**School Management System**

Control your virtual school!

**Note: The app is in active development and it’s receiving constant updates with new features! Everything is subject to change!**

1. **How to use the app:**

Currently, the only way to run the app is through the console – it hasn’t been deployed yet! Download the whole project and use a compatible Java IDE (IntelliJ Idea, Eclipse, etc.). Run the *SchoolManagementSystemApplication* class and you are all set to go!

Available commands at this moment: (to end the program – type *End*)

* Add Student – Type *AddStudent* on the console. The app will request all information needed for this operation. Follow the instructions!
* Add Teacher – Type *AddTeacher* on the console. The app will request all information needed for this operation. Follow the instructions!
* Add Employee – Type *AddEmployee* on the console. The app will request all information needed for this operation. Follow the instructions!
* Add Club – Type *AddClub* on the console. The app will request all information needed for this operation. Follow the instructions!
* Add Mark to a Student - Type *AddMarkToStudent* on the console. The app will request all information needed for this operation. Follow the instructions!
* Add Club to a Student - Type *AddClubToStudent* on the console. The app will request all information needed for this operation. Follow the instructions!
* Add Mark to a Student - Type *AddParentToStudent* on the console. The app will request all information needed for this operation. Follow the instructions!
* View Student – Type *ViewStudent* on the console. The app will request all information needed for this operation. Follow the instructions!
* View Teacher – Type *ViewTeacher* on the console. The app will request all information needed for this operation. Follow the instructions!
* View Employee – Type *ViewEmployee* on the console. The app will request all information needed for this operation. Follow the instructions!
* View Club – Type *ViewClub* on the console. The app will request all information needed for this operation. Follow the instructions!

1. **All versions:**

* **Current version – 1.10 – 19.01.2023**

The last console version of the project! You can now add and connect the last element in the software – Parent. If you want to connect a parent to a student, type command *AddParentToStudent*. You will automatically create a new parent first and then get asked to which student you want to connect the parent to.

This is the console version of the software. You can do everything you want through it! Every command is now available. There were many challenges and architecture questions but it all works well at the end. The next update will mark the new beginning of the app and introduce many **web** technologies and principles!

* **Version – 1.9 – 18.01.2023**

Two new main commands were added – you can now evaluate a student (by adding a mark to its collection) and register a student for a specific club (by adding the club to its collection). There are two mapping tables for those actions – *students\_marks* and *students\_clubs*. The database diagram is attached in the **README** file.

The two new commands are *AddMarkToStudent* and *AddClubToStudent*.

* **Version – 1.8 – 12.01.2023**

We welcome clubs in our system! Easy to add a club – easy to view an info for a desired club (by its name). The two new commands are *AddClub* and *ViewClub.* Some changes were made to the database.

* **Version - 1.7 - 11.01.2023**

(*Two updates in one day…phew 😊*)

Employees are now fully available in our system. You can add a new employee or view data for a specific one – all up to you! Our school will work **only** with *4* departments:

1. "Administrative and management"
2. "Facilities"
3. "Pupil support and welfare"
4. "Specialist and technical"

When adding a new employee to your school, on the department field you must choose one of them. You can still add new towns and countries while adding a new employee but the same doesn’t apply to the departments. They are permanent! (the goal is to simulate a real environment with specific restrictions). A new *json* file was added containing the aforementioned departments. Тhere was a slight restructuring of the folders (*base folders*).

* **Version - 1.6 - 11.01.2023**

Refactoring and adding two new commands – *ViewStudent* and *ViewTeacher* (both requesting first and last name!). The two commands introduced with the previous update were integrated in the *addStudent* and *addTeacher* commands – now, when adding either a new student or a teacher, the software will check if the current town exists or not – if not, you will get asked if you want to add it. Alongside this, you might also add a new country if you wish to – a relation will be automatically created and saved in the database!

* **Version - 1.5 - 05.01.2023**

Two new commands related to the towns/countries relation were added – *addTown* and *addCountry*. Previously created txt.file-s were converted to **JSON** files. You can now freely add new towns and countries to the database and the software will automatically check if you also need to add a new country with the insertion of a new town – if not, a relation will be created!

* **Version - 1.4 - 03.01.2023**

You can now add a new teacher! With this new version, if you want to add either a new student or a new teacher in a town that currently isn’t included in the database, you will be asked if you want the desired town to be added in the database – YES (the town will be added) or NO (the command will end). Updated *application,properties* with more information.

* **Version - 1.3 - 31.12.2022**

New database model! The top 10 towns in Bulgaria were added and you will be able to register students in any of them. If you want to add a new town, simply add it in the “towns.txt” file or add a new student in the desired town – the system will automatically add it (*note: The app currently works only with towns in Bulgaria*)

Path – “*src/main/resources/DataBaseContent/towns.txt”*

* **Version - 1.2 - 30.12.2022**

The biggest update yet! Added DTOs for the needed classes, a whole repository package with repositories (interfaces) which will communicate with the database and its data. Services were added as well (both interfaces + classes). The very first command is now available – Add a student!

* **Version - 1.1 - 25.12.2022**

More classes and basic logic was implemented in the app. New interfaces and classes were introduced and even a new base entity – parent!

* **Version - 1.0 - 22.12.2022**

The base logic of the software was added! The system has its base entities, needed dependencies in the *pom.xml* file and the required connector to the database (MySQL).

* **Base release - 19.12.2022**

A repository in GitHub was opened! The app is about to release its first version!