👯 Pairing Session template

Source: https://github.com/makersacademy/course/blob/main/pills/remote-pairing.md

- Before

☐ Direct message your pair in Slack

☐ Agree a start time

☐ Agree who will create the Zoom meeting

- Kick off

☐ Meet in Zoom

☐ Check your audio quality

☐ Emotional check-in

☐ Agree when you'll take breaks

☐ Agree on a high-level goal out loud

☐ Break your goal down into a handful of tasks

☐ Decide your driver/navigator swapping strategy

☐ Eliminate distractions

☐ Agree on how often you'll stop to give each other constructive feedback (for example, you could agree to do this after every half hour or hour of pairing)

- Pair

☐ Switch driver/navigator regularly

☐ Take breaks

☐ Message your pair in Slack if you get disconnected

☐ Be specific, reference what line of code you are talking about by using its line number

- Wrap up

☐ Reflect on your pairing session, give your partner an appreciation and any last nuggets of feedback.

Feedback: