# Senior Capstonites: FSC Find A Spot



Final Project Documentation Report

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## **Problem Statement**

On the campus of Farmingdale State College, many students struggle to find parking closest to their classes. We believe this is a result of the limited parking spots within the campus as well as students lack of knowledge of parking availability. We want students at Farmingdale State College to find parking efficiently. Since the parking issue has caused many impediments for the students, the Senior Capstonites will develop an application that allows students to find parking on campus depending on the lot number selected.

## **Solution Statement**

FSC Find a Spot can help diminish the issue of finding parking. The application itself can help students around the campus to find parking spots in a more efficient manner. This makes the life of the students and the teachers easier. The reason being students will no longer have to arrive late to their classes, which makes teaching the classes easier. Also, this helps improve the parking system of the entire college, by providing parking availability to the students. The FSC: Find A Spot application is made to make the process of finding a parking spot in the heavily populated areas of the campus easily accessible to its students. With an easy to follow application, we ensure the students have a reserved spot throughout the day until they check out. The intended purpose is to relieve the stress of students, make the traffic within the campus exponentially decrease, and have a quick and reliable application that reduces time and efforts.

# <u>User Stories Backlog</u>

| U   | ser Story Feature  | User Story Feature<br>Responsibility | Sprint Number | Complete or<br>Incomplete |
|-----|--|--------------------------------------|---------------|---------------------------|
| 1.  | User can check in the reserved spot.   | Diana                                | Sprint 2      | Completed                 |
| 2.  | User can check out the reserved spot.  | Jasmine                              | Sprint 2      | Completed                 |
| 3.  | User can reserve their desired spot with the proper requirements.                      | Juan                                 | Sprint 2      | Completed                 |
| 4.  | Register On Homepage<br>(Enter Username &<br>Password)                                 | Nosheen                              | Sprint 2      | Completed                 |
| 5.  | User will only be able to<br>complete check-out<br>process with RAM ID<br>confirmation | Diana                                | Sprint 2      | Completed                 |
| 6.  | Hiding Password with<br>Asterisks (Security<br>Purposes)                               | Juan                                 | Sprint 2      | Completed                 |
| 7.  | FSC: Find A Spot will<br>show Available Parking<br>Spots                               | Nosheen                              | Sprint 2      | Completed                 |
| 8.  | If User Doesn't Exist in<br>Firebase (Error Message)                                   | Saad                                 | Sprint 2      | Completed                 |
| 9.  | User can choose their desired parking lot.   | Diana                                | Sprint 2      | Completed                 |
| 10. | User can choose their desired parking spot.  | Jasmine                              | Sprint 2      | Completed                 |
| 11. | Unlimited parking time in FSC: Find A Spot   | Nosheen                              | Sprint 2      | Completed                 |
| 12. | Wrong<br>Password/Username<br>Message (Error Message)                                  | Saad                                 | Sprint 3      | Completed                 |
| 13. | Reset Password Option<br>(Button Added)  | Juan                                 | Sprint 3      | Completed                 |
| 14. | Calendar Added to Check<br>In System (UI Purposes)                                     | Saad                                 | Sprint 3      | Completed                 |
| 15. | Farmingdale Email as<br>Username   | Jasmine                              | Sprint 3      | Completed                 |

## **Stretch Goals**

- Work with Farmingdale IT Department to have Campus Police post parking violations directly onto FSC: Find A Spot
- 2. Show parking violations for each student and if their parking permit has been renewed
- 3. Students would be able to pay for traffic violations and permits

# **Fantasy Goals**

- 1. Implement a Google Maps feature to help user to get to their reserved spot quicker and with less confusion
- 2. Expand Parking Application to other SUNY Campuses
- 3. Make a business out of FSC: Find A Spot

## Retrospectives

#### **Sprint 1 Retrospective:**

Over the course of creating the entirety of Sprint # 1 The Senior Capstonites embraced their new daily/bi-weekly assignments. After the initial demonstration of the Farmingdale State College Find A Spot application, we've tackled the UX/UI portions of the application thanks to Juan using Android Studio. Since the application was meant for students it's probably recommended that a small or mock-up database will be implemented for the application to run using the Ram ID. The user stories and such created by all team members and set up by Jasmine using Trello were also updated in terms of the Ideaboardz. During presentations I know myself and other members of the team may express nervousness and are shy to present sometimes. Throughout the Ideaboardz you can see the sense of build up throughout the sticky notes. A few of the most recent notes expressed our feelings and such over the course of the presentation, problem statement, context diagram with entities, user stories, functionalities, etc.

#### **Sprint 2 Retrospective:**

Over the course of creating the entirety of Sprint # 2 The Senior Capstonites embraced their new daily/bi-weekly assignments. After the informal demonstration of the Farmingdale State College Find A Spot application, we've described and showed the class in detail how the application is coming along. Since the application is still under the works in terms of the implementation, students and Professor Greenwald had a few suggestions to add to the UX/UI factor of the app to make it helpful for students along the way of using the application if it were to go live and be used on a daily basis for students at Farmingdale State College. The Requirements Analysis was updated by Jasmine while the Context Diagram and Data Flow Diagrams were updated by Saad. Since the beginning this team expressed their strengths and

weaknesses so we've gotten used to the fact that our duties for our application has become a routine. Nosheen did the ERD along with a description whilst Diana worked on the Database Schema its description and Sprint #2 Retrospective. We're excited to move forward with the application and its benefits it would bring to students at Farmingdale State College.

#### **Sprint 3 Retrospective:**

Over the course of creating the entirety of Sprint # 3 The Senior Capstonites embraced their new daily/bi-weekly assignments. For Sprint #3 Juan has implemented around 11 different User Stories to the FSC: Find A Spot application which required a lot of coding but he was able to get it done! For the Context Diagrams and Data Flow Diagrams Saad and Nosheen were able to update it to meet the comments left by Professor Greenwald to ensure that processes 1, 2 and 4 were implemented. Jasmine had updated any User Stories to guarantee that no repetitions amongst them. 15 User Stories must be added to the FSC: Find A Spot Android Application to get the highest grade possible and so far 11 of them are included so the remaining 4 will be added amongst the next couple of weeks. For the Entity Relationship Diagram and Database Schema nothing has been updated because no new entities have been added to the application since it already exists. As we wind down into Sprint #4 the Senior Capstonites will continue their journey into completing the application and any project documentation that is needed for the remaining of the semester.

#### **Sprint 4 Retrospective:**

Throughout the last few weeks the Senior Capstonites embraced their duties in order to complete Sprint #4. To start off we've ensured that we went over as a team how and when we should approach our User Stories throughout the Farmingdale State College: Find A Spot application. To target such actions Jasmine and Juan really came together to address the User

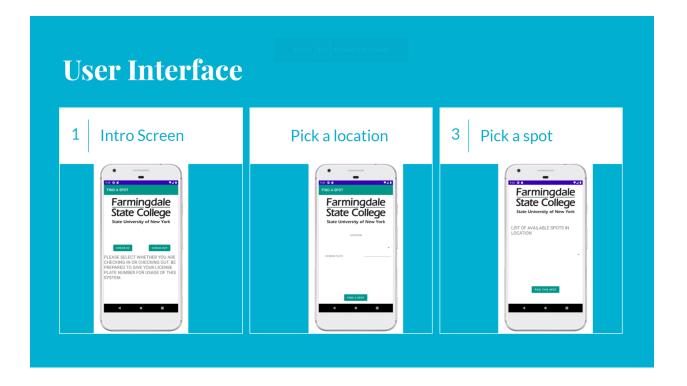
Stories and what would work best for the application we've started on Android Studio. We also needed to have the User Stories align with Firebase and the knowledge that Juan knows to have the application running as smoothly as possible. This week the presentation and application demo for Sprint #4 was the best presentation so far as a group. The Senior Capstonites went over everyone's duties and roles to make sure that the presentation was in good shape. Diana stepped up and was feeling less nervous now that the application has completed the User Story features. We're excited to see what's next to come throughout the next couple of weeks for FSC: Find A Spot.

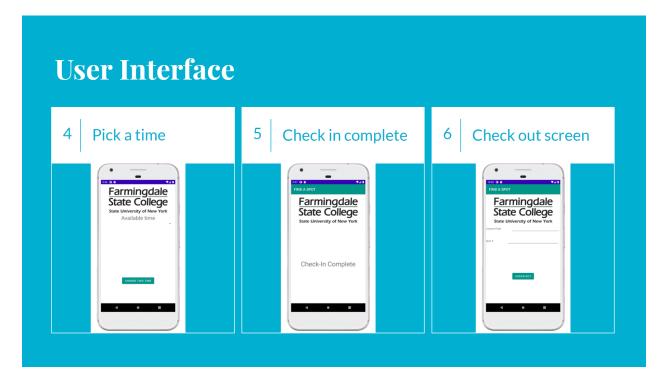
#### **Sprint 5 Retrospective:**

As we're wrapping up our documentation and application for Farmingdale State College: Find A Spot, the confidence in our project has been immense. From the completion of Sprint #4 to now the completion of Sprint #5 we genuinely feel as if the main aspects of our project application is complete. As for the documentation as the last couple of sprints pop up throughout the upcoming weeks we have to adjust the documentation to fit the needs of said sprint. For the remainder of the time we've been working on and adjusting the Test Plans that are needed for the E-Sports Team to properly run FSC: Find A Spot and to fill out the User Story Feature(s) Checklist provided to them as well as a list of instructions to open and run the application properly using Android Studio and Firebase. All User Story Features are already implemented into the application so all that's needed is for them to verify everything runs smoothly so our project is ready for the final submission.



# <u>UX/UI Prototype Sketches & System Prototype Mockups</u>

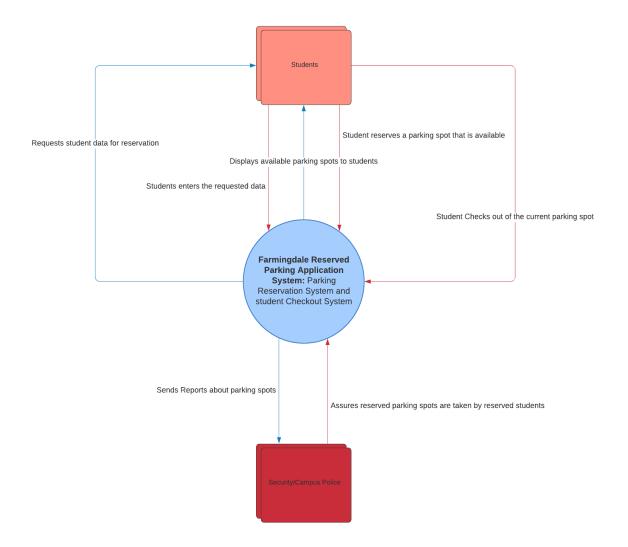




# **User Interface**



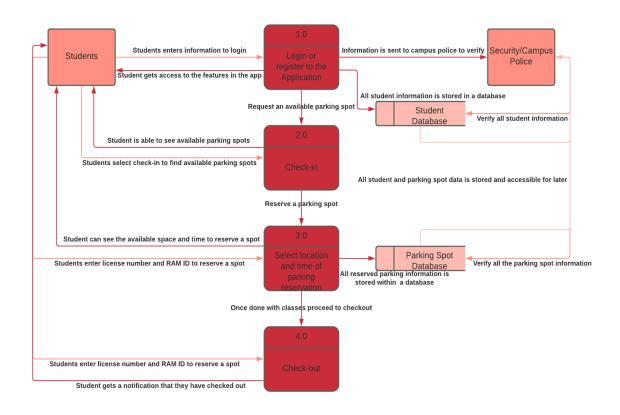
## **Context and Data Flow Diagrams**



The context diagram consists of one information system, which is the Farmingdale Reserved Parking Application System. The application itself has two features. The first feature is the parking reservation system. This feature allows students to provide their personal information and reserve a parking spot that is available. The feature will show students all the available locations and students can request to reserve a spot. The feature then updates the parking availability once a spot is taken. The second feature is the student checkout system. The purpose

of this feature is to show that a student has check-out of their current spot in order to update the parking availability data. The external entities are students and campus police. Students are the ones that will be using the application in order to reserve a parking spot by providing their personal information. The purpose of the campus police is to ensure all reserved parking spots are taken by reserved students. If there are any issues that arise they can look at the application to put everything back in order.

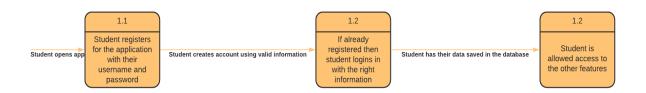
## **Data Flows Diagram & Description**



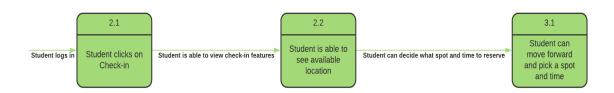
The data flow diagram consists of four main processes. The first process is when the students sign-in or register for the application using their email and password. The second process of the application is the check-in. In this process students can see the available parking

spots. In the third process students will select the exact location and time that they would like to reserve a parking spot. The fourth process allows the students to check-out of the parking spot and it becomes available to other students. The external entities are the students and campus police. The data flow diagram also has two data stores, which are the databases for student records and their parking spots. These databases help keep track of everything in the application. The campus police will have control of these databases and they will help verify it.

### Level One DFDs

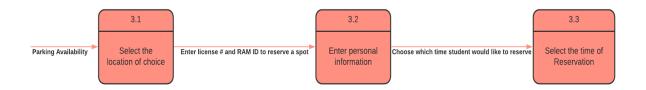


This level one DFD helps break down the first process of the DFD. This diagram shows exactly what processes are used in order to log in to the application. The first process allows the student to register an account with the application using their username and password. The second process will allow students to enter their information if they already have an account. The third process allows the students to enter the application and access the features.

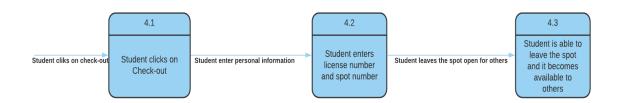


This level one DFD helps break down the second process of the DFD. This diagram shows exactly what processes are used in order to check-in to the application. The first process

allows the student to select the feature. The second process will allow students to view all the spots that are available in order for them to reserve a spot. The third process allows the students to choose the time and location for reservation.

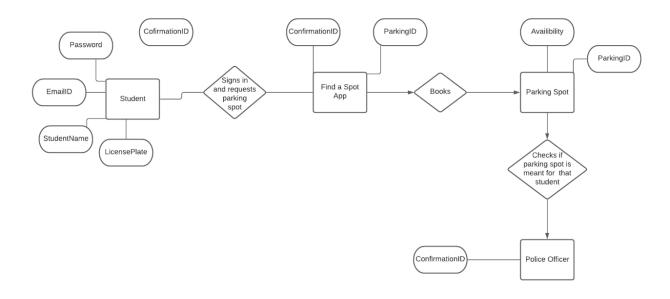


This level one DFD helps break down the third process of the DFD. This diagram shows exactly what processes are used in order to select a parking spot. The first process allows the student to select where they would like to park. They will be selecting which hall is near their classes. The second process will allow students to enter their licence number and RAM ID to reserve a spot. The third process allows the students to choose the time that they would like to reserve a spot.



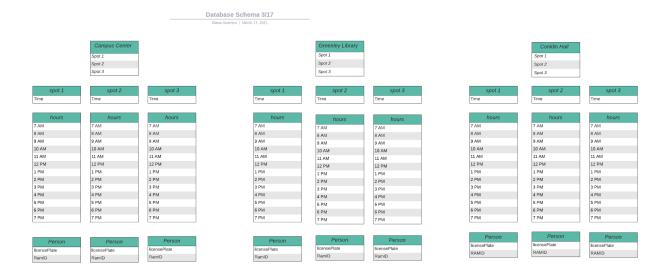
This level one DFD helps break down the fourth process of the DFD. This diagram shows exactly what processes are used in order to check out of the parking spot. The first process allows the student to access the feature. The second process will allow students to enter their licence number and spot number to checkout. The third process will allow the students to leave and have the spot available for other students.

## **Entity Relationship Diagram**



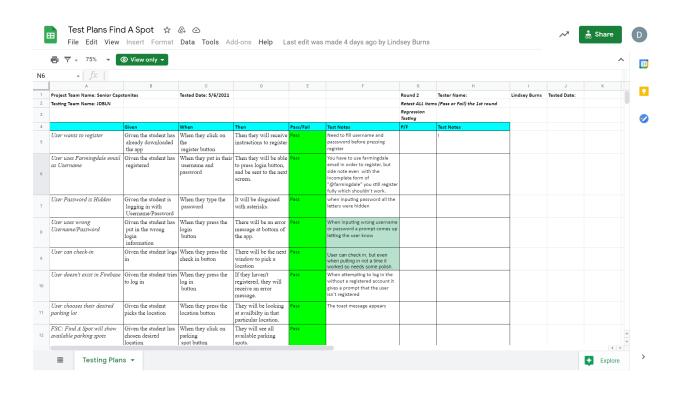
Within this ERD we see 4 important entities: Student, find a spot app, parking spot, and police officer. The process starts with the students, the student attributes: EmailID, StudentName, LicensePlate, Password, ConfirmationID. The student then signs in/registers for the app and requests a parking spot. The find a spot app with the attributes: confirmationID and ParkingID, then reserves the desired parking spot using the attributes: ParkingID and availability, then sends a confirmationID back to the student which has the parkingID needed for them to park at the specific parking spot. To end the relationship diagram the last entity is Police Officer with the attributes: ConfirmationID. The police officer checks if the parking spot is meant for the student based on the confirmationID.

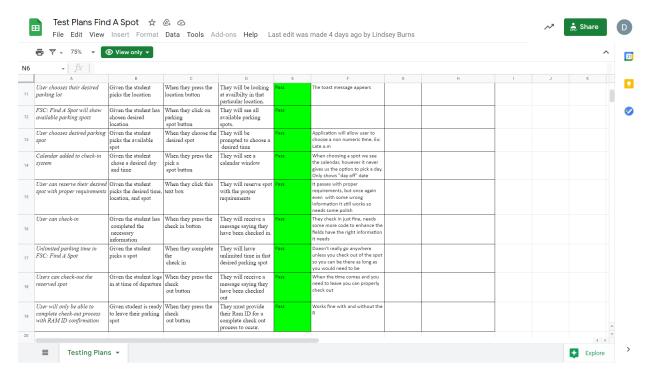
## **Database Schema**

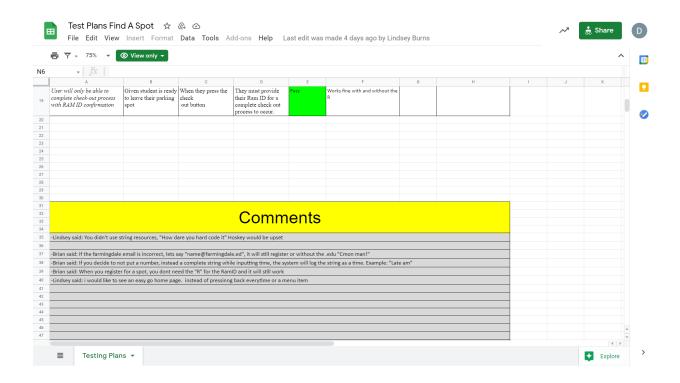


Initially the FSC: Find A Spot application will allow users to choose between the three parking lots: Campus Center, Greenley Library, and Conklin Hall. From there the user will be able to choose a spot and reserve their time to be in the chosen parking spot. From there the student will be able to input their RamID and license plate to reserve said spot. The student's will be able to login using an email system linked with their Farmingdale Gmail and password, in order to register they will be able to do so on the FSC: Find A Spot application.

## **Completed Test Plans**







# **Completed System Images**

