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### **RESEARCH ARTICLE**

# A Framework for Web Based Student Record Management System using PHP

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*Abstract—Student Record Management System (SRMS) gives a straightforward interface to support of student data. It might be utilized by instructive universities or colleges to keep up the records of students effectively. The creation and administration of error less, exceptional data in regards to a student' scholarly profession is discriminatingly paramount in the colleges and in universities. Student information system manages all sorts of student details, academic related reports, college details, fee details, results, batch details, attendance details and other resource related details too. It tracks all the details of a student from very first moment to the end of the course which could be utilized for all reporting purpose, tracking of attendance, progress in the study, completed semesters, years, coming semester year curriculum details, fee details, project or any other assignment details, final exam result and all these will be available through a secure, online interface embedded in the college's Student Record Management System.*

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## I. INTRODUCTION

The data framework is essential in gathering all information also data of all staff or part in one association to be in one spot. The framework is typically given extremely accommodating errand that will supplant the human as to keep it in record as the stock or different purposes. To outline a supportive framework with a specific end goal to make simplicity to the client, the framework is created by utilizing Xampp Server interfacing with database that is using 'PHP' language as the dialect or guideline of the framework. The proposed framework is a standalone framework. This framework centered on recording and updating the information. It is additionally given report on the other hand printed record to the client in the framework which will make the status of the student simpler to be checked. This new framework utilized database idea to store all the data which related with area application forms. This framework focused around database idea which is more solid. All learner information will be kept in a devoted database. By utilizing this database idea, a few issues, for example, information misfortune and harm could be stayed away from. This framework additionally focused to make a simple checking students' status. By utilizing this framework, staffs can check the students' status quicker in time contrasted with the current framework. Hence, the staff can lessen holding up time in place to check all the documents like some time recently. The other target is the issue that identified with looking and upgrading the information. Staffs can pursuit and upgrade the information methodically. This framework will give a few capacities, for example, looking and overhauling so as to help the staffs to control the information applications [1].

Furthermore, each one sub-framework has validation permitting approved clients to make or overhaul data in that subsystem. All information is altogether evaluated and approved on the server before real record adjustment happens. In addition to a staff client interface, the framework plans for student client interface, permitting clients to get to data and submit demands online accordingly lessening transforming time. All information is put away safely on Xampp servers oversight by the college executive and guarantees most astounding conceivable level of security. The framework offers a complex logging framework to track all clients get to and guarantee adjustment to information access rules also is relied upon to expand the proficiency of the college's record administration consequently diminishing the work hours required to get to and convey understudy records to clients. At one time, the school depended intensely on paper records for this activity. While paper records are a customary method for overseeing student information there are a few downsides to this system. First and foremost, to pass on data to the students it ought to be shown on the notice board and the understudy need to visit the notice board to watch that data. It takes an extremely long time to pass on the data to the understudy. Paper records are hard to oversee and track. The physical effort needed to recover, adjust, and re-record the paper records are all non-esteem included exercises [2].

## II. OBJECTIVES

Objectives of this research are:-

- Giving online interface for students.
- Expanding the effectiveness of college record administration.
- Abatement time needed to access and convey students' records.
- To make the framework more secure.

## III. METHODOLOGY

**XAMP SERVER:-**

XAMPP stands for Cross-Platform (X), Apache (A), MySQL (M), PHP (P) and Perl (P). It is a simple, lightweight Apache distribution that makes it extremely easy for developers to create a local web server for testing purposes. Everything you need to set up a web server – server application (Apache), database (MySQL), and scripting language (PHP) – is included in a simple extractable file. XAMPP is also cross-platform, which means it works equally well on Linux, Mac and Windows. Since most actual web server deployments use the same components as XAMPP, it makes transitioning from a local test server to a live server is extremely easy as well. Web development using XAMPP is especially beginner friendly XAMPP is a small and light Apache distribution containing the most common web development technologies in a single package. Its contents, small size, and portability make it the ideal tool for students developing and testing applications in PHP and MySQL. XAMPP is available as a free download in two specific packages: full and lite. While the full package download provides a wide array of development tools, this article will focus on using XAMPP Lite which contains the necessary technologies that meet the Ontario Skills Competition standards.



Fig 1:- home page of Xampp server.

XAMPP has four primary components:-

1. *Apache*: Apache is the actual web server application that processes and delivers web content to a computer. Apache is the most popular web server online, powering nearly 54% of all websites.
2. *MySQL*: Every web application, howsoever simple or complicated, requires a database for storing collected data. MySQL, which is open source, is the world's most popular database management system. It powers everything from hobbyist websites to professional platforms like WordPress.
3. *PHP*: PHP stands for Hypertext Preprocessor. It is a server-side scripting language that powers some of the most popular websites in the world, including WordPress and Facebook. It is open source, relatively easy to learn, and works perfectly with MySQL, making it a popular choice for web developers.
4. *Perl*: Perl is a high-level, dynamic programming language used extensively in network programming, system admin, etc. Although less popular for web development purposes, Perl has a lot of niche applications.

#### **PHP:-**

PHP (Hypertext Preprocessor) Open-source, server-side scripting language used to generate dynamic web-pages PHP scripts reside between reserved PHP tags. This allows the programmer to embed PHP scripts within HTML pages. Various built-in functions allow for fast development Compatible with many popular databases. PHP scripts are executed on the server. PHP files have a file extension of ".php", ".php3", or ".phtml".

#### *Features of PHP:-*

- Open source and free to download and use.
- Easy for newcomer and advance features
- Used to create dynamic web pages.
- Freedom to choose any operating system and a web server.
- Not constrained to output only HTML. PHP's abilities include outputting images, PDF files etc.
- Support for a wide range of databases. Eg: dBase, MySQL, Oracle etc.
- Support for talking to other services using protocols such as IMAP, POP3, HTTP.
- PHP includes free and open source libraries with the core build.

## Creating a Database and Table, and Inserting Data:-

Firstly open the control panel of the XAMPP server and start MYSQL and Apache module. After that start the browser and open the local host the page will appear as given below in the figure. It requires the username and password of the PHP admin. The username is default 'root' and the password will be given by admin when he starts the software first time. Both Apache server and MYSQL server should run. Data types are also present there. User can also apply the various keys to the tables. Data will be fetched from the tables by using SQL. Insertion in the tables will also done by using SQL.

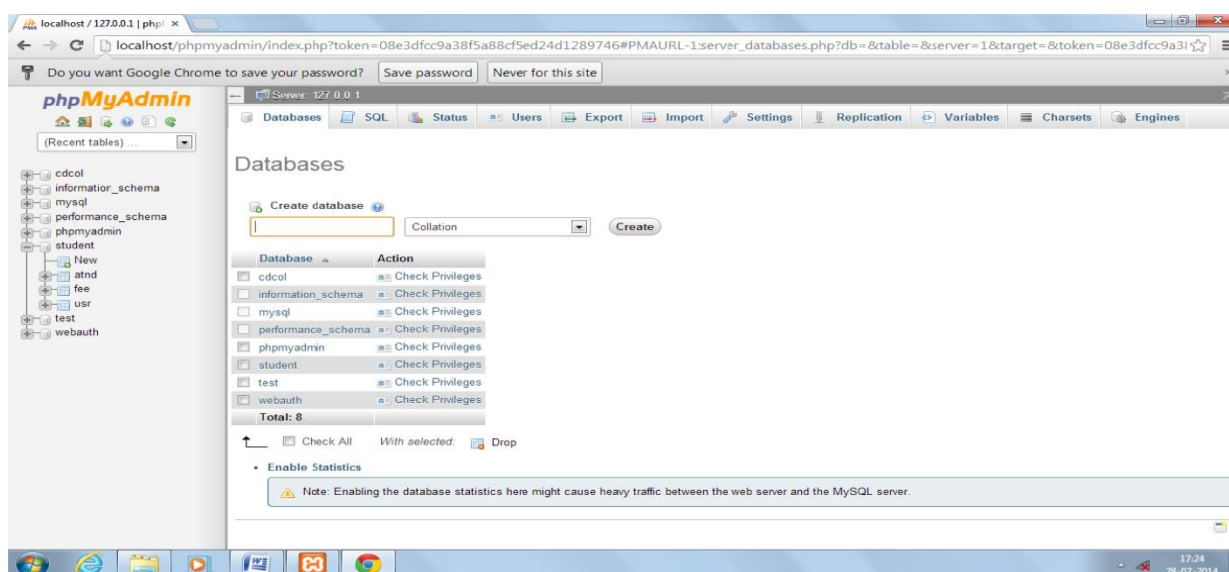


Fig 2:- home page for creating tables in database.

When we enter the username and password the PHP admin page will be opened as given in the figure. To create the database click on the database and it will ask for the database name then by giving the database name the database will be created.

To create the tables in the database click on the database which is database. Data types are also mentioned there and PHP admin can select data types according to the need. We are now ready to write created and it will ask for the table name, number of columns and rows. Similarly the other tables will be created in the PHP program that will connect to the database and display our data in an internet browser. The procedure that we will write this program is to first establish a connection with the database using PHP, then start our XHTML deceleration and meta data, and finally in the body of our page, write a loop that will iterate through each record in the table and display that data in the browser.

### **MYSQL:-**

MySQL is the most popular open source database server. With MySQL, we can query a database for specific information and have a recordset returned. A database defines a structure for storing information. MySQL is ideal for both small and large applications. It supports standard SQL. MySQL compiles on a number of platforms. It is free to download and use. PHP combined with MySQL are cross-platform (means that you can develop in Windows and serve on a Unix platform). MySQL is a relational database system. It can store bits of information in separate tables and link those tables together. Each table consists of separate fields, which represent each bit of information.

### **SQL:-**

*SQL (Structured Query Language)*:-Structured Query Language (SQL) is a standard computer language for relational database management and data manipulation. SQL is used to query, insert, update and modify data. Most relational databases support SQL, which is an added benefit for database administrators (DBAs), as they are often required to support databases across several different platforms. SQL code is divided into four main categories:

- Queries are performed using the ubiquitous yet familiar SELECT statement, which is further divided into clauses, including SELECT, FROM, WHERE and ORDER BY.
- Data Manipulation Language (DML) is used to add, update or delete data and is actually a SELECT statement subset and is comprised of the INSERT, DELETE and UPDATE statements, as well as control statements, e.g., BEGIN TRANSACTION, SAVEPOINT, COMMIT and ROLLBACK.
- Data Definition Language (DDL) is used for managing tables and index structures. Examples of DDL statements include CREATE, ALTER, TRUNCATE and DROP.
- Data Control Language (DCL) is used to assign and revoke database rights and permissions. Its main statements are GRANT and REVOKE.

## **IV. RESULTS AND DISCUSSION**

### **Student Database:-**

Student Database contains the record of students. It includes the fee, attendance and results of the students. These records are stored in the form of tables. There are four tables in this database fee, atnd, rslt, usr.

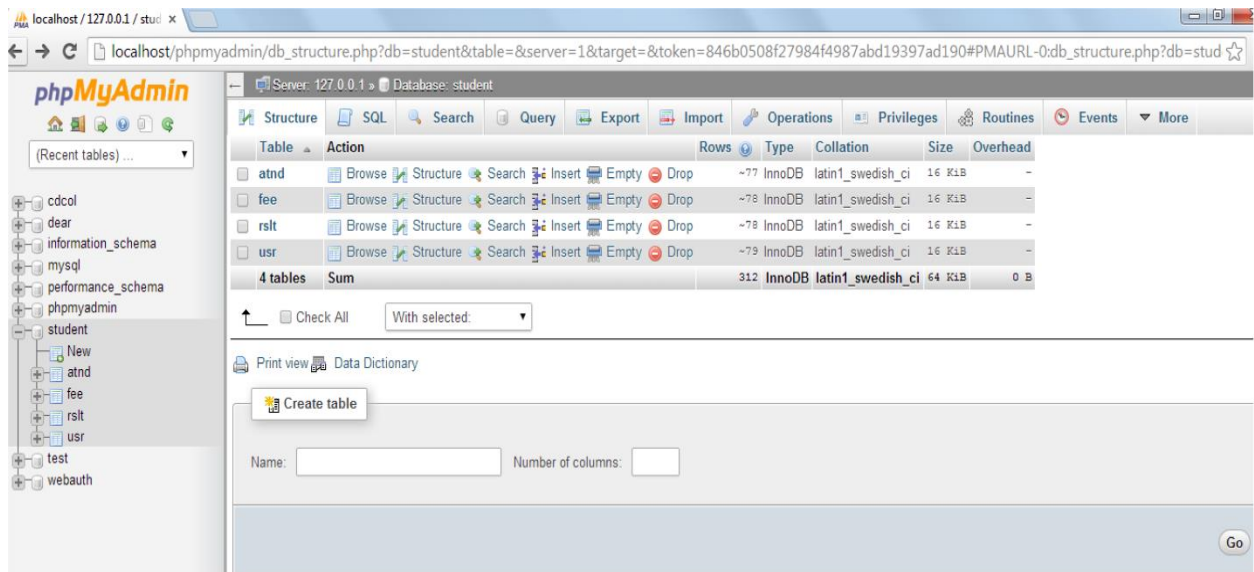


Fig 3:- Tables in student database.

**Login Form:-**

When the system starts it firstly shows the login form. In that form only the registered user can sign in. The user who is registered he will enter his user name and password to access the system.

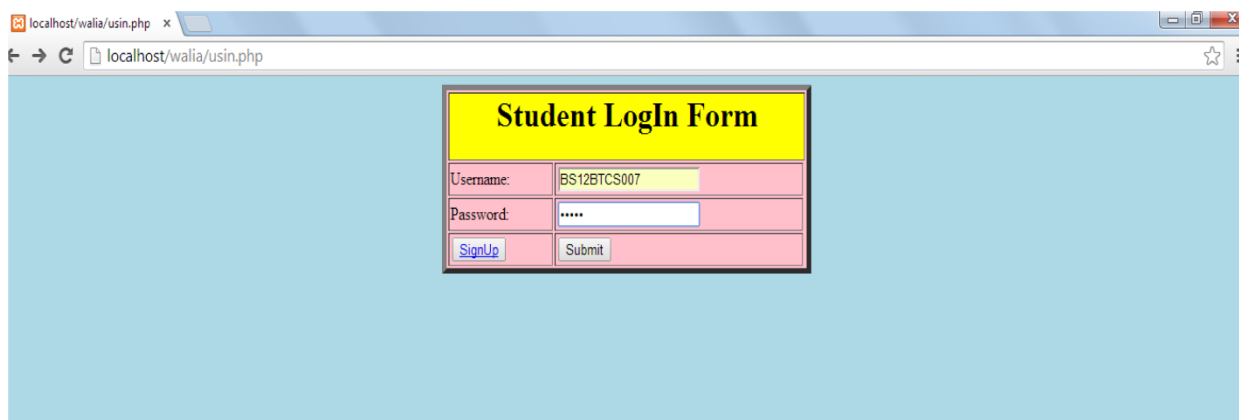


Fig 4:- Sign in form for user.

**Home page:-**

When the authorised user sign in the database then firstly the home page of that user will open. It will show his registration number and the three buttons containing the fee, attendance and results of that particular user. When he will click on the fee, attendance and result buttons then then there fee attendance and results will appear.

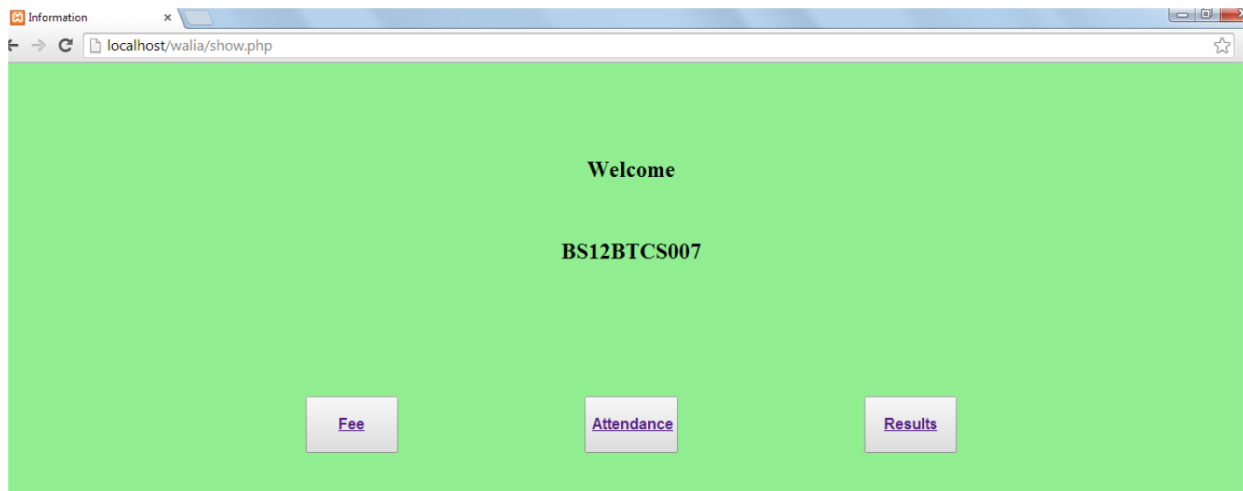


Fig 5:- home page for user 'BS12BTCS012'.

When the user 'BS12BTCS007' click on the fee button then the fee of that student will appear and it will also show the last date of submission of fee.

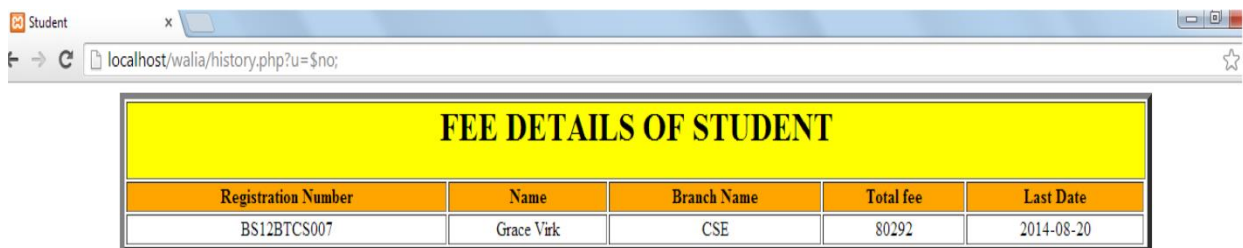


Fig:- Total fee of user 'BS12BTCS007'.

If student want to see his attendance then he will click on the attendance button and then his attendance will appear with his name and registration number. Attendance will appear to student with his registration number and name.



ATTENDANCE OF STUDENT		
Registration Number	Name	Attendance
BS12BTCS007	Grace Virk	75%

Fig 6:- Attendance of user ‘BS12BTCS007’.

After that student want to see his result then he will click on the result button. Result will appear to him with his name, branch and registration number.

RESULTS OF STUDENT			
Registration Number	Name	Branch	Pointer
BS12BTCS007	Grace Virk	CSE	6.8

Fig 7:- Result of user ‘BS12BTCS007’.

When the user sign in then only his information will be shown to him to achieve this developer uses the sessions in php coding at the backend he will also use the SQL queries there. There are some specialised users who can update the data also in student database these permissions are given to the faculty members.

### V. CONCLUSION

This system will work on the network. Students get their desired information without any delay. This system is only for the universities and colleges. The information which is stored in the database can be accessed any time by using this system there will be no wastage of resources in colleges and universities. The objectives of this research are achieved and they are functioning well. There is no need to arrange the students record manually this system will give better performance in arranging the student record.

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