## WGU-Reddit Student Feedback

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# D280: JavaScript Programming

College: School of Technology

Topics: 9
Pain Points: 13

## **Feedback Topics**

#### 1. Outdated Resources for Version Control – [3 posts]

Students face difficulties due to unclear instructions and outdated resources regarding Git and version control.

"there is a known issue with a recent update they made to Zybooks."

Reddit post

"some of the information I was using was old and I accidentally set the project up wrong."

Reddit post

"a brief document but it isn't even specific for this class and some of it the buttons on gitlab are not even the same anymore."

Reddit post

#### 2. Unclear Assignment Requirements – [2 posts]

Students are confused about specific assignment requirements, leading to frustration and uncertainty.

"Part G of this angular dumpster fire says we need 2 methods. Some people say we only need the 2nd method to actually display the data, some people say we need both."

Reddit post

"the repo only has a README in it... I would be adding to (or at least some boilerplate for the mentioned 'Angular project')."

Reddit post

#### 3. Confusion About Course Features – [2 posts]

Students are unsure about the expected behavior of course features, reontributing to confusion.

"Can you execute your code before submitting in the OA or you write it blind and send it?"

Reddit post

"Is the automatic routing away from the default url supposed to render below under the actual finished product or am I doing this wrong?" Reddit post

#### 4. Lack of Tutoring Support (Emerging) – [1 posts]

Students are feeling discouraged due to the unavailability of tutoring support for the course.

"I am currently struggling with the class of D280, and have been wondering if there are tutors that are available."

Reddit post

## 5. Git Setup Challenges (Emerging) – [1 posts]

Students are struggling with Git setup and usage, which delays their progress in the course.

"I usually google for hours and find workarounds or things way beyond what the Gitlab How-To page says."

Reddit post

#### 6. Lack of Instructional Support (Emerging) – [1 posts]

Students feel overwhelmed due to the absence of instructional videos and support for necessary software and tools.

"none of this has a video or anything explaining." Reddit post

## 7. SVG Handling Issues (Emerging) – [1 posts]

Students are facing difficulties displaying SVG images, causing frustration.

"I just get the little broken image icon." Reddit post

### 8. SVG Interactivity Challenges (Emerging) – [1 posts]

Students are struggling to manipulate SVG path tags for interactivity within the course.

"I'm stuck in Google hell trying to find anyone who's also had this problem." Reddit post

#### 9. API Data Retrieval Challenges (Emerging) - [1 posts]

Students are struggling with retrieving data from APIs due to unresolved errors, leading to frustration and hindering progress.

"my service is getting an error helon't knowehoweto fix" contain inaccuracies Reddit post

