Project Retrospective

**Points possible:** 50

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| Category | Criteria | % of Grade |
| Areas for Improvement | Student identified true areas for improvement as well as plans to make improvements a reality. | 25 |
| Areas of Accomplishment | Student accurately identifies areas that he/she succeeded in and outlines plans to continue the success. | 25 |
| Organization | Thoughts are concise and clear. | 25 |
| Critical Thinking | Student shows deep thought in the expressed ideas. | 25 |

**Instructions:** In the below areas, identify struggles you ran into as a team or as individuals and list them under Areas for Improvement. Tell how you plan to improve in these areas. Write a list of accomplishments under Areas of Accomplishment. Push this document to your GitHub repository for this week. Lastly, in the Learning Management System, click the “Add Submission” button and paste the URL to your GitHub repository.

**Areas for Improvement:**

I’ve been struggling quite a bit with the authentication part of my api during the tail end of things. I think it’s just something that I need to spend a lot more time studying and practicing, but it gave me a lot of trouble during this project.

**Areas of Accomplishment:**

I feel like I did well with the organization of my service/controller classes. The way I mapped everything makes sense and flows really well. It seems to function in the way I had initially intended for it to.

**What is your favorite thing you learned this week?**

When meeting with Shawn for a tutoring session, he explained really well how Postman requests should be mapped in your api so that it functions just as if someone is accessing them from the front end. This would be without having to type out the mapping of the requests, but rather thinking of the mapping as navigating through the api on the front end step by step.

**URL to GitHub Repository:**

https://github.com/lblanchard89/Final-Coding-Project