

We had a fun time working on this MVP! It was cool bringing the project from idea to working prototype, and our team got to learn useful frameworks like Angular and Materialize along the way.

Areas in which we did well:

We did a good job getting our assigned tasks done. By specifying clearly how the frontend and backend worked together, we were able to start work on both in parallel towards each other. The model schema and frontend templates were written at the same time, and as the API routes got written the client code for making the calls was written as well.

Areas in which we could do better:

We definitely should have started earlier on the project, since we ended up rushing a lot and not spending enough time discussing implementation decisions.

In the future, we will strive to set stricter deadlines to help ourselves pace the implementation process better.

Kimberli's Reviews

- **Akshay:** Kimberli has done wonderful work so far — she implemented most of the API, documented it very well, and helped patch up issues in the frontend. She makes sure all the code is clean and organized. One suggestion is that when editing other people's code, she could provide more rationale behind her modifications so that the person understands how to avoid these problems in the future.
- **Kim:** I've had fun with the project so far, and I hope I've been making useful contributions to the team. I felt like I wasn't doing my best at discussing decisions with the team while working under pressure, and moving forward I'd definitely like to slow down and work less independently on the team.
- **Alex:** Kimberli has done a great job. She keeps our team focused on our tasks. She reminds us to write clean, structured code with consistent style and to use good coding practices. She has also clearly documented the API and implemented it. One suggestion is that while she is good at catching potential issues, she could explain her thought process so that everyone can understand the problem and help fix it.
- **Vahid:** Kimberli did a great job with building the backend and gave good tips on details of the frontend. She had really good work ethic especially leading up to the deadline. She also did an excellent job filling the README with API specifications, which was really helpful throughout connecting the different portions of the project. One tip for her to work on is communicating what has and hasn't been implemented and maybe working side by side with someone using her code (because she has written so much interface-layer code).

Alex's Reviews

- **Akshay:** Alex, being the only one on the team without prior web development experience, has been very diligent in learning the necessary frameworks to complete the MVP. He's done a really great job being detailed-oriented in reviewing code, taking notes, and making sure deadlines are met. One suggestion is that he steps out of his comfort zone and experiments with these new technologies more, as opposed to focusing on pure JavaScript.
- **Kim:** Alex did a great job defining the model schema and setting up model methods to use for our API calls. He's probably our most responsible team member and is very on top of his stuff. Development-wise, he's expressed interest in working on front-end components and I'd like to see him branch out and try out using different libraries.
- **Alex:** I have really enjoyed working on the project and seeing all the components come together. It's been really great to go through the process from designing and coding to testing and code reviewing. I am gaining experience and learning new frameworks, and I hope to do more of that as the project continues.
- **Vahid:** Alex laid the foundation of the database and the backend by writing the data models. I think as a group we've really benefited from Alex's focus on getting things done and keeping us on track. I think his interest in learning about what other people are working on has brought us together. One thing to work on is maybe claiming tasks and working on them from start to finish.

Vahid's Reviews

- **Akshay:** Vahid has been very helpful so far, especially in providing constructive criticisms about the concept and design of the project. He also set up the web stack and wrote a large portion of the front-end. One suggestion is that he makes it more clear to the team what he's working on at any given time, as it was sometimes hard to follow.
- **Kim:** Vahid is a very useful team member and has a lot of general knowledge in development and deployment. He's a good person to ask questions to, and he's been great with managing our dev setup (I like gulp!) and giving thorough explanations in implementation discussions. He could be more communicative in general and take a more active role in implementing things.
- **Alex:** Vahid has done great work. He set up the stack and helped a lot with the front-end and deployment of the app. He helps our team think about implementation decisions and also has great insight into the design of the UI to improve UX. One suggestion is that he speaks up a little bit more, since the team could really benefit from his good ideas.
- **Vahid:** I'm really happy with how the MVP turned out. I was really glad to see the whole team's work coming together especially at the end when it was functional from end to end. I'm excited to continue working on the project to move it to a polished final product. I think I can work on being more efficient in general as well as defining what I want to work on beforehand and executing as planned. Also I should help review other people's code as well.

Akshay's Reviews

- **Akshay:** I have really enjoyed working on this project so far; it's been great experimenting with the idea and working with new frameworks. One problem I need to fix is that I sometimes push sloppy code because when I code individually, I usually take the (not so great) mindset of cleaning up my code once it's complete. As the project continues, I will make sure my code follows the right style conventions before pushing it to the repo. I also pledge never to put an `ng-model` on a button ever again.
- **Kim:** Akshay can be very obsessive about the product, and he's been great at researching and figuring out the best way to implement features we'd like to add to our project. He thinks about ways to improve our project in his free time, and he's contributed a lot to our front-end functionality. Going forward, I think he could improve on his code style and make his code more readable and easier to understand.
- **Alex:** Akshay has been very helpful. He has worked on a lot of the front-end, and has done a great job implementing some of the more challenging/interesting features of the app. He is good at sharing his technical knowledge; he helped me get started with Angular and Materialize! One suggestion is that he could be a little bit more consistent with code style.
- **Vahid:** Akshay has been really helpful in pushing for certain features of the project that I personally find hard to do. I think his passionate contribution has really enriched the project and got us all excited to work on it as well. He is also very good at catching mistakes and making useful suggestions on other people's code. I think he can improve on code consistency and also maybe push to the repo more often to avoid merge conflicts (although this is also sometimes an issue with our code structure).