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SoftDev

P02 -- Design Doc

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Time spent: 60 Minutes

Project Description: *Moran's Maps: An Interactive Map of Stuyvesant*

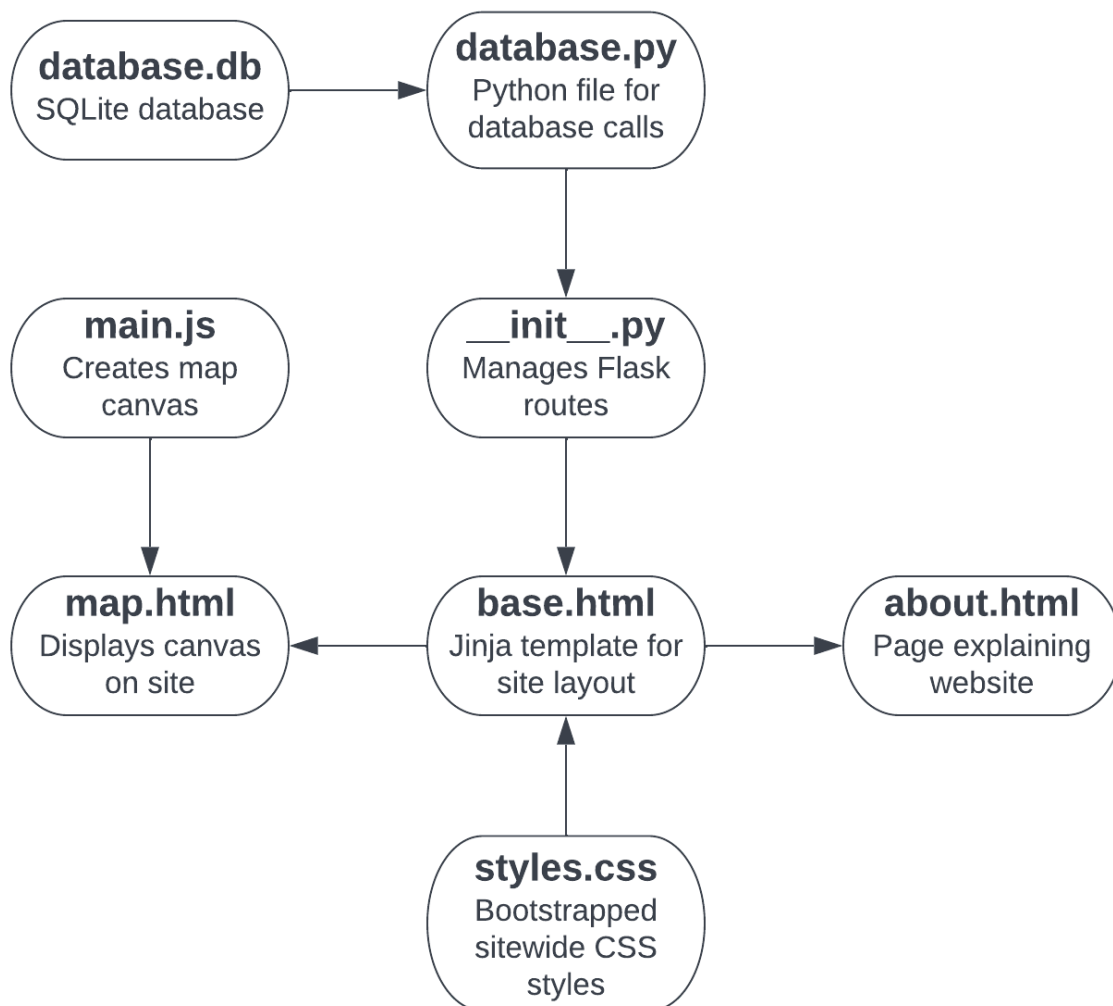
Users will have access to floor plans of the school for all floors, and they can click on various rooms to get information about those rooms. Non-classrooms will be labeled (e.g. college office), and all rooms will have the room number available to view.

Project Components

- Floor plans
 - Currently have floor plans for every floor except for 8 and 10
 - 8 and 10: rough layouts based on other floor plans and data gathering
- Draw polygons around rooms in canvas as accurately as possible
 - Store vertex coordinate information in database
 - Use those stored coordinates to draw the rooms in the canvas when you select a floor
- Hover over a polygon: display information of that room
 - Detecting if mouse is in polygon:
<https://medium.com/javascript-fanboi/2021-044-detecting-mouse-hover-over-irregular-shapes-bc9db265ff7d> (A relatively simple algorithm that works by drawing a straight line from a mouse and selects correct room based on the number of times walls from different rooms are crossed)
- Information about classrooms
 - Main rooms (college office, music rooms, etc.)
 - Other information
 - Contact Info (if it's an office)
 - We will initially collect data in a collaborative Google Spreadsheet
 - Everyone will be able to insert data they have found
 - The data everyone will be collecting will be assigned before so (Ex: Emma collects data for floors 1,2, and 3)
 - Spreadsheet will eventually be downloaded as a .csv file and will be fed into a sqlite table
 - Potential list of other information that can be displayed for classrooms (Will be formally decided after we implement basic functionality)
 - Which rooms have computers, smartboards, chalk boards, etc. (Likely)
 - Teachers that teach there (Maybe)
 - Clubs that usually take those rooms (Unlikely)
 - Room Type (English, math, etc.) (Likely)
 - Ways that we could potentially gather information
 - Looking through Talos (Maybe)

- Surveying classrooms (Likely)
- Taking pictures (Unlikely)
- Broad information about floors
 - Subject of floor
 - Major rooms (gyms, cafeteria, etc.)
- Search for rooms (EXTRA)
 - Allow user to look up rooms by room number -> display correct floor map and highlight room

Component Map



Database Organization

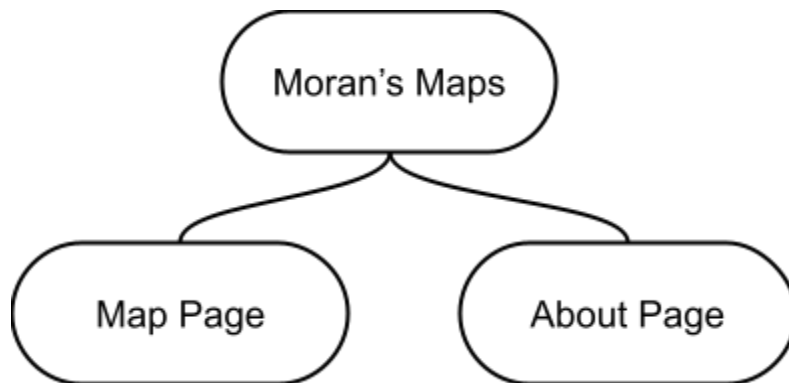
Room table

<i>Columns</i>	Floor	Room	Room name	Coordinates (JSON)	Room info (JSON)
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		number			
<i>Example</i>	1	101	Classroom	{0: '0, 0'}	{'resources': ['smartboard', 'chalkboard']}
	1	125	Choral Room	{0: '200,200'}	{'teachers': ['Shamazov']}

Coordinates and room info will be stored as JSON strings and will be parsed with `json.loads()`. For example, to find the coordinates of a given room, we can use our coordinate finding tool to select vertices and then use a form to send the information to our Python backend and store it in the database. When we're ready to display a room, we can read from our database, generate a JSON string with the required information, and pass the JSON string forward in a template.

Front-end Sitemap



Welcome to Moran's Maps!

A detailed floor plan of a school building. The plan shows various rooms including a large auditorium with a stage, a gymnasium, a cafeteria, and several classrooms. The Choral Room is highlighted in pink and is located near the center of the building. Other rooms labeled include: Stage & Media, Stage, Music, Classroom, Electrical, Office, Cafeteria, Choral Room, Gym, and various smaller rooms like Restroom, Tech, Music Class, and Office.

Choral Room
125
Room Type
Room
Resources
:
:
:

1
2
3
:
:
:
8
9
10

Note: we're generating our own map with canvas elements based on the floor plans we have—the floor plans themselves won't be visible.

Tasks

- Map making
 - Get coordinates for all rooms on all floors
 - Make maps for 8th and 10th floors
 - Get information for each room
 - Prioritize room name (for non-classrooms) and number
 - Make all of the maps look more appealing (If we have time)
- Database
 - Room information database
 - Collecting data for database
 - Displaying that Information
- HTML
 - Jinja templates for the pages
 - Needs to contain information to be passed to JavaScript
- CSS
 - Bootstrap formatting
 - Create mobile/small-screen-friendly format
- JS
 - Detect room click → display room info
 - Display different floors based on button click
 - Display the specified floor map
 - Get information from database
- Python/Flask
 - Create routes for different pages

- Connect database to website

Why Bootstrap

Bootstrap provides comprehensive options for styling with simple classes that all members of our group have experience with.

Roles

Everyone: Information Gathering

Emma: PM, HTML, CSS

Tami: Database

Chris: Javascript

Owen: Python/Flask, Javascript

Ship Date

2022-03-22