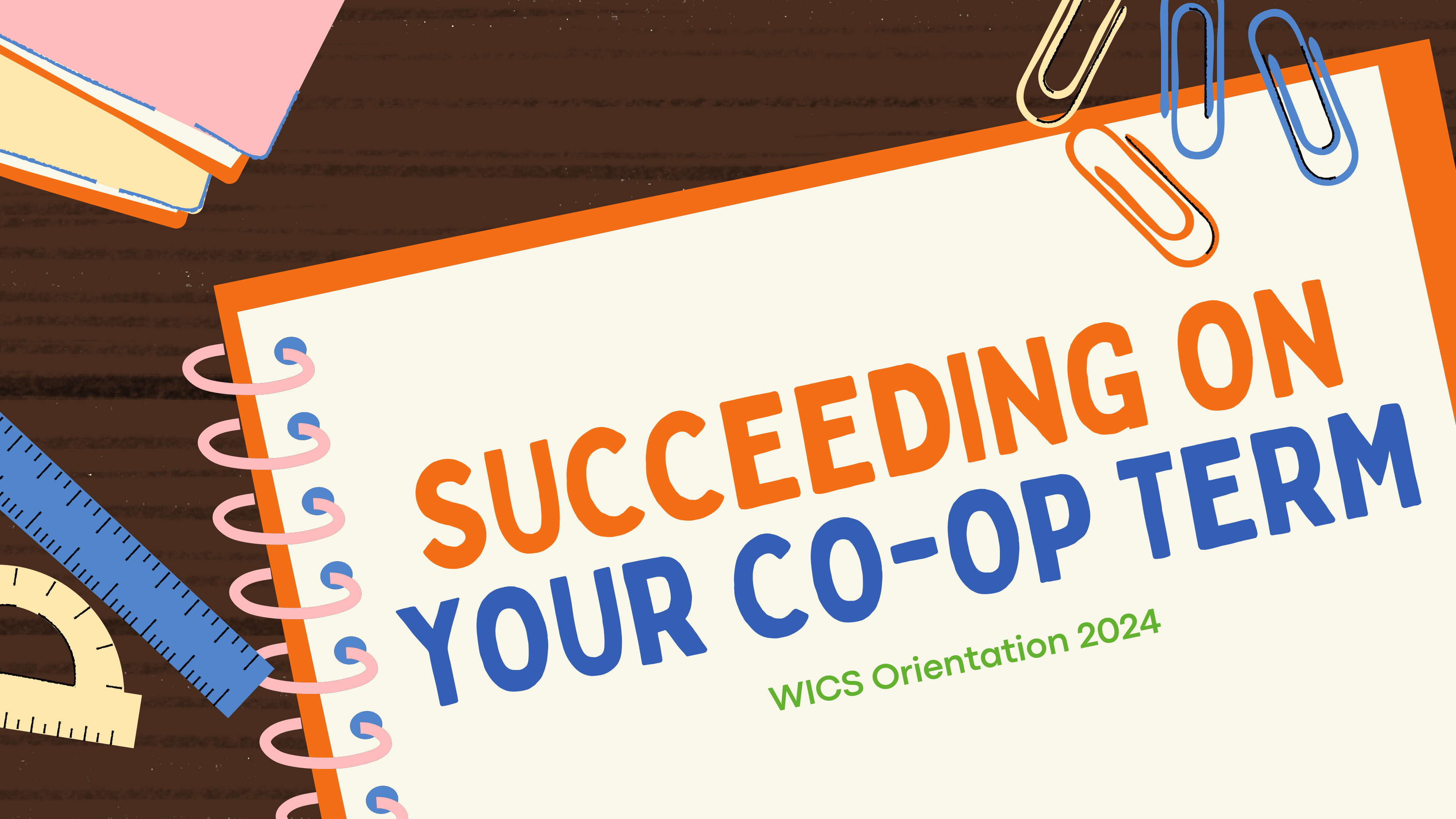




SUCCESSING ON YOUR CO-OP TERM

WICS Orientation 2024



ABOUT ME

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AGENDA



INTERNSHIP SCHEDULE



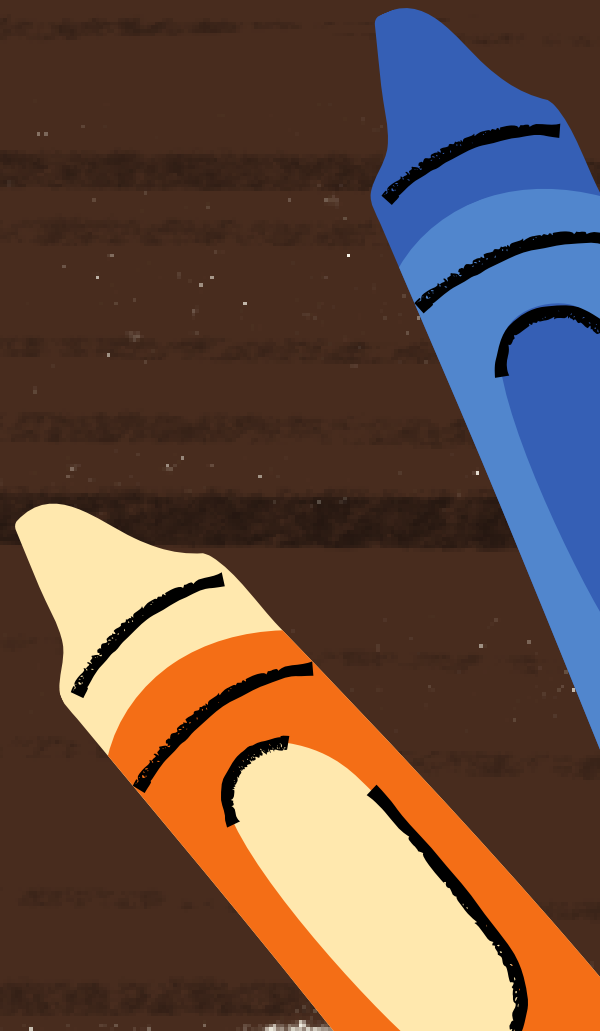
START FOR SUCCESS



THROUGHOUT THE TERM



WRAPPING UP



INTERNSHIP SCHEDULE



WEEK 1

- Onboarding sessions, both online modules and meetings
- 1 on 1 meeting with your manager and mentor
- Setting goals for the term
- Spin-up task

MIDDLE OF THE TERM

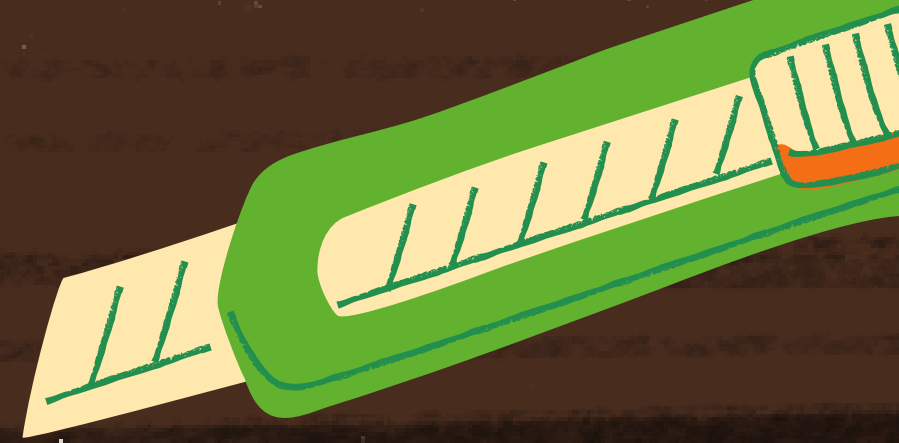
- Learning more about the codebase and team
- Intern and company-wide events
- Working on your project, planning and coding
- Regular check-ins with the team

LAST WEEK

- Finishing up and shipping your project
- Final evaluation and feedback
- Handing off your project to the team



START FOR SUCCESS



- ☐ Set up 1 on 1s with each member on your team
- ☐ Attend onboarding and ask questions
- ☐ Work through self-guided activities efficiently





SETTING GOALS

MEETING YOUR MANAGER

- ☐ Learn specific technical skill Ex. Python, Frontend Development
 - ☐ Learn technical concepts Ex. Relational databases, APIs
 - ☐ Practice system design skills Ex. Write a design document
 - ☐ Expand your knowledge outside of software
Ex. Work with customers, product, design, learn about startups
 - ☐ General goals to accomplish
Ex. Work on something impactful
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THROUGHOUT THE TERM

- ☐ Get involved
- ☐ Ask questions
- ☐ Seek feedback
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Start a My Notes Doc

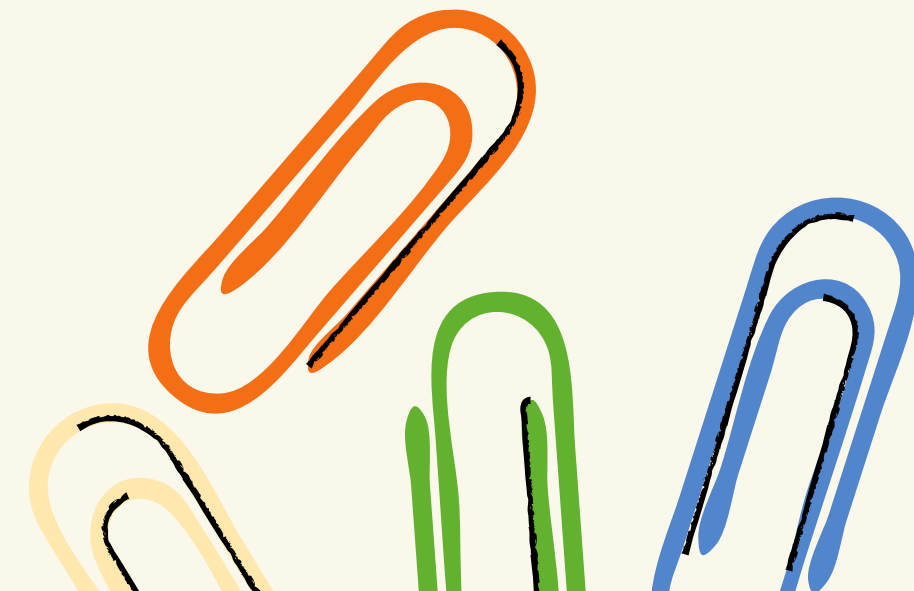
To Do list for ongoing tasks

Cheatsheet with commands and links
you need

Logins you might need

Weekly updates on what you did each
week

Accomplishments you are proud of!

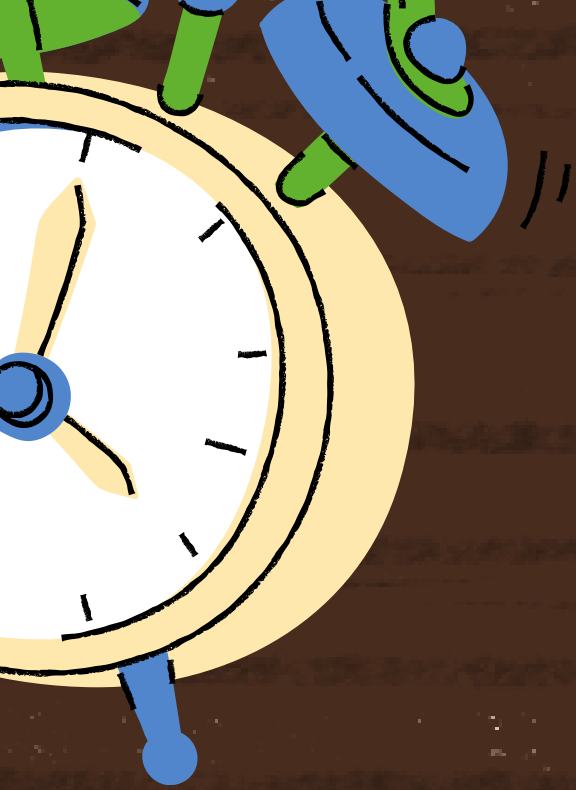




NETWORKING

Reach out to others, both within your team and outside! Some companies have dedicated coffee chat programs or you can reach out to people you're interested in!

- How they ended up at this company/team
- Current/favourite projects they worked on
- Tips they wish they knew at the start
- You might have other connections (same school, hometown, interests)

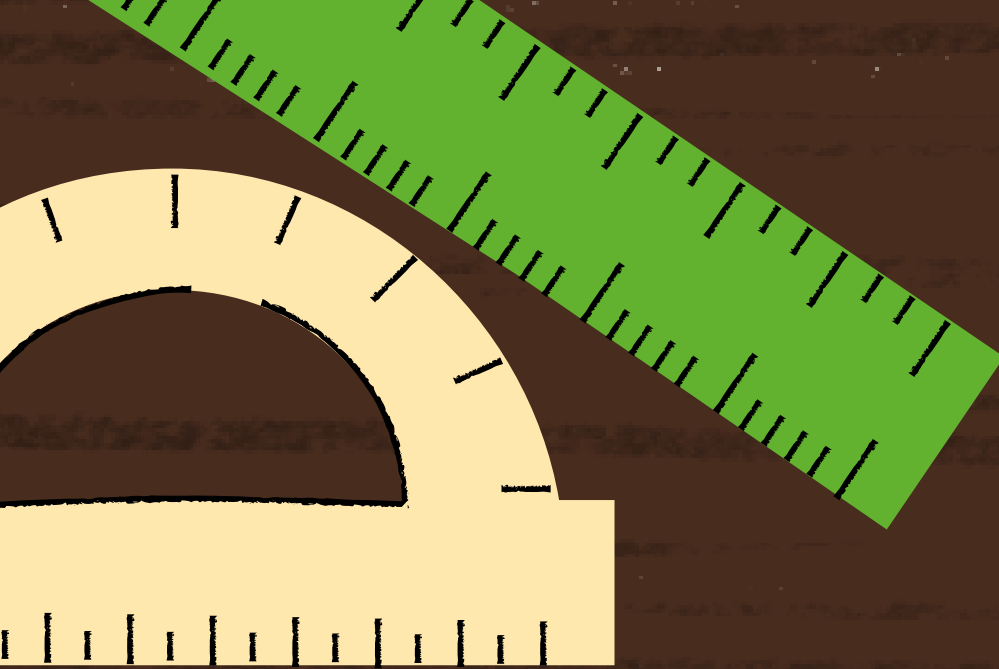


WRAPPING UP

- ☐ Send goodbyes and connect on LinkedIn
- ☐ Write documentation for the team
- ☐ Take note of your accomplishments
- ☐ Listen and learn from your co-op review

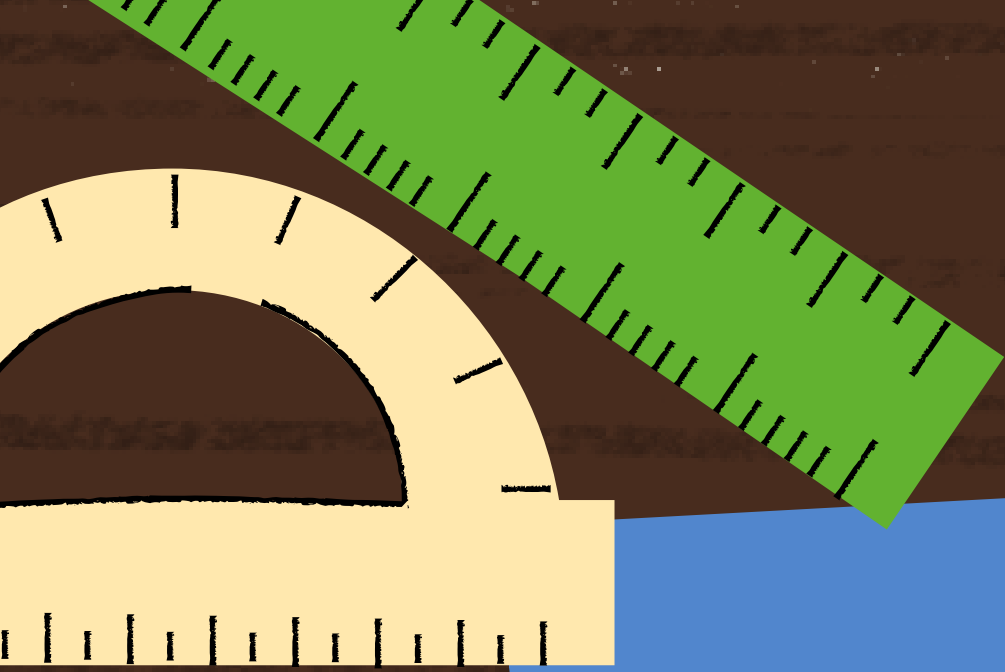


BONUS TIPS

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- ☐ Work through smaller tasks quickly
 - ☐ Stay organized
 - ☐ Be eager and curious!

THANK YOU!





QUESTION & ANSWER

