■ CampusLearn Platform – REST API Documentation

■ Base URL

Development: https://localhost:7000/api/ Alternative: http://localhost:5000/api/

■ Resources

Currently, the API exposes the following resource:

- Courses → /courses

■ Endpoints

1. Get All Courses

URL: /courses Method: GET

Description: Returns a list of all available courses.

Response Example:

[{"id":1, "name":"Intro to Programming", "instructor": "Alice"}, {"id":2, "name": "Data Structures", "instructor": "Bob"}]

2. Get Course by ID

URL: /courses/{id} Method: GET

Description: Returns details of a single course by its ID.

Response Example:

{"id":1, "name": "Intro to Programming", "instructor": "Alice"}

Error Example (404 – Not Found):

{"status":404,"message":"Course not found"}

3. Create a New Course

URL: /courses Method: POST

Description: Adds a new course to the platform.

Request Body Example:

{"name":"Web Development","instructor":"Charlie"}

Response Example (201 – Created):

{"id":3,"name":"Web Development","instructor":"Charlie"}

■ Status Codes

200 OK	Request successful
201 Created	New resource created
404 Not Found	Requested resource not found

■ Authentication

Currently no authentication required (open API). Future plans: JWT-based authentication for users/instructors.

■ Example Usage (Frontend JS)

```
async function loadCourses() {
let response = await fetch("https://localhost:7000/api/courses");
let courses = await response.json();
console.log(courses);
}
```