***Roles***

*It is sometimes useful to define roles for particular participants, such as Lead Developer, or Technical Designer, or User Interface Designer. It is also possible that roles are changed from week to week, depending on what needs to be done next. Have you defined any specific roles for your project? If so, describe and justify these. If not, describe your process and justify why there are no specific roles.*

Due to the depth of our application we are not at the stage of having specified roles as such. Each member has contributed to different aspects of our application which has allowed us to develop a plan for our project.

* Connor, Corbin and Vanessa focused on research and requirements regarding The SocialCare Chat application
* Ollie focused on team analysis
* Natalie focused on the designs for The SocialCare Chat website, as well as the app demo and video presentation
* Vanessa also focused on the final report and management of the team

We found that having this set up worked best for our team as there was still a lot of discovery and collaboration required. The team did this on topics throughout and managed to align their thoughts on the desired result and flesh out what we think will and won’t work.

Moving forward, based on strengths of each individuals, roles would appear to look something along the lines of this:

Designer – Natalie

* Natalie has a creative side and thoroughly enjoys the formatting and design aspect. Natalie will look to take on design requirements from the planning phase through to execution.

Developer – Corbin

* Corbin thoroughly enjoys coding and developing programs, he has picked it up quickly and aims to further his current knowledge quickly. Corbin will look to take on the development aspect of The SocialCare Chat.

IT Security and Cybersecurity – Connor

* Connor is very protective of his personal information and data, he already has an extensive understanding of the space. Connor will look to own the IT security and cybersecurity element.

Project management and data analysis – Vanessa

* Vanessa has experience in managing people and project phases, she is rather meticulous and likes to understand the numbers. Vanessa will look to take on the project planning, as well as collecting and analyzing data.

Marketing and testing – Ollie

* Ollie is also creative which is why he will look to take ownership of the marketing aspect. He will also be the one the run testing phases and ensure our application continues to test and run smoothly.