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# Project Plan Presentation My VR Language Tutor

The Capstone Experience

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#### **Project Sponsor Overview**

# Launch by NTT DATA

- Division of NTT Data
- Develop digital solutions for large companies
- Design and manage product plans and strategies
- Code, develop, & improve applications for clients

#### **Project Functional Specifications**

- Immersive VR language learning tool
- Consolidates <u>learning</u> a language with <u>using</u> a language
- Al-driven NPCs, signs, and objects for users to practice reading and pronunciation
- Ability based scalable preferences

#### Project Design Specifications

- Immersive VR environment
- Al NPC conversations
- Object identification
- Sign pronunciation
- Al evaluation

# Screen Mockup: NPC Interaction



# Screen Mockup: Sign Interaction



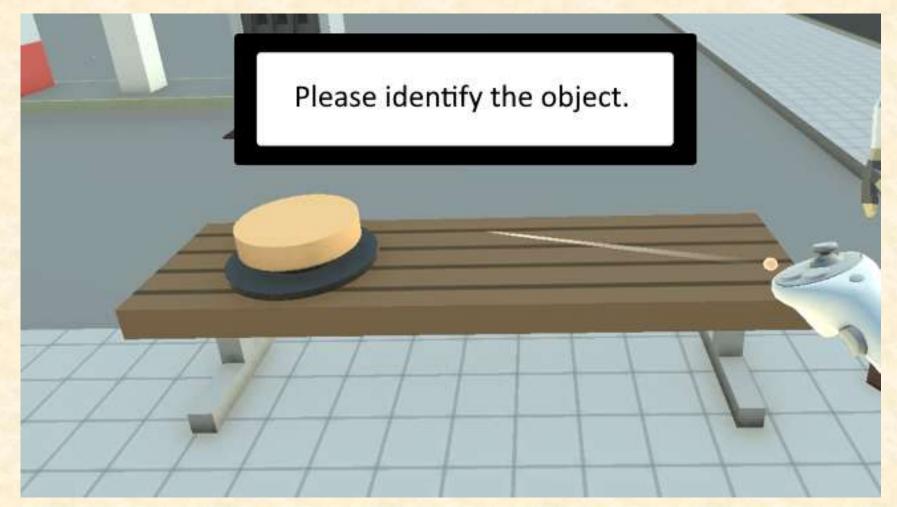


# Screen Mockup: User Preferences





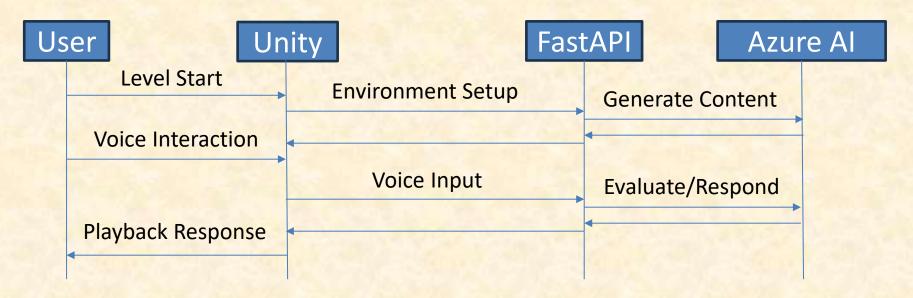
# Screen Mockup: Object Interaction



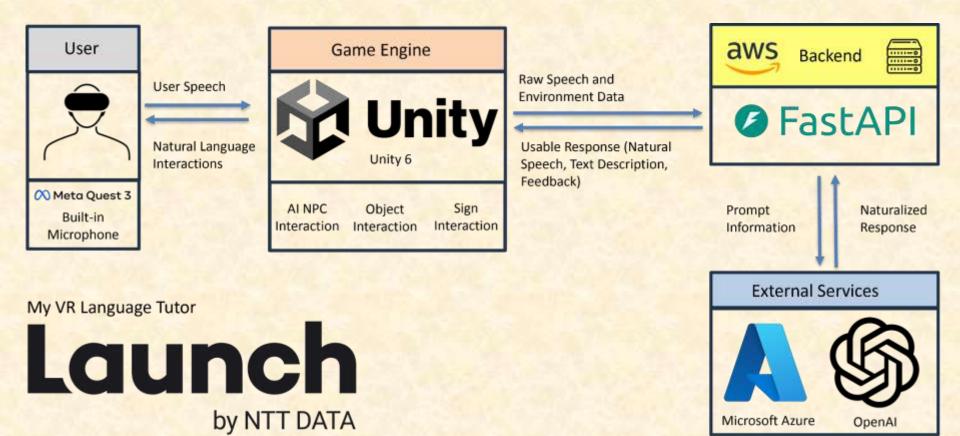


#### **Project Technical Specifications**

- Unity environments, Meta Quest microphone
- Unity scripts and AWS + FastAPI integration
- Azure AI evaluation and synthesized response



## Project System Architecture



#### **Project System Components**

- Hardware Platforms
  - Meta Quest 3
- Software Platforms / Technologies
  - Unity 6
    - OC#
  - FastAPI
    - O Python
  - Azure Al Foundry
  - AWS



#### Project Risks

- Risk 1
  - High latency during "conversation" with NPCs
  - Look into more efficient data transfer, and prioritize performance
- Risk 2
  - Language expectations might be too difficult for beginners
  - Implement difficulty settings by changing vocabulary and syntactic metrics
- Risk 3
  - Pronunciation assessment is specific to different accents & locales
  - Provide settings so user can pick specific locations
- Risk 4
  - Unnatural or inappropriate NPC responses inhibit user education
  - Effectively prompt engineer LLMs & leverage appropriate models

# Questions?

