13
14  <div id ="wrapper">
15    <div id="header">
16      <h2>MPH Scheduler</h2>
17    </div>
18  </div>
19
20  <div ID="container">
21    <h3>Update Class</h3>
22
23    <!-- Form details are sent to the default POST method of the servlet (in this case doPost). -->
24    <form action="MPHScheduleServlet" method='POST'>
25
26      <!-- Adding a hidden input field that holds the UPDATE command to be sent to the MPHScheduleServlet -->
27      <input type="hidden" name="command" value="UPDATE" />
28      <!-- A hidden input field that holds the current lesson's id to be sent to the MPHScheduleServlet -->
29      <input type="hidden" name="classId" value="${THE_CLASS.index}" />
30
31  <table>
32    <tbody>
33
34    <tr>
35      <td><label>Teacher name:</label></td>
36      <td>
37        <select name="teacher" class ="select" required>
38          <!-- The first selected option is selected by default and is the previous data of the lesson
39            that is pre-populated using the "THE_CLASS" attribute. The second option is the name of
40            the currently logged in teacher. -->
41          <option value = "${THE_CLASS.t_name}" selected>${THE_CLASS.t_name}</option>
42          <option value = "${THE_TEACHER.teacher_name}">${THE_TEACHER.teacher_name}</option>
43        </select>
44      </td>
45
46
47    <tr>
48      <td><label>Class:</label></td>
49      <td>
50        <select name="class" class ="select" required>
51          <!-- The first selected option is selected by default and is the previous data of the lesson
52            that is pre-populated using the "THE_CLASS" attribute. The second option is the class
53            taught by the currently logged in teacher. -->
54          <option value = "${THE_CLASS.t_class}" selected>${THE_CLASS.t_class}</option>
55          <option value = "${THE_TEACHER.teacher_lessons}">${THE_TEACHER.teacher_lessons}</option>
56        </select>
57
58
59    <tr>
60      <td><label>Grade:</label></td>
61      <td>
62        <select name="grade" class ="select" required>
63          <!-- The first selected option is selected by default and is the previous data of the lesson
64            that is pre-populated using the "THE_CLASS" attribute.-->
65          <option value = "${THE_CLASS.grade}" selected>${THE_CLASS.grade}</option>
66          <!-- Using JSTL to loop through the array of grades taught by the teacher and display each
67            grade as a separate drop-down list option. -->
68          <c:forEach var = "gradeTaught" items="${THE_TEACHER.toGradeArray()}">
69            <option value = "${gradeTaught}">${gradeTaught}</option>
70          </c:forEach>
71        </select>
72
73
74    <tr>
75      <td><label>Date:</label></td>
76      <td>
77        <!-- The previous date of the lesson is pre-populated using the "THE_CLASS" attribute. The maximum
78            and minimum dates to select are also set. -->
79        <td><input type="date" name="date" value="${THE_CLASS.date}"
80                           min=2021-01-01 max=2040-01-01 required/></td>
81
82
83  </tr>

```

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Success Criteria B

Success Criteria E, F

```

85
86      <tr>
87          <!-- The previous time of the lesson is pre-populated using the "THE_CLASS" attribute. -->
88          <td><label>Time:</label></td>
89          <td><input type="time" name="time"
90                  value="${THE_CLASS.time}" required/></td>
91      </tr>
92
93      <tr>
94          <td><label></label></td>
95          <td><input type="reset" value="Reset" class="save" /></td>
96      </tr>
97
98      <tr>
99          <td><label></label></td>
100         <td><input type="submit" value="Save" class="save" /></td>
101     </tr>
102
103     </tbody>
104   </table>
105 </form>
106 <div style="clear: both;"></div>
107
108 </div>
109
110 </body>
111 </html>

```

### Screenshots of the Live update-class-form Page:

'Edit' button clicked on the TeacherScheduleView Page for the particular lesson:

Teacher	Class	Grade	Date	Time	Action
Olivia-Mae Barrett	Economics	D1	2021-04-21	08:00	<a href="#">Edit</a>   <a href="#">Delete</a>
Tulisa Sharma	Sciences	M4	2021-04-21	11:20	<a href="#">Edit</a>   <a href="#">Delete</a>
Rahul Cullen	Individuals & Societies	M5	2021-04-21	13:40	<a href="#">Edit</a>   <a href="#">Delete</a>
Krystian Diaz	Visual Arts	D2	2021-04-22	08:00	<a href="#">Edit</a>   <a href="#">Delete</a>

### update-class-form.jsp page:

MPH Scheduler	
<b>Update Class</b>	
Teacher name:	<input type="text" value="Krystian Diaz"/>
Class:	<input type="text" value="Visual Arts"/>
Grade:	<input type="text" value="D2"/>
Date:	<input type="text" value="22 / 04 / 2021"/>
Time:	<input type="text" value="08 : 00"/>
 <input type="button" value="Reset"/>	
 <input type="button" value="Save"/>	

MPH Scheduler	
<b>Update Class</b>	
Teacher name:	<input checked="" type="text" value="Krystian Diaz"/> <input checked="" type="text" value="Manraj Rowe"/>
Class:	<input type="text" value="Visual Arts"/>
Grade:	<input type="text" value="D2"/>
Date:	<input type="text" value="22 / 04 / 2021"/>
Time:	<input type="text" value="08 : 00"/>
 <input type="button" value="Reset"/>	
 <input type="button" value="Save"/>	

<b>MPH Scheduler</b>	
<b>Update Class</b>	<b>Update Class</b>
Teacher name: Krystian Diaz <input style="width: 20px; height: 20px;" type="button" value="Edit"/> Class: Visual Arts <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Individuals & Societies <input style="width: 20px; height: 20px;" type="button" value="Edit"/> Grade: D2 <input style="width: 20px; height: 20px;" type="button" value="Edit"/> Date: 22 / 04 / 2021 <input style="width: 20px; height: 20px;" type="button" value="Edit"/> Time: 08 : 00 <input style="width: 20px; height: 20px;" type="button" value="Edit"/>  <input style="width: 100px; height: 30px;" type="button" value="Reset"/>  <input style="width: 100px; height: 30px;" type="button" value="Save"/>	Teacher name: Krystian Diaz <input style="width: 20px; height: 20px;" type="button" value="Edit"/> Class: Visual Arts <input style="width: 20px; height: 20px;" type="button" value="Edit"/> Grade: D2 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> M1 <input type="checkbox"/> M2 <input type="checkbox"/> M3 <input type="checkbox"/> M4 <input type="checkbox"/> M5 <input style="width: 20px; height: 20px;" type="button" value="Edit"/> Date: 22 / 04 / 2021 <input style="width: 20px; height: 20px;" type="button" value="Edit"/> Time: 08 : 00 <input style="width: 20px; height: 20px;" type="button" value="Edit"/>  <input style="width: 100px; height: 30px;" type="button" value="Reset"/>  <input style="width: 100px; height: 30px;" type="button" value="Save"/>

<b>MPH Scheduler</b>	
<b>Update Class</b>	
Teacher name: Manraj Rowe <input style="width: 20px; height: 20px;" type="button" value="Edit"/> Class: Individuals & Societies <input style="width: 20px; height: 20px;" type="button" value="Edit"/> Grade: M3 <input style="width: 20px; height: 20px;" type="button" value="Edit"/> Date: 22 / 04 / 2021 <input style="width: 20px; height: 20px;" type="button" value="Edit"/> Time: 08 : 00 <input style="width: 20px; height: 20px;" type="button" value="Edit"/>  <input style="width: 100px; height: 30px;" type="button" value="Reset"/>  <input style="width: 100px; height: 30px;" type="button" value="Save"/>	

### Updated TeacherScheduleView Page:

<b>MPH Scheduler   Teacher Schedule</b>						
<input style="width: 100px; height: 30px;" type="button" value="Logout"/>	<input style="width: 100px; height: 30px;" type="button" value="Add Lesson"/>					
Teacher	Class	Grade	Date	Time	Action	
Olivia-Mae Barrett	Economics	D1	2021-04-21	08:00	<a href="#">Edit</a>   <a href="#">Delete</a>	
Tulisa Sharma	Sciences	M4	2021-04-21	11:20	<a href="#">Edit</a>   <a href="#">Delete</a>	
Rahul Cullen	Individuals & Societies	M5	2021-04-21	13:40	<a href="#">Edit</a>   <a href="#">Delete</a>	
Manraj Rowe	Individuals & Societies	M3	2021-04-22	08:00	<a href="#">Edit</a>   <a href="#">Delete</a>	

**DefaultScheduleView.jsp – JSP Page for the student schedule which only allows viewing****of the lessons (Success Criteria C, G)**

Java Scriptlet code

```

1  <%@ page language="java" contentType="text/html; charset=UTF-8"
2    pageEncoding="UTF-8"%>
3  <%@ taglib uri="http://java.sun.com/jsp/jstl/core" prefix="c" %>
4  <!DOCTYPE html>
5  <html>
6  <head>
7    <meta charset="UTF-8">
8    <title>MPH Scheduler | Student Schedule</title>
9    <link type="text/css" rel="stylesheet" href="css/style.css">
10   </head>
11
12
13  <body>
14
15  <%
16    /*
17     * This scriptlet is used to store a cookie in the user's browser with
18     * a value that indicates that a student is currently logged in.
19     */
20
21    // String to store the value of the Cookie.
22    String remember = "rememberStudent";
23
24    /* Creating a new Cookie called mphScheduleRememberLoginStudent and storing
25     * the previously created Cookie value in this Cookie. */
26    Cookie theCookie = new Cookie("mphScheduleRememberLoginStudent", remember);
27
28    /*
29     * Setting the expiry for the Cookie as 14 days. This is done as per the
30     * request of the client. A user must be remembered for 14 days till they
31     * are automatically logged after this period. The age is set in seconds,
32     * therefore the argument is passed as:
33     * 14 (days) X 24 (hours) X 60 (minutes) X 60 (seconds).
34     */
35    theCookie.setMaxAge(14*24*60*60);
36
37    //Adding the Cookie to the user's browser.
38    response.addCookie(theCookie);
39  %>
40
41  <div id="wrapper">
42  <div id="header">
43
44    <h2>MPH Scheduler | Student Schedule</h2>
45
46
47  </div>
48  </div>
49
50  <div id="container">
51  <div id="content">
52
53    <!-- Button used to Logout -->
54    <form action="MPHScheduleServlet" method="POST">
55      <input type="hidden" name="command" value="LOGOUT">
56      <input type='submit' value='Logout' class="add-class-button" formnovalidate/>
57    </form>
58
59  <table>
60
61  <tr>
62
63    <th>Teacher</th>
64    <th>Class</th>
65    <th>Grade</th>
66    <th>Date</th>
67    <th>Time</th>
68
69  </tr>

```

Success Criteria A, C, D, G

(1.1) Cookies Implementation to remember logins

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```

71@<!-- Using JSTL tags to loop through the data stored in the ArrayList sent by the
72      MPHScheduleServlet -->
73@  <c:forEach var="tempTeacher" items="${CLASS_LIST}">
74
75@      <tr>
76          <!-- Displaying teacher name -->
77          <td> ${tempTeacher.getT_name()}</td>
78
79          <!-- Displaying class taught -->
80          <td> ${tempTeacher.getT_class()}</td>
81
82          <!-- Displaying grade taught -->
83          <td> ${tempTeacher.getGrade()}</td>
84
85          <!-- Displaying date of the lesson -->
86          <td> ${tempTeacher.getDate()}</td>
87
88          <!-- Displaying time of the lesson -->
89          <td> ${tempTeacher.getTime()}</td>
90      </tr>
91
92  </c:forEach>

```

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### Screenshot of the Live DefaultScheduleView Page:

The screenshot shows a web application titled "MPH Scheduler | Student Schedule". At the top left is a "Logout" button. Below the title is a table with the following data:

Teacher	Class	Grade	Date	Time
Olivia-Mae Barrett	Economics	D1	2021-04-21	08:00
Tulisa Sharma	Sciences	M4	2021-04-21	11:20
Rahul Cullen	Individuals & Societies	M5	2021-04-21	13:40
Manraj Rowe	Individuals & Societies	M3	2021-04-22	08:00

## VII HTML & CSS UI Creation

All the UI elements were creating using HTML and using cascading style sheets. Tables, forms, links, and labels were used in the HTML and was integrated into the JSP pages. CSS was used to apply the required styles for the HTML tags. The CSS files are shown below.

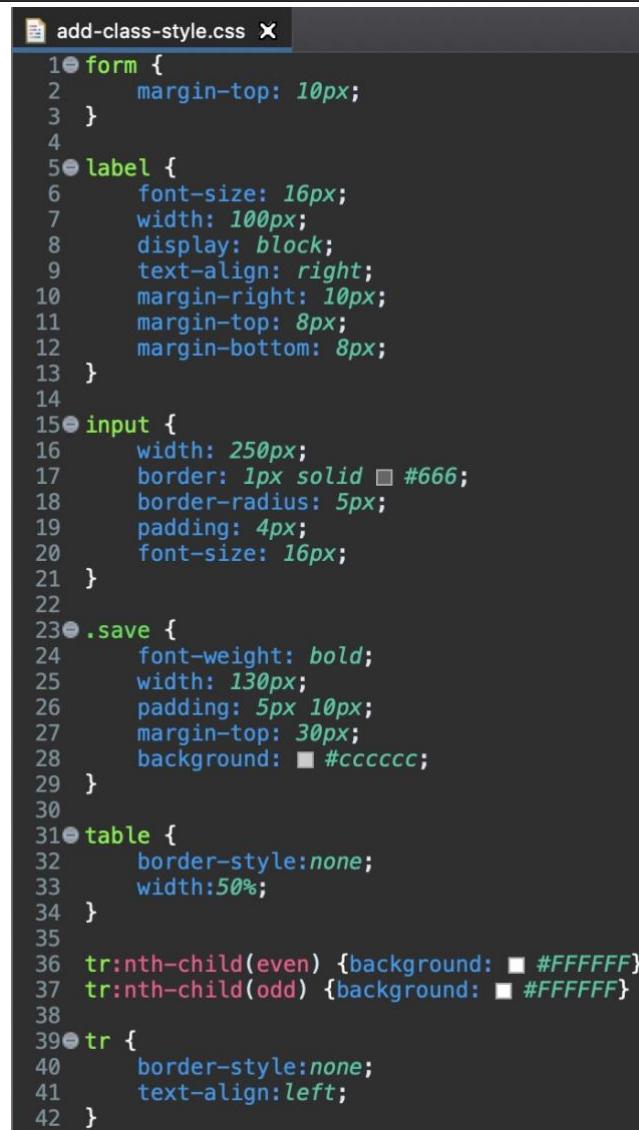
```

style.css X
1@ html, body{
2    margin-left:15px; margin-right:15px;
3    padding:0px;
4    font-family:Verdana, Arial, Helvetica, sans-serif;
5 }
6
7@ table {
8    border-collapse:collapse;
9    border-bottom:1px solid ■ gray;
10   font-family: Tahoma, Verdana, Segoe, sans-serif;
11   width:72%;
12 }
13
14
15@ th {
16   border-bottom:1px solid ■ gray;
17   background:none repeat scroll 0 0 □ #810C09;
18   padding:10px;
19   color: ■ #FFFFFF;
20 }
21
22@ tr {
23   border-top:1px solid ■ gray;
24   text-align:center;

```

```

25 }
26
27 tr:nth-child(even) {background: ■ #FFFFFF}
28 tr:nth-child(odd) {background: ■ #BBBBBB}
29
30 #wrapper {width: 100%; margin-top: 0px; }
31 #header {width: 72%; background: □ #810C09; margin-top: 0px; padding: 15px 0px 15px 0px; }
32 #header h2 {width: 100%; margin: auto; color: ■ #FFFFFF; }
33 #container {width: 100%; margin: auto; }
34 #container h3 {color: □ #0000; }
35 #container #content {margin-top: 20px; }
36
37● .add-class-button {
38     border: 1px solid □ #666;
39     border-radius: 5px;
40     padding: 4px;
41     font-size: 12px;
42     font-weight: bold;
43     width: 120px;
44     padding: 5px 10px;
45
46     margin-bottom: 15px;
47     background: ■ #cccccc;
48 }
```



```

1● form {
2     margin-top: 10px;
3 }
4
5● label {
6     font-size: 16px;
7     width: 100px;
8     display: block;
9     text-align: right;
10    margin-right: 10px;
11    margin-top: 8px;
12    margin-bottom: 8px;
13 }
14
15● input {
16     width: 250px;
17     border: 1px solid □ #666;
18     border-radius: 5px;
19     padding: 4px;
20     font-size: 16px;
21 }
22
23● .save {
24     font-weight: bold;
25     width: 130px;
26     padding: 5px 10px;
27     margin-top: 30px;
28     background: ■ #cccccc;
29 }
30
31● table {
32     border-style:none;
33     width:50%;
34 }
35
36 tr:nth-child(even) {background: ■ #FFFFFF}
37 tr:nth-child(odd) {background: ■ #FFFFFF}
38
39● tr {
40     border-style:none;
41     text-align:left;
42 }
```

Word Count: 1074

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