## Goals

- What are the goals of the team?
  - The goal of the team is to work and communicate effectively to get the assignment completed
- What are your personal goals for this assignment?
  - Personal goals for this assignment is to get better at working with a team on a software project
- What kind of obstacles might you encounter in reaching your goals?
  - Bugs in code, design decisions
- What happens if all of you decide you want to get an A grade, but because of time constraints, one person decides that a B will be acceptable?
  - We're all gonna try to get A's
- Is it acceptable for one or two team members to do more work than the others in order to get the team an A?
  - We think it's OK if this is an outcome but we will communicate with the other person about still putting effort into the project.

## **Meeting and Communication Norms**

- How will you use the in-class time?
  - Work on the project + decide on design choices
- How often do you think the team will need to meet outside of class? How long do you anticipate meetings will be?
  - o 3 times a week; 30 minutes
- Where and when will outside-class meetings be held?
  - At 450 Beacon Street
  - Night before check-ins and remotely
- How will you communicate outside of meetings? (Email list? Realtime messaging platform?)
  - Messenger Group (RMP)

## **Work Norms**

- How much time per week do you anticipate it will take to make the project successful?
  - o 6 hours per week?
- How will work be divided among team members? (Show how you filled in the Latin square from the project handout.)

|       | Parsing AST | Sound playback | Lyrics streaming |
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| Specs | Luis        | Daniel         | Jeff             |
| Tests | Daniel      | Jeff           | Luis             |
| Code  | Jeff        | Luis           | Daniel           |

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- Where will you record who is responsible for which tasks? (You will have more fine-grained tasks, and the Latin square is too coarse by itself.)
  - On a google doc + verbal communication + git
- How will deadlines be set?
  - o Deadlines will be set based on time constraints, availability of teammates, etc.
- What will happen if someone does not follow through on a commitment (e.g., missing a deadline, not showing up to meetings)?
  - Talk to them
- How will the work be reviewed?
  - Test cases + code review
- What will you do if one or more team members are not doing their share of the work?
  - Tell them to do it and understand why they're not doing the necessary work
- How will you deal with different work habits of individual team members (e.g., some people like to get assignments done as early as possible; others like to work under the pressure of a deadline)?
  - We work remotely so it shouldn't be a problem
  - Also we will change our work habits to fit the desired schedule

## **Decision Making**

- Do you need consensus (100% approval of all team members) before making a decision?
  - Not all the time, because this would slow down our progress. We will need
    100% consensus whenever we decide on large components of our project.
- What will you do if one of you fixates on a particular idea?
  - They discuss it with the team