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| **Meeting Date** | **Meeting Time** | **Location** | **Attendees** |
| July 27, 2017 | 12-2:30 | 3415, 74th street court, Moline | Sophia, Shobini, FLL Team “The Polka Bots” |

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| **Summary:** Our goal for this meeting was to cover every aspect of the FLL experience. Throughout the first part of the meeting, we talked about the theme, and the importance of core values. We did this by showing videos and sharing our previous team experiences. Next, we covered some of our best experiences and shared advice on how to be successful during the season. Then, we went into detail on the EV3 brick, including the ports, sensors, and motors. We had the girls turn the brick on and off, and we taught them what each button does. We spent the last hour demonstrating what each and every block does, and in what circumstance might they potentially use them. Lastly, we closed off by doing a question and answer session. |

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| **Tasks** | **Reflections** |
| * **Look Through the FIRST website to get details on the theme.** | * As a group, we skimmed through the FIRST Lego League website as a source to get details on the 2017-2018 theme HYDRODYNAMICS |
| * **Experiment with the EV3 software** | * We showed the theme the EV3 software as an introduction to programming. We had them experiment and infer what every block’s role is. |
| * **Review all the blocks and what they do** | * We went through every block’s role in the EV3 software, and used examples of how and when they would use the blocks during programming. |
| * **Review the EV3 brick (ports, sensors, motors)** | * We covered the full EV3 brick, which the girls had previous experience with from their JR. FLL camps. |
| * **Review core values and project through videos and websites** | * We showed a series of videos courtesy of the FLL website. This helped the girls understand the importance of core values, and gracious professionalism. In addition, we also showed the 2017-2018 HYDRODYNAMICS season teaser video and examples of previous years’ presentations. |

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| **Details:** Prior to this meeting, we had met up a few times to practice teaching and figure out the curriculum. We used an online powerpoint curriculum from EV3lessons.com, but modified it to our liking. We also handed out brochures that we had made in advance which covered everything we had exhibited throughout the meeting. With us, we brought an FLL kit to give the girls a more hands-on experience. Before the meeting came to a finish, we assigned homework, which was just a brief overview of what we had covered. After the meeting, Sophia and I reflected on what could have gone better, and the lessons for the next meeting. |

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