February 4, 2025
1:00 pm - 1:57 pm
Attendees: Kacie, Harper, Viet
Current Team leader: Gabrielle Kuruvilla

Updates:
- booked time slot for 2:15 pm on Fridays
- made brainstorming document earlier in the week to jot down ideas

Meeting:
- we chose project option 1 - our own idea
- everyone leaning towards the expense tracking / budgeting app idea
  - 📄 Brainstorming
  - 📄 Design Document!
- Exceed or Girl Math - potential names
  - web application
- Kacie and Gabby - frontend
- Viet and Harper - backend
- Tech Stack:
  - frontend - react
  - backend - firebase, mongoDB?
  - deployment technologies -
- Project Management Tool - Github Projects

Overview of the project:
Our expense tracking and budgeting app empowers users to monitor their spending habits and assess whether they are meeting their financial goals. The app provides an intuitive interface for users to either manually input purchases or upload receipts.

Problem it solves:
Many budget apps are over-complicated and not easy to use. Our student-focused application will help people monitor their expenses while not having to worry about the taxes and investments aspect of finances. For those who don't have experience in budgeting, this application offers flexible components to make budgeting easier.

It's value:
Designed for simplicity and accessibility, this app provides users with the tools to develop better financial habits and gain control over their expenses.

To Do:
- Kacie: made github repo here
- Gabby: make elevator pitch slides; check in on 2/6 for progress report
  - ask should we submit our team meeting minutes to the coordinator, or just the 45 minute time slot meetings