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**Coursework cover sheet**

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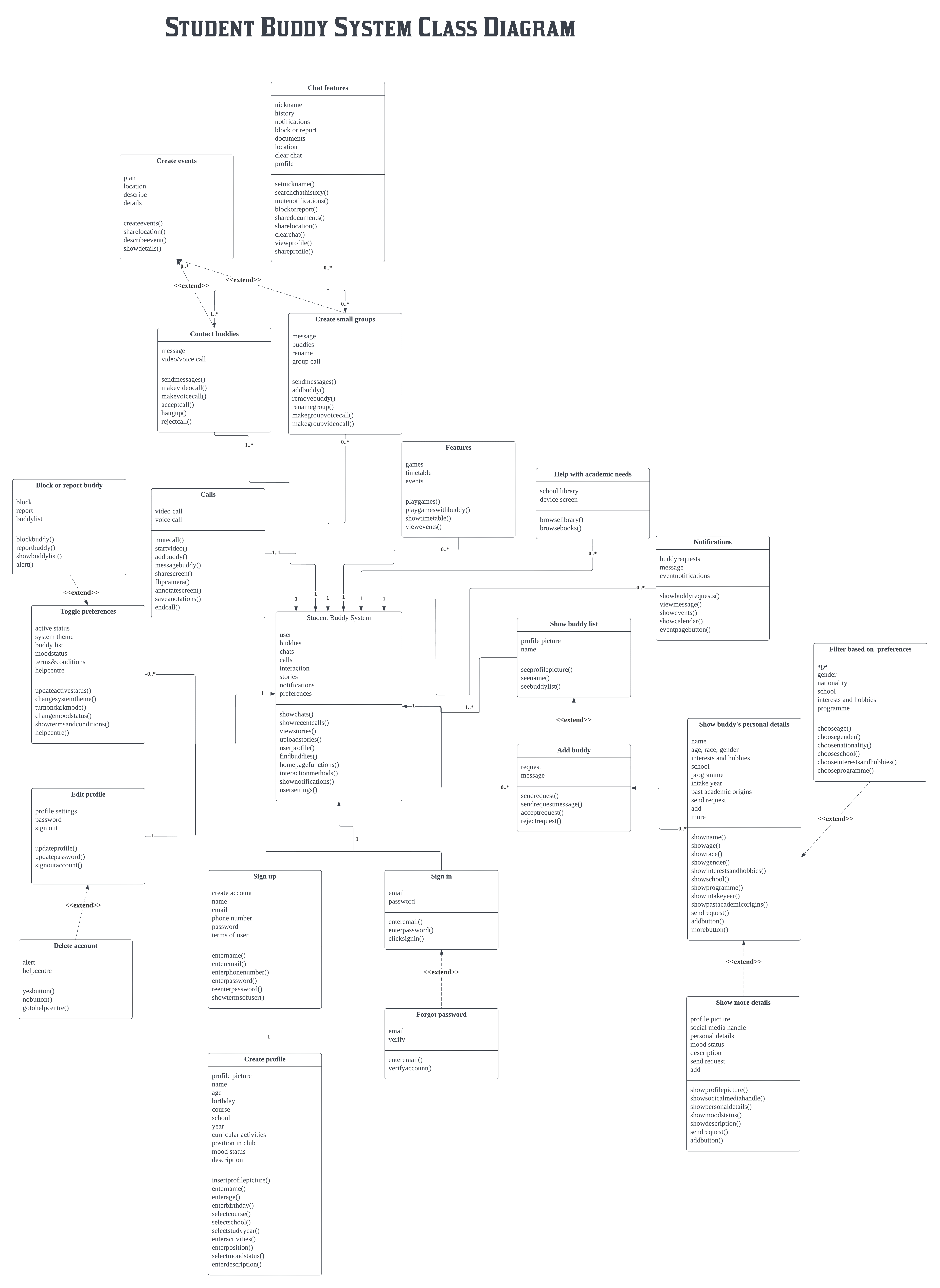
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**Section B - To be completed by the module leader**

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| Intended learning outcomes assessed by this work:  1. Understand and apply appropriate concepts, tools and techniques to each stage of the software development  2. Understand and apply design patterns to software components in developing new software  3. Demonstrate an understanding of project planning and working to agreed deadlines, along with professional, interpersonal skills and effective communication required for software production  5. Demonstrate an awareness of, and ability to apply, social, professional, legal and ethical standards as documented in relevant laws and professional codes of conduct such as that of the Malaysian National Computer Confederation. | | |
| Marking scheme | Max | Mark |
| 1. User Story Mapping 2. Setting up a GitHub Repository 3. Creating a Class diagram and design pattern selection 4. Creating a Prototype User Interface and Usability Testing 5. Discuss the ethical issue related to the software | 20  10  30  20  20 |  |
| Total | 100 |  |

Task 3- Class Diagram

# Class Diagram

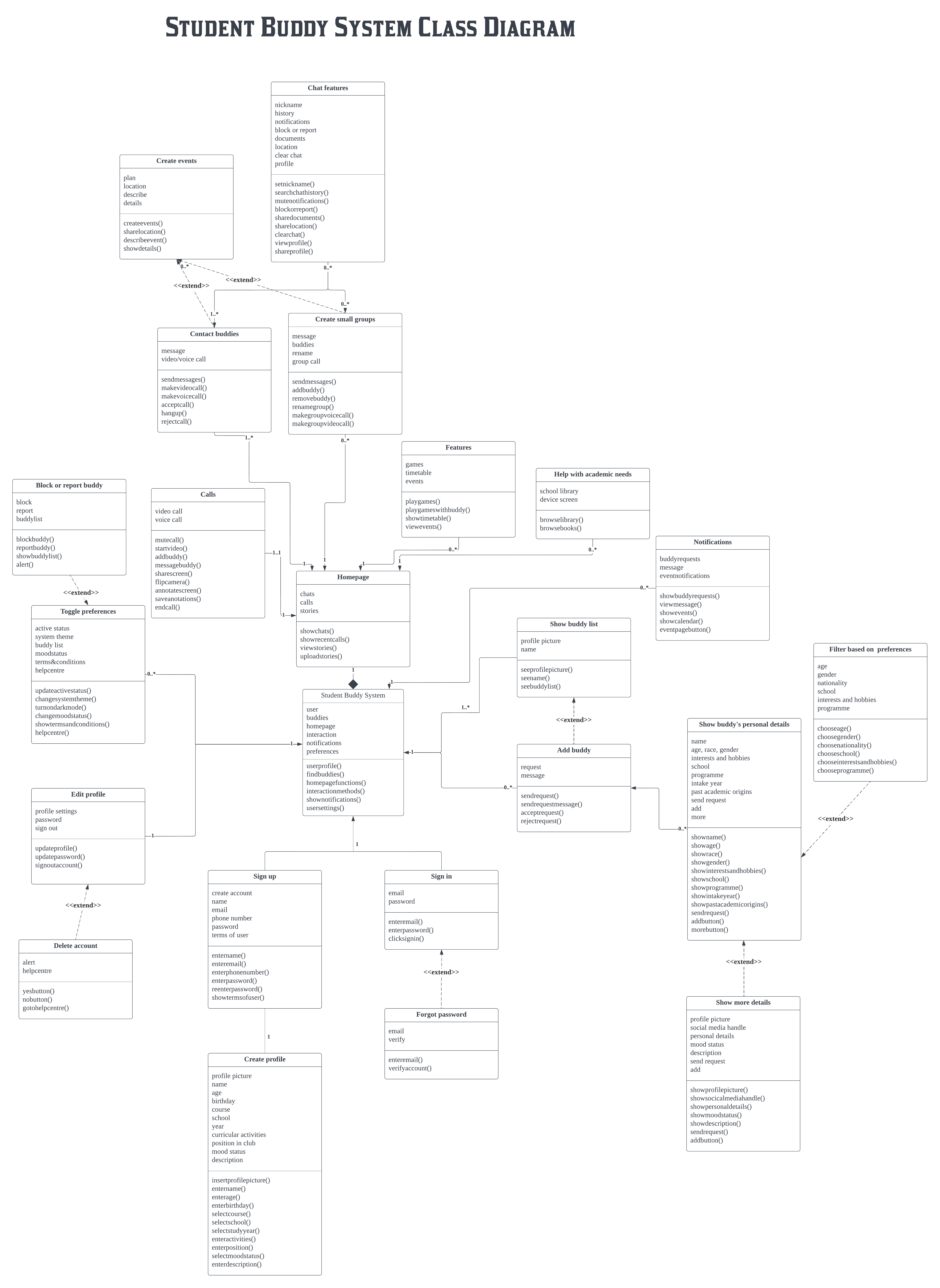


**Figure 1: Student Buddy System Class Diagram**

# Design pattern selection

A design pattern is a solution to some problems in software design. Design patterns are descriptions or templates on how to solve problems faced that can be used in different situations when developing software. There are three types of design patterns, mainly creational, structural and behavioral design patterns. Creational design patterns create objects in a manner that is suitable to the situation. Structural design patterns identify an easy way to visualize relationships between entities. Finally, behavioral design patterns classify the common communication patterns between objects to increase the flexibility in carrying out the communication.

The design pattern chosen to be implemented in the class diagram is the command pattern from the behavioral design patterns. Command pattern is useful because it separates the object that calls on the operation from the object that executes the operation. It also makes it easy for users to add new commands while keeping the existing classes unchanged. This design pattern groups the requests that perform in a similar way into a concrete class of commands. The problem of the class diagram in Figure 1 is that there are multiple classes with similar commands connecting to the main class which is the Student Buddy System. By implementing the command pattern, the classes that function similarly like calls, chat features and stories will be grouped into a single class called the homepage class. By breaking the similar commands into layers, the software design looks much cleaner and organized. Figure 2 below shows the class diagram after inserting the command method into the class diagram.



**Figure 2: Part of Student Buddy System Class Diagram after Design Pattern implementation**