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Case Study

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The data model of CourseReg is depicted in the entity relationship diagram (ERD) provided in the attachment. Study the ERD carefully and answer the following questions.

Questions

The backend of CourseReg will be created using Express.js using Sequelize as the object relational mapping framework and SQLite as the underlying relational database.

- a)** Suppose you define the required Sequelize models and associations among the models, then apply the forward engineering approach. State the number of database tables that will be generated and explain the role of each table. **(4 marks)**
- b)** Define the Sequelize model for the Course entity using either the `sequelize.define` or `Model.init` approach. Infer the appropriate data type for each attribute. **(4 marks)**
- c)** Define the Sequelize model for the CourseOffering entity using either the `sequelize.define` or `Model.init` approach. Infer the appropriate data type for each attribute. **(4 marks)**
- d)** Define the Requires and Mounted relationships using the appropriate Sequelize associations assuming that both relationships are bidirectional. **(4 marks)**
- e)** State whether it is possible to define the `finalGrade` relationship attribute in Sequelize. If yes, explain how this can be done in Sequelize. If no, explain how you would go about changing the data model so that `finalGrade` can be defined in Sequelize. **(4 marks)**

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The app.js file of the Express.js application is also provided in the attachment.

Study the attachment carefully and answer the following questions.

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a) Define a GET endpoint at the /course path to enable user to retrieve a list of courses for browsing on a frontend web application. The endpoint should accept a courseCode query string parameter, which is optional. If the courseCode parameter is omitted, the endpoint should return all courses in the database. If the courseCode parameter is provided, the endpoint should return only courses whose courseCode contains the parameter value, e.g., if the parameter value is 'CS', only courses whose courseCode contains 'CS' should be returned, e.g., 'CS1001'. **(8 marks)**

b) The endpoint that you have just defined in **(b)** is actually not very useful for aiding students in the course registration process. Explain why and describe how you would modify the endpoint in **(b)** or create a new endpoint to better support students in the course registration process. You are **NOT** required to implement the revised or new endpoint. **(4 marks)**

c) Define a PUT endpoint at the /registration path to enable user to register for one or more course offerings in the current academic year and semester using a frontend web application. The endpoint should accept the studentNumber and a list of courseOfferingIds, and register the student accordingly. **(8 marks)**

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The frontend of CourseReg will be created using React. Recall that React uses a component-based architecture. A React web application consists of multiple page-level components, which themselves can be composed of other components in a hierarchical tree-like structure.

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Questions

- a)** Create a React component representing an input form that allows user to select the required academic year and semester. Academic year is from "AY 2024/2025" to "AY 2026/2027" and semester is either "Semester 1" or "Semester 2". The component should use appropriate HTML input controls and be able to retain the state of the user's selection. **(5 marks)**
- b)** Create a React component representing a data table that displays the list of course offerings that are available for a particular academic year and semester for user to select. The data table should be formatted as a HTML table and display courseOfferingId, courseId, courseTitle, academicYear and semester. The component should use Axios to retrieve the required data from the Express.js backend at an appropriate path with an appropriate HTTP method and with the appropriate parameter(s). **(7 marks)**
- c)** Create a React page-level component representing a web user interface for user to register for course offerings. The user needs to select the required academic year and semester, and then select one or more available course offerings. This page-level component must use the components created in **(a)** and **(b)**, and must use an appropriate mechanism to synchronise the states among the components. The page-level component should use Axios to send the required data to the Express.js backend at an

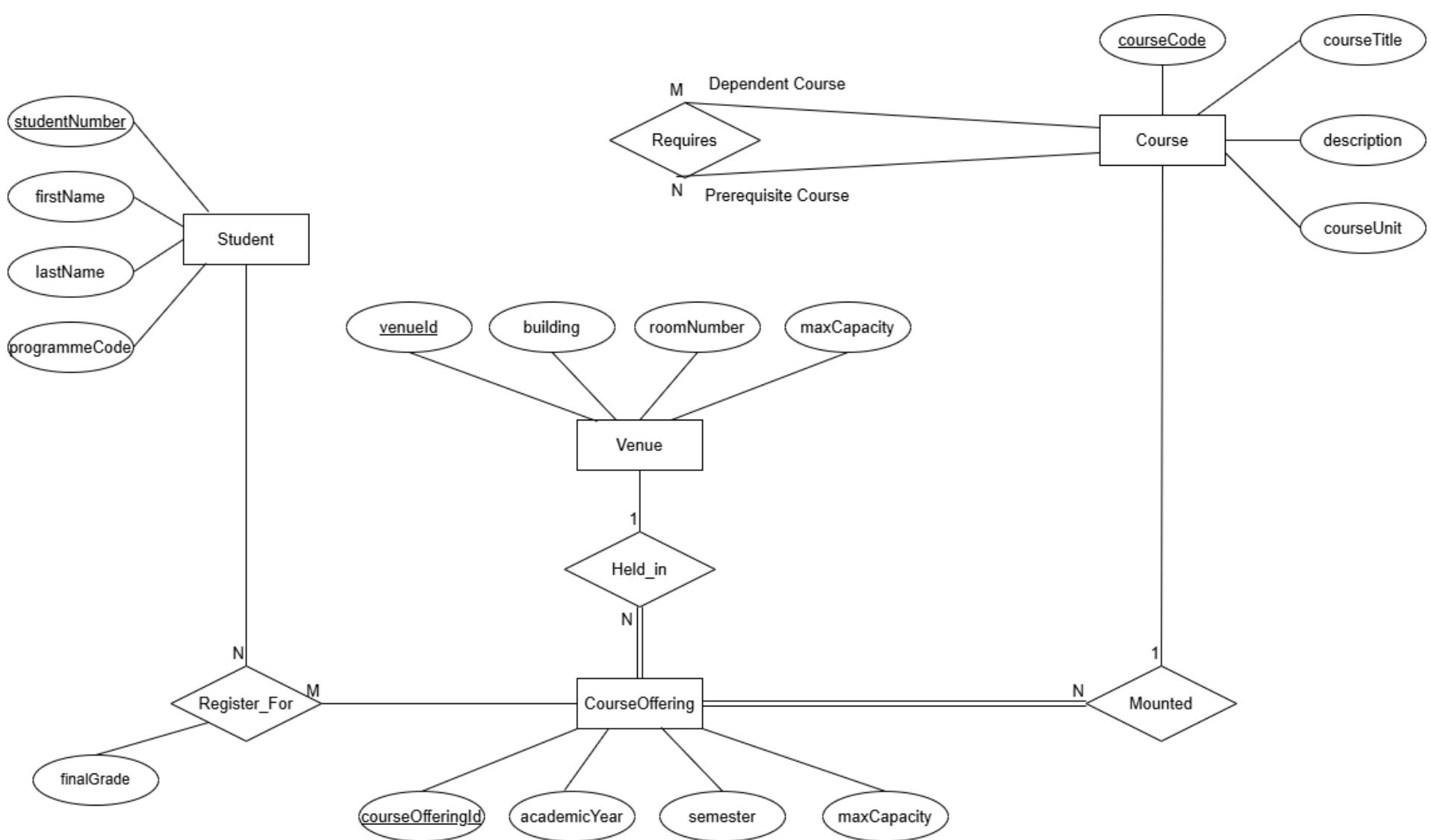
appropriate path with an appropriate HTTP method and with the appropriate parameter(s) or request body to complete the course offering registration. **(8 marks)**

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ER Diagram for Online Course Registration System

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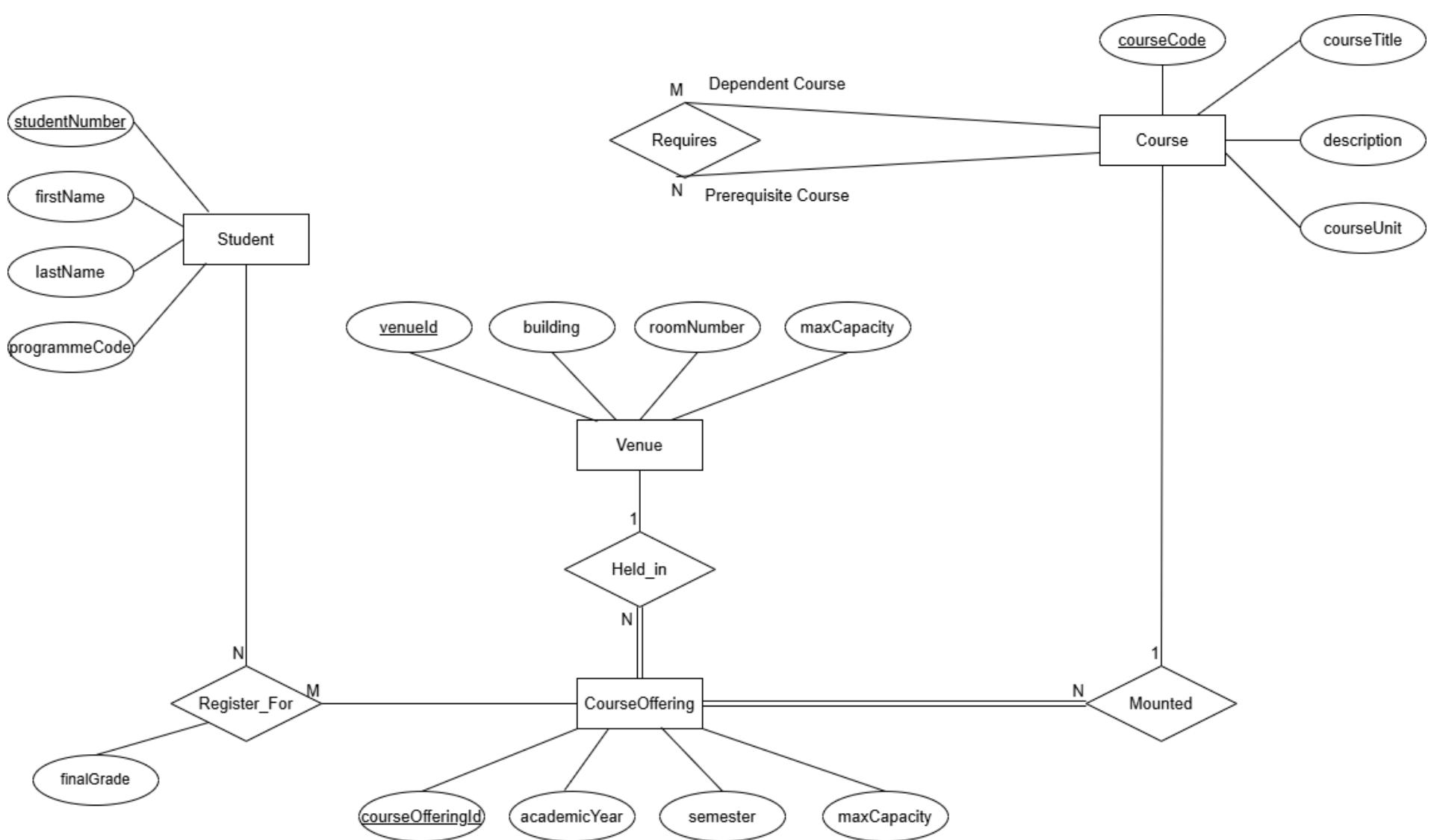
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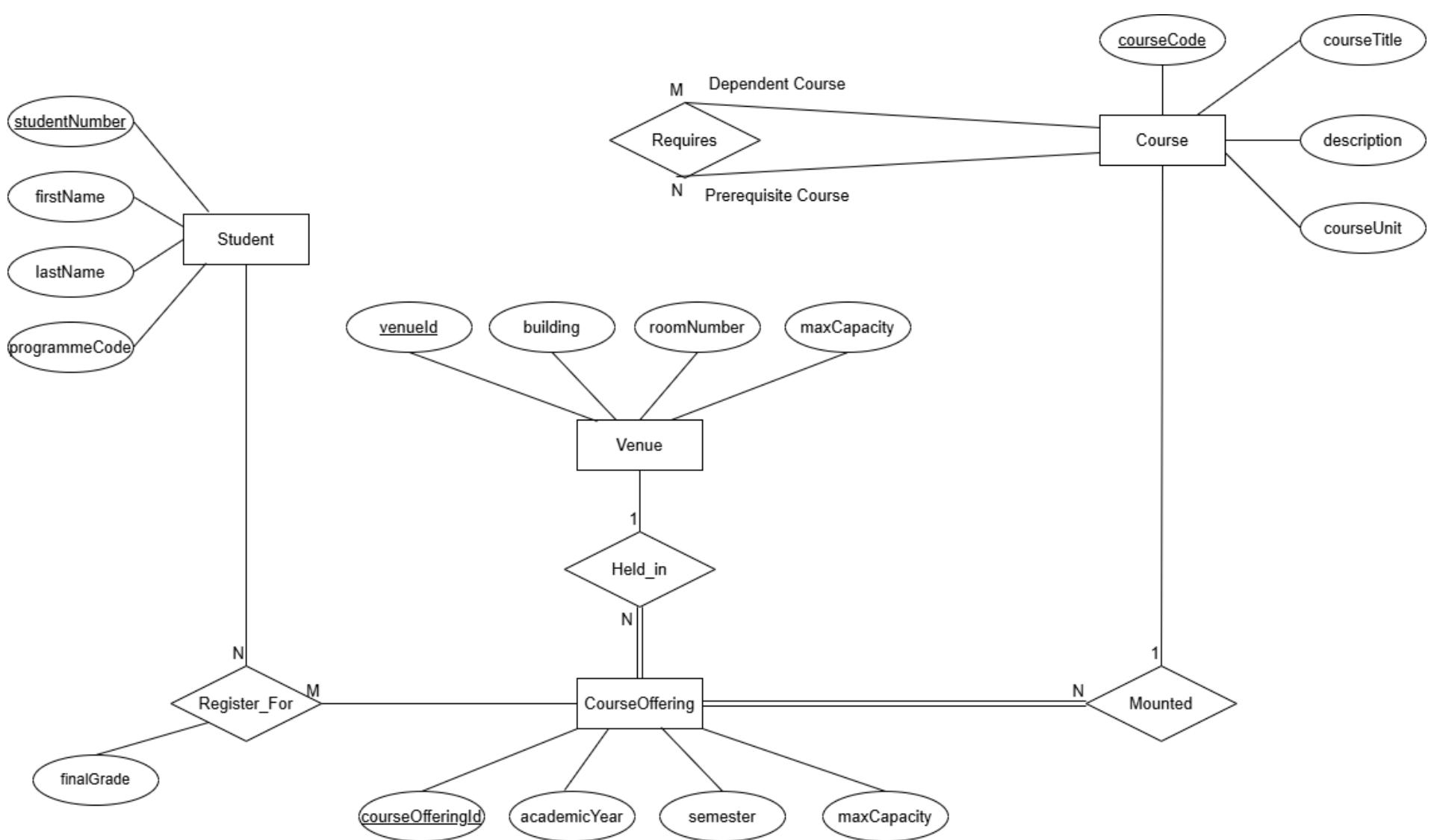
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