

## MODERN TREND OF ANDROID APPLICATION FOR COLLEGE CAMPUS

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### ABSTRACT

This is an Android Application (Breeze) which provides a common, easy to use platform for college students for better interaction with fellow students, faculty, and administration. This work has a unique and helpful feature of queries, where students can put up their queries and anyone can answer their queries. For keeping a check over inappropriate posts a feature of the report is also provided which tells the admin about inappropriate posts and actions could be taken over it accordingly. It also provides a user a help option which helps the user with any information regarding labs, faculty and lecture halls. Breeze also provides a platform where the user can view daily updates of his attendance and syllabus. Breeze app works fluently as it is based on online database system firebase. It has secure login features, and also allows login through Facebook and Google. It also provides basic features like changing the password, changing profile picture, retrieving a forgotten password. In all, it is an all in one application which has all the features to solve the basic problems of college students.

**KEYWORDS:** Android, Online System, Traditional Notice Board, Notifications, Education System, Database & Firebase

### INTRODUCTION

With the advance in time and technology, there is a need for faster dissemination of information. The increasing advantages of the automated system now are at the highest position thus many manual processes are automated [1]. Since the automated system is demanded now-a-days, educational infrastructures like colleges needed their manual system to function on mobile computing systems [2-3]. Changes in Computer Technology allow institutes to utilize databases and applications such as Student Information System thus, making the accessing of records centralized. One of the changes that came about is android applications. These applications are an improvisation to the traditional- transaction processing systems [4-6].

For example attendance management in the existing organization is done on paper sheets. The whole session attendance is stored in either register or record books and at the term, end reports are generated [7-9]. We are not able to spawn report in the middle of the session or as per the requirement because it takes more time in scheming. It is a very time intensive process. In the present system, the results are viewed on the notice board in the form of paper sheets which requires a lot of paperwork and is time-consuming [10]. Moreover, there is no system still existing through which students can take a look at their own progress and analyze themselves. Even college cannot provide vital notifications to students in case of emergency [11-12].

Breeze is developed to solve the basic problems of college students. It provides a platform for students to share their ideas with fellow students in a much interactive way which is like a social media platform. It also allows real - time updates related to notices and events. This work has a unique and helpful feature of queries, where students can put up their

queries and anyone can answer their queries. For keeping a check over inappropriate posts a feature of the report is also provided which tells the admin about inappropriate posts and actions could be taken over it accordingly. It also provides a user a help option which helps the user with any information regarding labs, faculty and lecture halls. Breeze also provide a platform where the user can view daily updates of his attendance and syllabus. Breeze app works fluently as it is based on online database system firebase. It has secure login features, and also allows login through Facebook and Google. It also provides basic features like changing the password, changing profile picture, retrieving a forgotten password. In all, it is an all in one application which has all the features to solve the basic problems of college students.

## **FEATURES OF THIS ANDROID APPLICATION**

Our College Management System Application has the following attributes:

- Google Sign in.
- Facebook Sign in.
- Verification through OTP.
- Allows Guest Sign in.
- All-in-one application.
- Easy to use UI.
- More Secure.
- Real-time Updates.
- Keep Checks over inappropriate data.
- Help menu.
- Allows the user to change a password or retrieve a forgotten password.
- Easy updates.
- Provides an easy platform for student interaction.
- Easy and fast updating of notices and events for better communication between students and administration.
- Updating regarding daily attendance, all schemes, and syllabus.
- Updating of recent notices and upcoming events.

## **SOFTWARE REQUIREMENT**

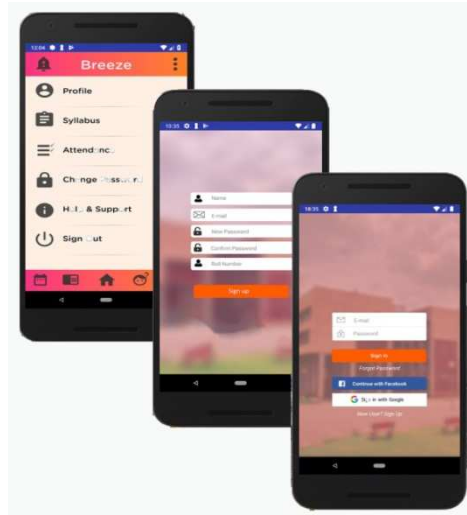
Software that is essential in our University Management System is

- macOS version 10.13.6 Operating System.
- Android studio 2.1.
- Firebase.

- Facebook developers.

## WORKFLOW OF COLLEGE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM APPLICATION

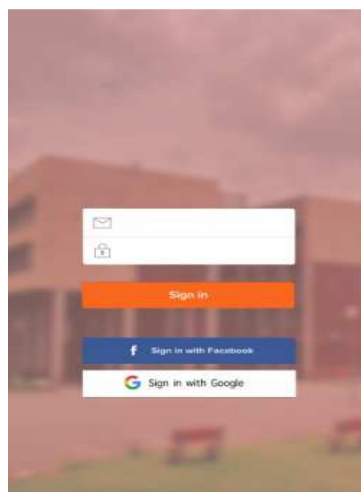
The detailed workflow of College Management System Application is described as follow



**Figure 1: Breeze System Design**

### Safe and Secure Login for the User

This app provides the user a secure way to log in. During registration of the new user, a user is asked to fill some fields which are used in the firebase database and retrieved from it while the user is logged in. it also provides a feature of Google or Facebook sign in for authentication of guest users. An otp is also sent to the user to the provided e-mail id and only if it is authenticated user is allowed to register.



**Figure 2: Login for User**

### Adding a New Post and Displaying of Posts

This app allows users to post any image with a description which is then stored in firebase database and on the main screen all the posts by the user which are approved by the respective authority will be displayed to all the users. The image button allows users to select an image from the gallery and post it.

### Authentication of Apps

Whenever a post is uploaded, before being displayed it is sent to the respective authority for authentication. Only if its authenticated it will be displayed in the post section.

### Adding and Posting of Events

A feature to add new event is also provided in the app but it is accessible to only a few people. They have to fill fields like the name of the event, date of an event, venue of event, description and then it is uploaded to the database from where it is accessed and displayed to all logged in users.



Figure 3: Add Event

### Adding and Posting of Notices

A feature to add new notices is also provided in the app but it is accessible to only a few people. They have to fill the description of the notice and then it is uploaded to the database from where it is accessed and displayed to all logged in users.

### Help Menu

Help provides access to all the contacts of the college and a brief layout of the college.

### Menu Option

It contains the user's profile, syllabus, attendance, change password, help and support, and log out. Attendance, syllabus are the respective information of the user. Using an algorithm the branch and stream of the student are detected and then displayed respectively. A profile contains the user information and a profile picture of the user which user can upload him from the gallery. After the user is logged in he can also change his password by using change password function and the data is also updated in the database when the update button is pressed.

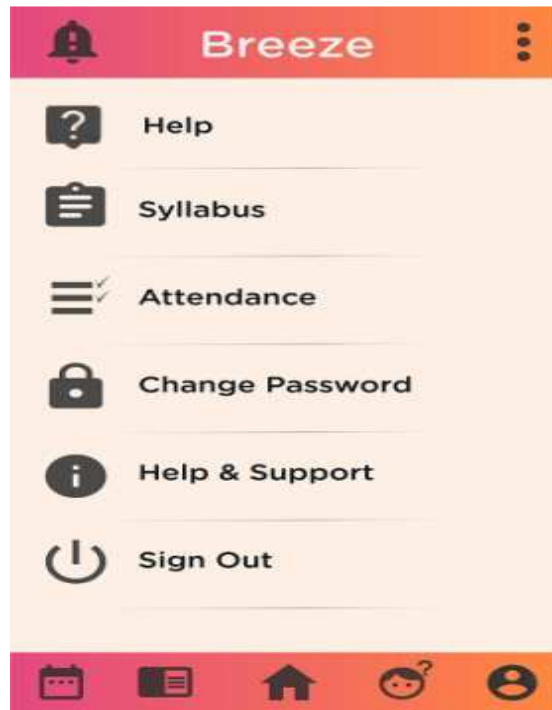


Figure 4: Menu Option of Breeze

## CONCLUSIONS

This College Management System application provides an autonomous solution of the paper-based work. This is controlled and monitored by admin. The manpower is reduced by using this application. It provides accurate information all the time as a faculty member or student needed. The college management can make a useful decision using the data that are stored in the university database server. So it is better to have an Android-Based College Management System like Breeze. All the administrator, authorities, faculty, student and guardians will get the desired data directly.

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