

Our estimate of hours is 250 hours. This number was reached by taking into account how many meetings we plan to have, then estimating the coding hours, and the time to write the documentation. For meetings we plan to have five meetings over the course of the two weeks at least. Each meeting lasts about an hour or two. If we take the average of that of 1.5 hours five times is 7.5 hours for each person gives us 37.5 hours total so far. Then for coding hours we assume that we will have very coding intensive days the closer to the due date. Where the two main programmers planning to do about 10 hours the last three days giving us 60 hours. That added to the 37.5 gives us 97.5 hours so far. The number of 10 hours come from rough estimates of hours from the past two projects. The other three team members will be helping with last minute programming, documentation, and essays. For all three doing about 15 for the last few days gives us another 45 hours. Therefore our current total is 142.5. The remaining 100 hours comes from all five of us doing on average about 20 hours of work before things really get busy. That was based off of our past two projects and how long those took. As we expect this project to have about the same amount of classes and lines of code.