## **Assignment 2 Summary**

This assignment was very interesting. I learned how to make more complicated neural nets, more specifically, convolutional neural networks. I also learned how to do regularization, create deeper neural nets, and how to use different activation functions other than ReLU. I feel like I better understand the structure of neural nets and how to create them— You have to create a class for the neural net you're making, creating your desired number of layers, linear functions, activation function, dropout layers, etc., and also create a function called forward that utilizes the layers/functions you created before it, passing in x and returning x after passing it through all the layers/functions.

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[21] # Evaluation
evaluate_model(model_step_3, testloader, is_test=True)

Test set: Average loss: 2.0954, Accuracy: 3635/10000 (36%)
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[23] # Evaluation
evaluate_model(model_step_5, testloader, is_test=True)

Test set: Average loss: 2.0932, Accuracy: 3654/10000 (37%)
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[25] # Evaluation
evaluate_model(model_step_6, testloader, is_test=True)

Test set: Average loss: 2.1548, Accuracy: 3132/10000 (31%)
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