

***INTRODUCTION.**

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<u>Purpose:</u>

CookBook is a virtual kitchen assistant that transforms the way users discover, organize, and create recipes, catering to both amateur cooks and professional chefs.

o Features:

Intuitive user interface for seamless navigation – Dynamic recipe search and discovery – Personalized recipe organization and creation tools – Community-driven sharing and collaboration – Aesthetic design for immersive culinary exploration – Inclusive

platform for all skill levels – Vision-driven innovation blending tradition and technology

❖ ARCHITECTURE

- Pront End:
 - React.js with Bootstrap and Material UI for responsive design and modern UI components.
- ⊕ BackEnd:
 - Node.js and Express.js managing server logic, RESTful API endpoints, and real-time interactions.
- O Data-Base
- MongoDB stores user profiles, recipes, reviews, and chat messages in a flexible document structure.

❖ SETUP INSTRUCTIONS

Prerequisites

Here are the key prerequisites for developing a frontend application using React.js:

O Node. js and npm:

Node.js is a powerful JavaScript runtime environment that allows you to run JavaScript code on the local environment. It provides a scalable and efficient platform for building network applications.

Install Node.js and npm on your development machine, as they are required to run JavaScript on the server-side.

- Download: https://nodejs.org/en/download/
- Installation instructions: https://nodejs.org/en/download/package-manager/

O React. js:

- React.js is a popular JavaScript library for building user interfaces. It enables developers
 to create interactive and reusable UI components, making it easier to build dynamic and
 responsive web applications.
- Install React.js, a JavaScript library for building user interfaces.
- Oreate a new React app:
 - npx create-react-app my-react-app
 - Replace my-react-app with your preferred project name.
- Navigate to the project directory:
 - cd my-react-app
- Running the React App:
 - With the React app created, you can now start the development server and see your React application in action.
- Start the development server:
 - npm start
 - This command launches the development server, and you can access your React app at http://localhost:3000 in your web browser.
- HTML, CSS, and JavaScript: Basic knowledge of HTML for creating the structure of your app, CSS for styling, and JavaScript for client-side interactivity is essential.

- **Version Control**: Use Git for version control, enabling collaboration and tracking changes throughout the development process. Platforms like GitHub or Bitbucket can host your repository.
 - Git: Download and installation instructions can be found at: https://git-scm.com/downloads
- **Development Environment**: Choose a code editor or Integrated Development Environment (IDE) that suits your preferences, such as Visual Studio Code, Sublime Text, or WebStorm.
 - Visual Studio Code: Download from https://code.visualstudio.com/download
 - Sublime Text: Download from <u>https://www.sublimetext.com/download</u>
 - WebStorm: Download from https://www.jetbrains.com/webstorm/download
- O To get the Application project from drive:

<u> Install Dependencies:</u>

- Navigate into the cloned repository directory and install libraries:
- cd fitness-app-react
- npm install

Start the Development Server.

- To start the development server, execute the following command:
- npm start

Officess the App:

• Open your web browser and navigate to http://localhost:3000.

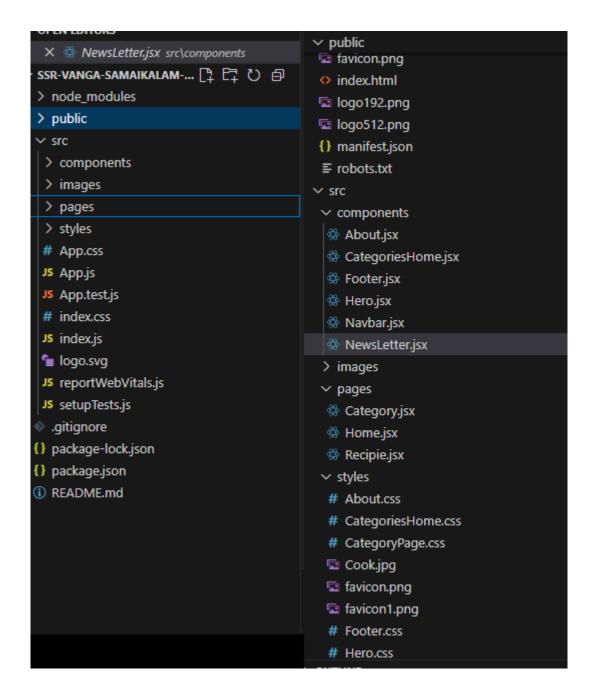
- You should see the application's homepage, indicating that the installation and setup were successful.
- You have successfully installed and set up the application on your local machine. You can now proceed with further customization, development, and testing as needed

❖ INSTALLATION STEPS

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- Θ : # Clone the repository git clone
- # Install client dependencies cd client npm install
- # Install server dependencies cd ../server npm install

❖ FOLDER STUTURE



❖ RUNNING THE APPLICATION

- Frontend:
- o cd client
- o npm start
- Backend:

- o cd server npm
 o start
 o Access: Visit http://localhost:3000
 ◆ API DOCUMENTATION
 o User:
 - /api/user/register

 - Projects:
 - /api/projects/create

 - Chats:

*****AUTHENTICATION

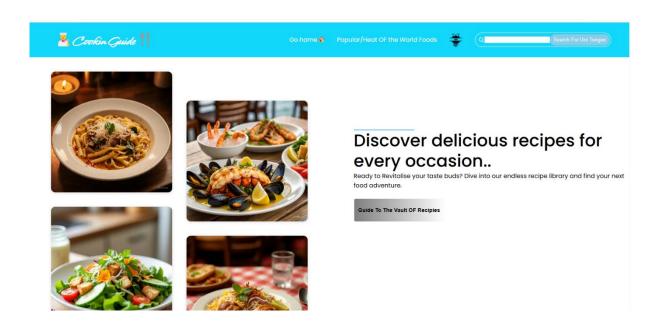
- Middleware protects private routes

❖USER INTERFACE

- Landing Page
- Freelancer Dashboard

- Admin Panel
- Project Details Page

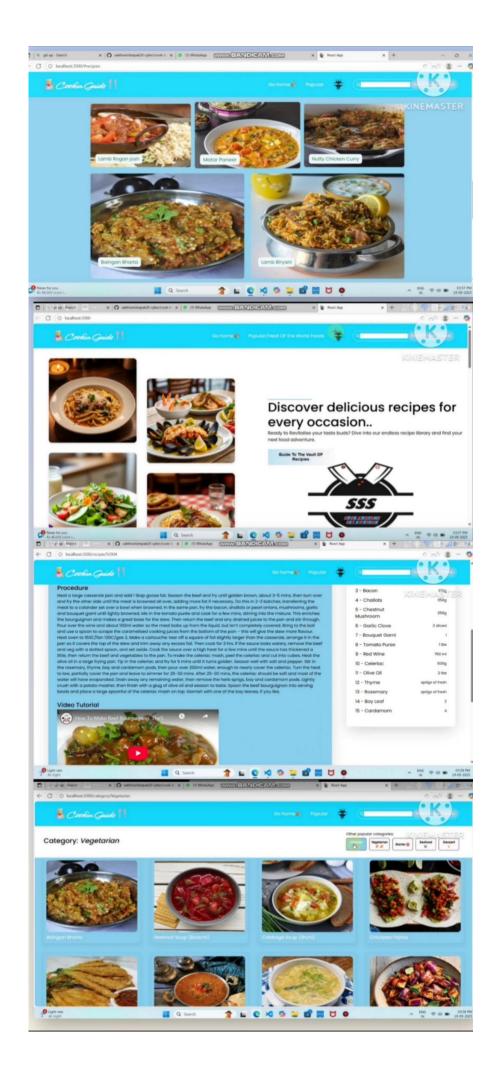




*****TESTING

- Manual testing during milestones
- Tools: Postman, Chrome Dev Tools

SCREENSHOTS



❖ DEMO VIDEO LINK

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1dkEiqK-YflyZPVmuynky54_bEaPJtF8W/view?usp=drive_link

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❖FUTURE ENHANCEEMENTS

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