

Content for Challenge 6: Implement Comment System

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Detailed Requirements for the Comment System

The comment system must allow users to view and add comments on each blog post. The system should be responsive and accessible, ensuring a seamless experience across devices.

- Viewing Comments:

- Display a list of comments below each blog post.
- Each comment must include:
 - Commenter's name
 - Date and time of the comment (formatted as "Month Day, Year, Hour:Minute")
 - Comment text
 - Optionally, commenter's avatar (if available)
- Comments should be ordered chronologically, with the most recent at the bottom.

- Adding Comments:

- Provide a form for users to add new comments.
- The form must include:
 - A text input for the commenter's name (if the user is not logged in)
 - A textarea for the comment text
 - A submit button to post the comment
- If the user is logged in, the name field should be pre-filled and disabled.
- Upon submission, the new comment should be added to the list without reloading the page.

- Responsiveness:

- On desktop screens (width > 768px):
 - Comments should be displayed in a vertical list with avatars aligned to the left.
 - The comment form should have labels and inputs arranged vertically.

- On mobile screens (width ≤ 768px):
 - Comments should be stacked vertically with avatars centered or aligned to the left.
 - The comment form should have labels above the inputs for better readability.
- **Accessibility:**
 - Ensure all form fields have associated labels.
 - Use appropriate ARIA attributes for dynamic content updates (e.g., when a new comment is added).
 - Maintain a logical tab order for keyboard navigation.

Component Structure

The comment system should be implemented using the following React components:

- **Comment Component:**
 - Responsible for rendering a single comment.
 - **Props:**
 - `name`: String, commenter's name
 - `date`: String or Date, comment date
 - `text`: String, comment text
 - `avatar`: String, URL of commenter's avatar (optional)
 - Should format the date appropriately (e.g., "January 1, 2023, 12:00").
- **CommentList Component:**
 - Responsible for rendering the list of comments.
 - **Props:**
 - `comments`: Array of comment objects
 - Should map over the `comments` array and render a `Comment` component for each.
- **CommentForm Component:**
 - Responsible for rendering the form to add a new comment.
 - **Props:**
 - `onSubmit`: Function, to handle form submission
 - `isLoggedIn`: Boolean, indicates if the user is logged in
 - `userName`: String, pre-filled name if logged in
 - **State:**

- `name`: String, commenter's name (if not logged in)
- `text`: String, comment text
- Should handle form validation (e.g., ensure fields are not empty) and submission.

UI/UX Designs for Desktop and Mobile Views

Desktop View (width > 768px)

- **Comment List:**
 - Each comment is displayed in a container with a light border or background to separate it from others.
 - Avatar (if present) is displayed on the left, sized approximately 50x50 pixels.
 - Commenter's name and date are displayed on the top right, with the name in bold and the date in a smaller, lighter font.
 - Comment text is displayed below the name and date, with appropriate padding.
- **Comment Form:**
 - Form fields are stacked vertically:
 - Label "Name" with input field (if not logged in)
 - Label "Comment" with textarea
 - Submit button aligned to the right
 - Inputs should have a light border and padding for better usability.
 - The form should be positioned below the comment list.

Mobile View (width ≤ 768px)

- **Comment List:**
 - Each comment is stacked vertically.
 - Avatar (if present) is centered or aligned to the left.
 - Commenter's name and date are displayed below the avatar.
 - Comment text is displayed below the name and date.
- **Comment Form:**
 - Form fields are stacked vertically:
 - Label "Name" above the input field (if not logged in)
 - Label "Comment" above the textarea
 - Submit button below the textarea, full width
 - Inputs and textarea should take the full width of the container for easy interaction on small screens.

Desktop view:

The screenshot shows a desktop browser window with a dark blue header bar. The header contains the text "Blog Application" on the left and "Home New Post" on the right. Below the header is a white content area with a title "Getting Started with React" in bold. To the right of the title is a blue "Edit Post" button. Under the title, the text "By John Doe" and "Published on January 1, 2023" is displayed. A short paragraph about React follows. Below the text is a section titled "Why React?" with a bulleted list: "Component-based", "Declarative", and "Learn Once, Write Anywhere". At the bottom of the content area is a red "Delete" button. Below the content area is a "Comments" section. It shows a comment from a user named "Alice" posted on "December 25, 2023 at 8:15 PM" with the text "Great introduction to React!". Below Alice's comment is a form for a new comment, with fields for "Name" (a text input), "Comment" (a text area), and "Avatar URL (optional)" (a text input containing "https://example.com/avatar.jpg"). A "Submit" button is located below the comment form. At the very bottom of the page is a dark blue footer bar with the copyright notice "© 2025 BlogApp. All rights reserved."

Tablet view:

The screenshot shows a tablet browser window with a dark blue header bar. The header contains the text "Blog Application" on the left and "Home New Post" on the right. Below the header is a white content area with a title "Getting Started with React" in bold. To the right of the title is a blue "Edit Post" button. Under the title, the text "By John Doe" and "Published on January 1, 2023" is displayed. A short paragraph about React follows. Below the text is a section titled "Why React?" with a bulleted list: "Component-based", "Declarative", and "Learn Once, Write Anywhere". At the bottom of the content area is a red "Delete" button. Below the content area is a "Comments" section. It shows a comment from a user named "Alice" posted on "December 25, 2023 at 8:15 PM" with the text "Great introduction to React!". Below Alice's comment is a form for a new comment, with fields for "Name" (a text input), "Comment" (a text area), and "Avatar URL (optional)" (a text input containing "https://example.com/avatar.jpg"). A "Submit" button is located below the comment form. At the very bottom of the page is a dark blue footer bar with the copyright notice "© 2025 BlogApp. All rights reserved."

Mobile view:

Blog Application

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Blog Posts

Getting Started with React

By John Doe

Published on January 1, 2023

React is a JavaScript library for building user interfaces. It's maintained by Facebook and a community of developers.

Why React?

React makes it easy to create interactive UIs. It efficiently updates and renders just the right components when your data changes.

- Component-based
- Declarative
- Learn Once, Write Anywhere

Delete

Comments



Alice

December 25, 2023 at 8:15 PM

Great introduction to React!

Name

Comment

Avatar URL (optional)

Submit

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This content provides a comprehensive foundation for implementing the comment system feature. With the detailed requirements, component structure, and UI/UX designs, you can now proceed to develop the `Comment`, `CommentList`, and `CommentForm` components, ensuring they are responsive, accessible, and aligned with the specified designs.