

MongoDB Project Assignment

- MERN Stack Preparation Project
 - E-Learning Platform Database Design
 - Mini Capstone Project

Project Objective

- Design MongoDB database for E-Learning platform
 - Prepare backend for MERN stack integration
 - Apply real-world schema design principles

Project Scenario

- Platform similar to Udemy
 - Manage Students & Instructors
 - Manage Courses, Lessons, Enrollments
 - Handle Reviews, Categories & Payments

Collections to Create

- users
 - courses
 - lessons
 - enrollments
 - reviews
 - categories
 - payments

Users Collection

- Fields: name, email, password
 - role: student | instructor
 - createdAt, isVerified
 - Email must be unique

Courses Collection

- title, description, price
 - instructorId (ref users)
 - categoryId (ref categories)
 - rating, totalStudents, level

Lessons Collection

- courseId (ref courses)
 - title, videoUrl
 - duration, order

Enrollments Collection

- studentId (ref users)
 - courseId (ref courses)
 - enrolledAt, paymentId

Reviews Collection

- courseId, studentId
 - rating (1–5)
 - comment, createdAt

Payments Collection

- studentId, amount
 - paymentStatus, transactionId
 - createdAt

Phase 2: CRUD Operations

- Insert sample data
 - Read complex queries
 - Update records
 - Delete operations

Aggregation Tasks

- Top 3 highest rated courses
 - Total revenue per course
 - Instructor-wise earnings
 - Monthly revenue report

Indexing & Optimization

- Index on email
 - Compound index on courseId & studentId
 - Use explain()
 - Compare performance

Validation & Security

- Use \$jsonSchema validation
 - Rating between 1 and 5
 - Default values
 - Unique constraints

Evaluation Criteria

- Schema Design – 20 Marks
 - CRUD – 20 Marks
 - Aggregation – 25 Marks
 - Indexing – 15 Marks
 - Validation – 10 Marks
 - Documentation – 10 Marks

Outcome

- Ready for MERN backend development
 - Strong MongoDB foundation
 - Real-world project experience