Due Date: Noon of Jan 24th, 2025

#### **Vision Statement:**

Format consistent and organization focused academic manager that enables students and teachers to easily view, create and understand course material, assignments and grades.

## **Team Members:**

- Timothee de Raucourt
- Elvis Kuang
- Nathan Kwok
- Tyronne Lucas
- Sean Murphy

## Client (Nathan's Sister in Teacher's College):

- Name = Amanda Kwok
- Currently, in Queen's university for a Bachelor of Education (BEd).
- (I will put a better description later)

## **Technical Specifications:**

- Website
- <u>Frontend</u>: React
- Backend: Django

#### **Features**:

- > Student view
- > Teacher view (admin)
- > Create, Read, Update, Delete classes, star/modify classes
- ➤ Assignments (create, delete, modify, add due dates, etc...)
- > Scores
- > Grades, GPA
- ➤ Deadline management, calendar
- > File uploading and reading, Accept different file types
- > Username, password, update password, create an account.
- Track student progress (in the form of timeline graphs, etc...)

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Iterations	Deliverables
ITR0	<ul> <li>planning and client stuff</li> </ul>
ITR1	<ul> <li>Student view and teacher view</li> <li>Users for students/teachers (login, logout, create)</li> <li>Create, Delete, Update, Read</li> </ul>

ITR2	<ul><li>assignment scores gpa</li><li>File upload</li></ul>
ITR3	<ul> <li>Track student progress</li> <li>Deadline calendar</li> <li>Extra: Live Chat system</li> </ul>

What needs to	be finished? - Criteria
☐ A visio	n statement:
>	One-page statement
	Title,
>	Summary
>	Sentence that describes the overall scope of your project,
> ;	Several paragraphs containing
	i. More detail about your vision for the project.
	ii. Description of what the project is (including who the users are),
	iii. Why the project is valuable, and the
	iv. Success criteria that indicate the goal(s) of the project.
✓ <del>Big Usc</del>	er Stories:
O	Describe the main features of your software in very broad terms, for the
	entire project.
	Create 4 big stories (categories of features) for the entire project (final
	release).
> '	Written on 3"x5" index cards
> ]	For the big stories, the detail will be brief
☐ Iteratio	on 1 detailed user stories:
>	Create 6 user stories you plan to implement per iteration.
> ]	For the user stories, the detail should be more precise and may include
١	unanswered questions
> ]	Each user story should be based on 1 of the big stories to that gets
(	completed per iteration.
> '	Written on 3"x5" index cards
Note that there	are typically 3 weeks between each iteration.
☐ Meeting	g (Nathan will get it done)
□ planning	, `
>	(mapping of stories to each iteration and stories to team members for iteration 1)

# **Academic Manager System Vision Statement**

This one-page statement consists of a title, a summary sentence that describes the overall scope of your project, and several paragraphs containing more detail about your vision for the project. It should include a description of what the project is (including who the users are), why the project is valuable, and the success criteria that indicate the goal(s) of the project.

The Academic Manager System (AMS) will be used as a platform to organize and manage educational classes, students, and assignments. It will be accessible to both administrators and students, with tailored views for each group. The student view will be specifically designed for young exceptional learners and students with special needs. The admin view will be designed for teachers, allowing class management and student progress tracking. The AMS also will feature a gamified progress system to engage students and motivate them, making the learning experience more interactive and enjoyable.

Each student's academic journey will be tracked using an engaging merit-based progress system. Students can earn points through merits such as attendance, submitting assignments on time, participation, etc. These points can accumulate and can contribute to the student's "level". With this merit based progress system, students are encouraged to engage with class material.

The student-view is a dashboard accessible only to that unique student, consisting of the course(s) the student is enrolled in. The student-view is designed to be child friendly with features being audience specific UI/UX design. Each course is managed by its course admin, and displays features such as their personal gamified statistics, homework, progress tracking, and deadlines.

The administrator-view is a dashboard accessible only to teachers of homeroom classes, this will consist of a list of current students and their info, the ability to assign new assignments, the ability to create new activities, and the ability to grade assignments and activities. Furthermore to personalize things more we will give administrators the ability to create notes to students regarding performance, or other uses.

The system will serve as an introduction to online based learning for young students, instructing students on how to interact and work with online educational platforms. This is a major improvement to platforms like Google Classroom, that typically require additional assistance from teachers and administrators for students to use.

## **Big User Stories**:

- Describe the main features of your software in very broad terms, for the entire project.
- Create 4 big stories (categories of features) for the entire project (final release).

Feature #1: Student view

**Description:** Allow students to create accounts and interact with assignments and activities

**Priority:** High Cost (time required): 11 days

Feature #2: Gamified Progress System

**Description:** Gamify the progression system for classes using XP, levels, and other typical video game inspired mechanics.

**Priority:** Low Cost (time required): 7 days

Feature #3: Child-friendly

**Description:** Make system Child-friendly to cater towards younger audiences

Feature #4: Administrator View

**Description:** Allow teachers and staff to access and manage students as well as create assignments and activities

**Priority:** High Cost (time required): 10 days

Feature #5: Classrooms, Assignments, Grades, etc

**Description:** Create classroom, assignments and grades models in django, and rework existing models to work with them.

**Priority:** Medium Cost (time required): 2 days

## **Iteration 1 detailed user stories:**

> Create 6 user stories you plan to implement per iteration

**Feature #1:** Display student information - Tyronne

**Description:** Allow students to enter in their information including birthdays, names, hobbies, or academic statuses.

Priority: High Cost (time required): 4 days

Feature #2: Modify student information - Elvis

**Description:** Allow students and teachers to modify (delete, add, edit) student information such as grades, name, age, etc.

Feature #3: Enter grades & transcript - Nathan

**Description:** Allow teachers to enter grades for their classes and transcripts that compile all grades from all classes cumulatively for student view

**Priority:** High Cost (time required): 2 days

Feature #4: Update Academic history

**Description:** Allow teachers to update academic history for a students in the case of a grade dispute or an error

**Priority: Medium** Cost (time required): 1 day

Feature #5: Display list of courses - Sean

**Description:** Allow students and teachers to view a students list of courses for the term & add courses to the list.

**Priority:** Medium Cost (time required): 2 days

Feature #6: Classroom

**Description:** Allow students and teachers to view subjects, teachers, and students of a particular class or classroom

Feature #6: Assignments

**Description:** Students should be able to submit assignments and receive grades on those assignments. Teachers should be able to create assignments.

**Priority:** Low Cost (time required): 2 day

**Feature #7:** Transcript/Grades

**Description:** Students should receive grades in a report card. Teachers should be able to submit grades

Feature #8: XP/Level up system

**Description:** Students should "level up" based on their progress in classes.

Feature #9: Login/Logout

**Description:** Students and teachers should be able to login and logout

**Priority:** High **Cost (time required):** 3 day

## **Planning Map**

mapping of stories to each iteration and stories to team members for iteration 1)

Big User Story	ITR1	ITR2	ITR3
Iteration Student + Admin View		Child-friendly	Gamification

Names	User Story	Other Tasks	
Nathan	#3: Enter grades & transcript	Version control documents + managing folders + managing	
Sean	#5: Display list of courses	Initial Django + DB Setup + REST	
Elvis	#2: Modify and delete student information	Meeting coordination, meeting minutes, change logs etc.	
TJ	#1 Display student information		
Timothee	#4: Update Academic history	JEST Tests	