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Add the following method to the interface StudentDao

```
void add(Student student)
```

Implement this method in the class StudentDaoImpl

```
@override
public void add(Student student) {
    long id = students.keySet().stream().count();
    id++;
    student.setId(id);
    students.put(id, student);
}
```

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Add the following method to the interface StudentService

```
void add(Student student)
```

Implement this method in the class StudentServiceImpl

```
@Override
public void add(Student student) {
    if(student.getFirstName() != null && student.getSurname() != null
        && student.getDept() != null) {
        studentDao.add(student);
    }
}
```

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- We will now create an endpoint tied to an Http POST
- In the class StudentController create a new method as below;

```
public ResponseEntity<String> addStudent(Student student) {
    studentService.add(student);
    if(student.getId() > 0) {
        URI add Student = URI.create("/college/student/" + student.getId());
        return ResponseEntity.accepted().location(uri).build();
    } else {
        return ResponseEntity.badRequest().build();
    }
}
```

- As you can see, we account for both a positive and negative response
- Annotate the method with @PostMapping, tied to the url of the class itself (no concatentation) and the methods student argument with @RequestBody