

# Audio Reality

Lo-Fi Prototyping & Results



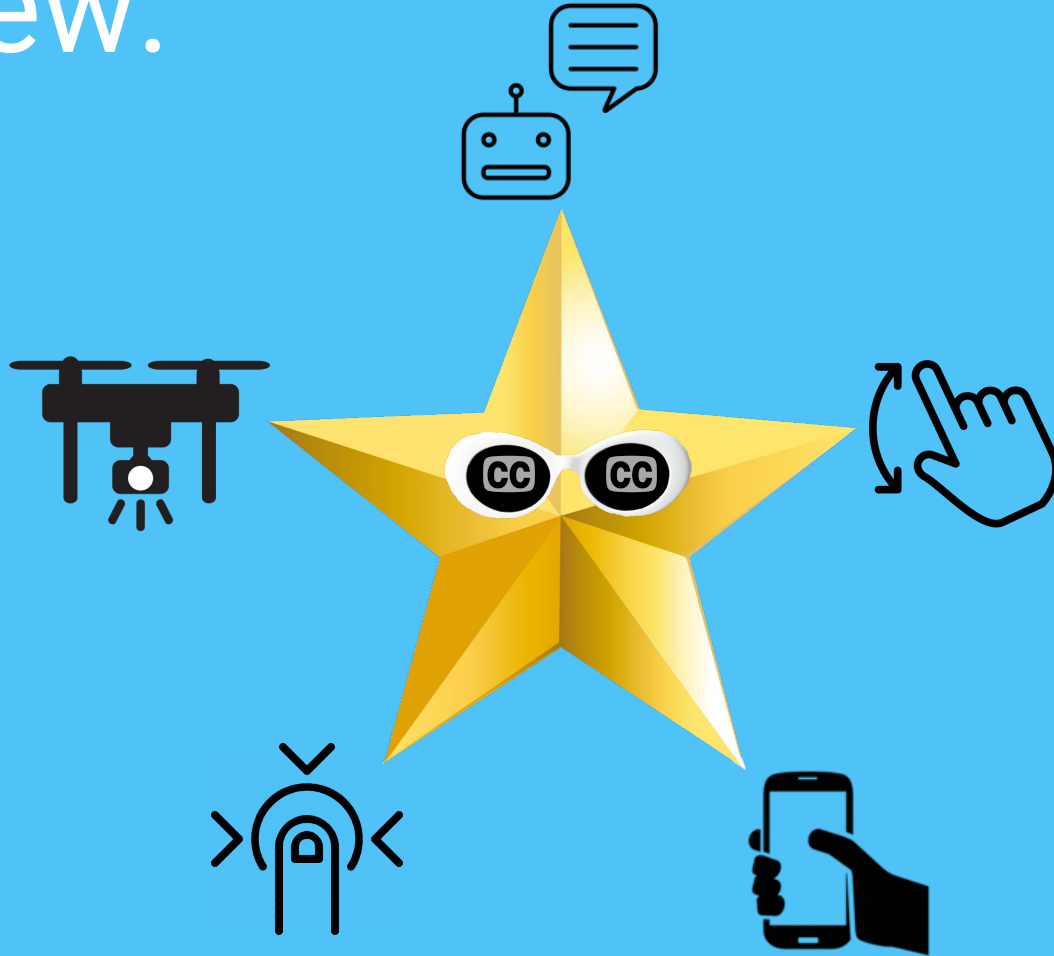
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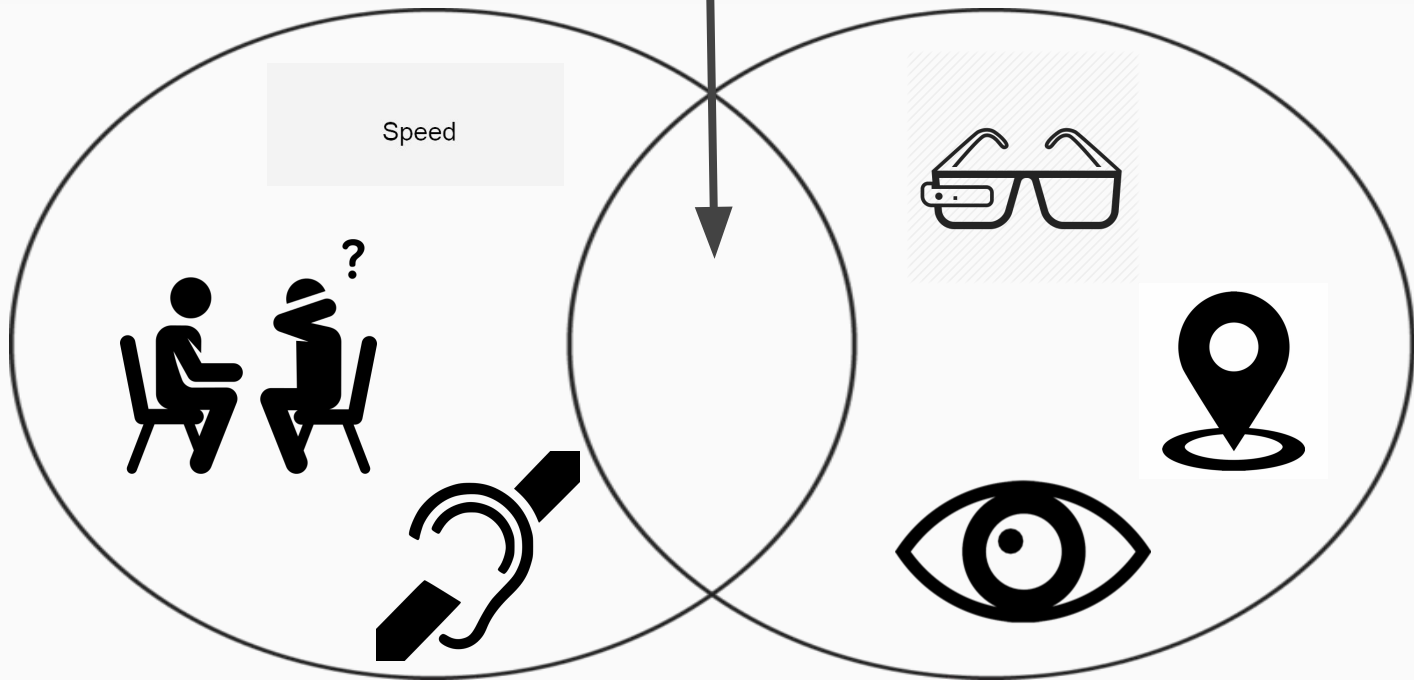


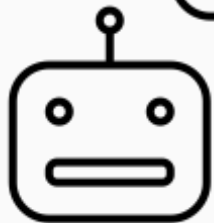
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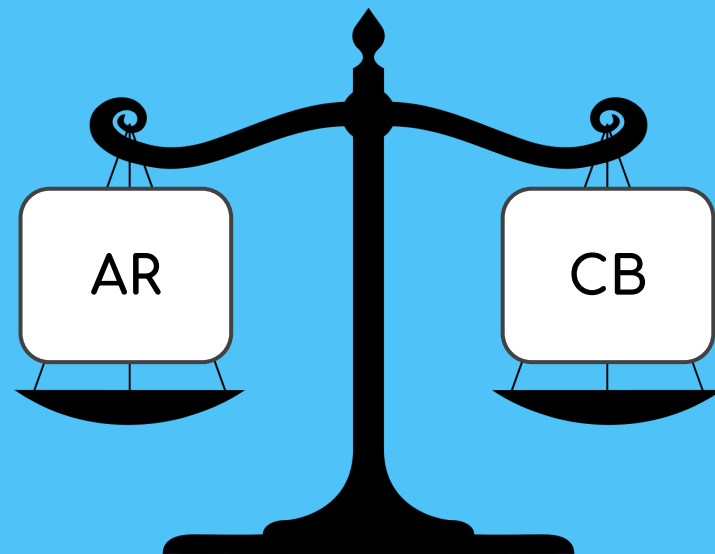




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# Selected Interface

Wearable glasses provide augmented reality capabilities.

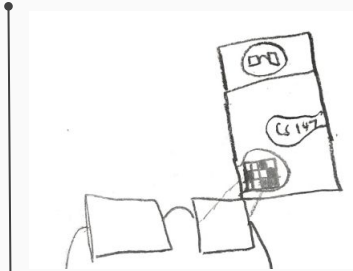


Through these glasses, the audio barrier in class is broken. Plus more personal than a bot.

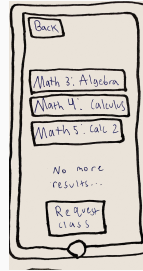
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*Show where you are in the process and what's left to tackle*

## Introduction



## Roleplay



## Feedback

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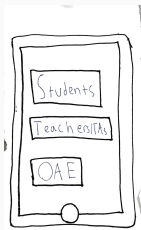
A sample of what captioning looks like for a student:

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Best,

Heather Houser



## Presentation

## AR Interface Demo

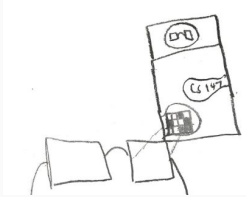


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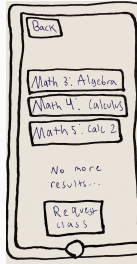
## Introduce Audio Reality

Explain what Audio Reality is.



## Complete Role-Specific Tasks

Simulate the type of user that will be using Audio Reality and complete tasks.



## Feedback

User share their experience using the app.

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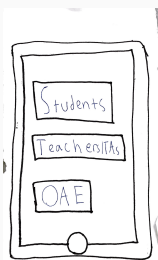
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Welcome user to home screen.

Present App

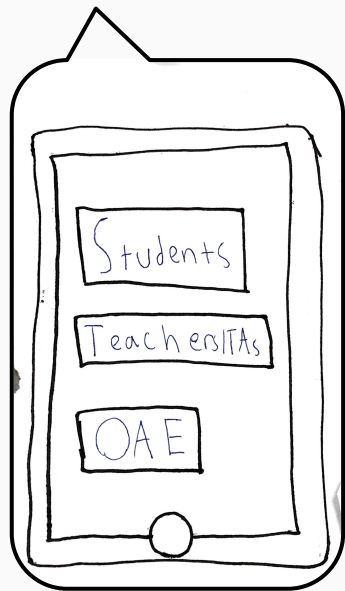
User will demo how captioning system will be presented in lenses.

AR Interface Demo

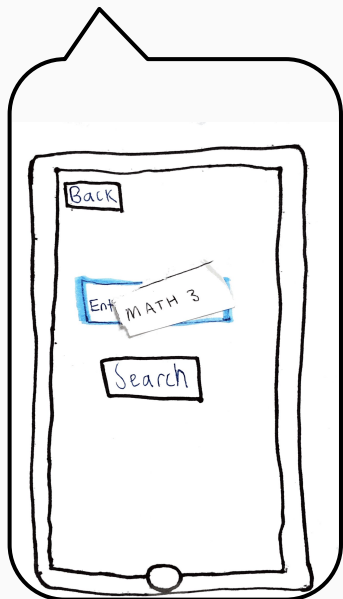


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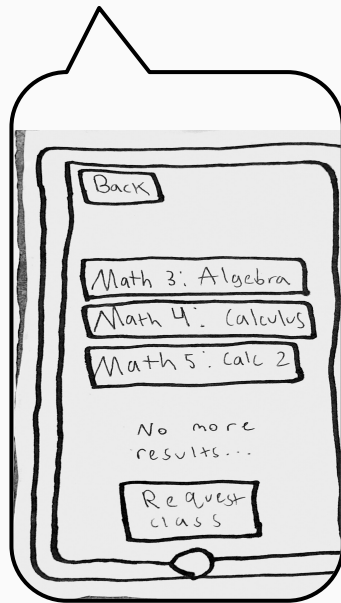
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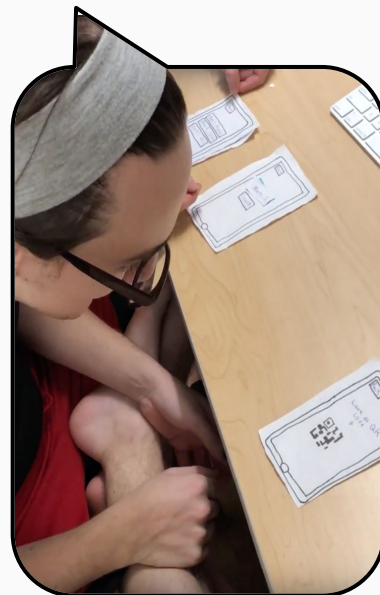
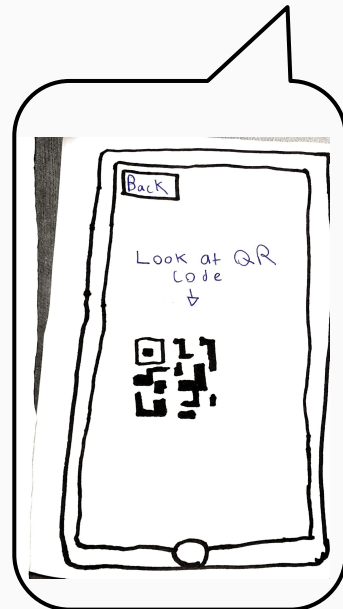
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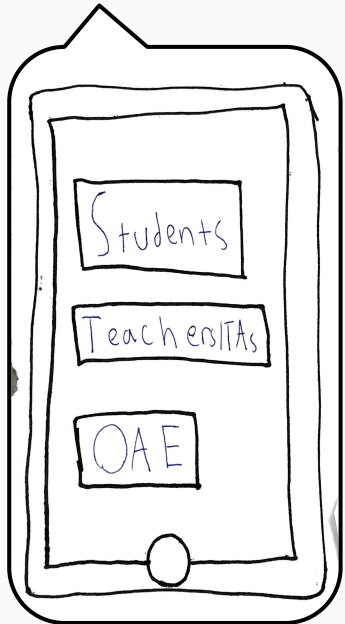


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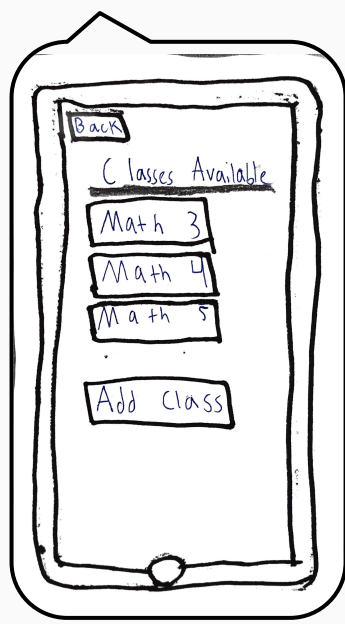


# Task 1.5: Class Administration (Complex)

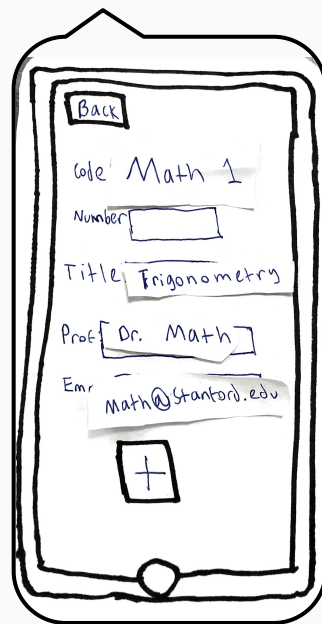
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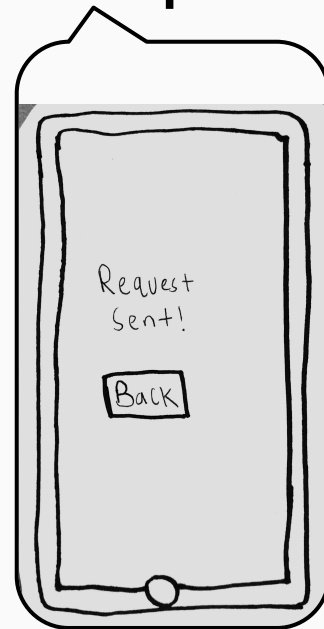
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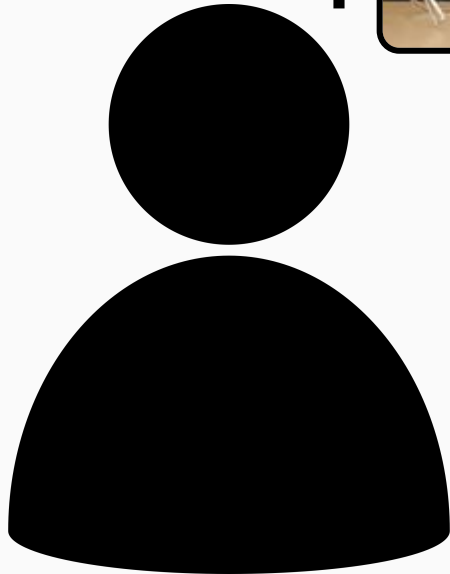
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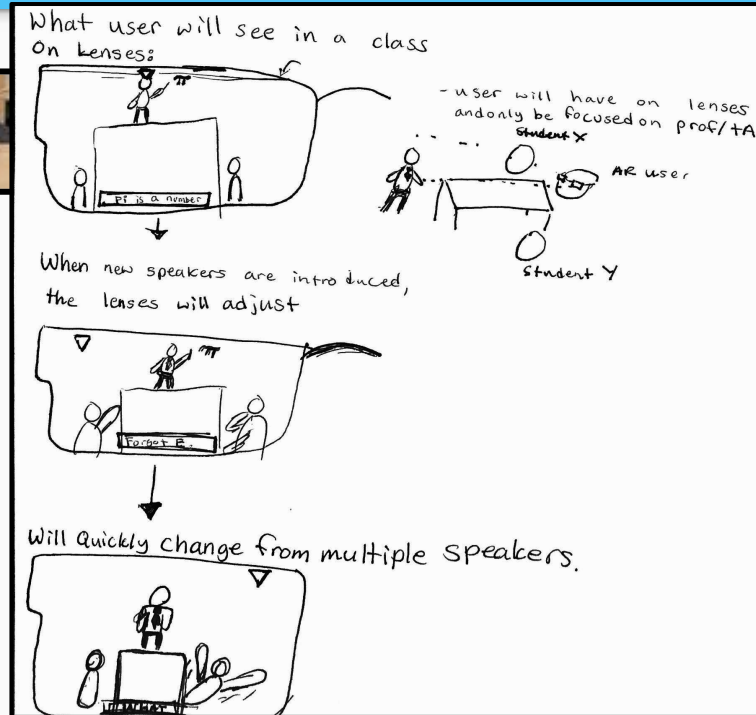
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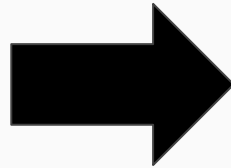
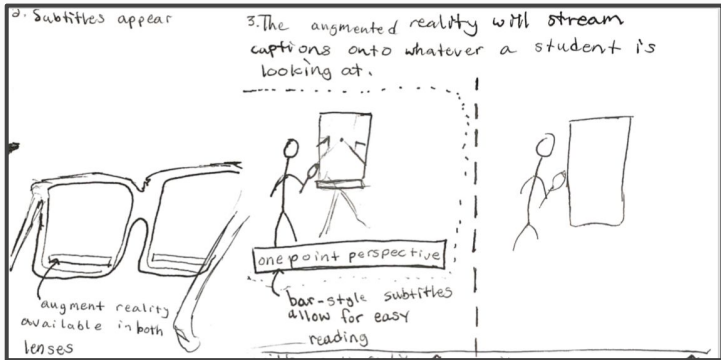
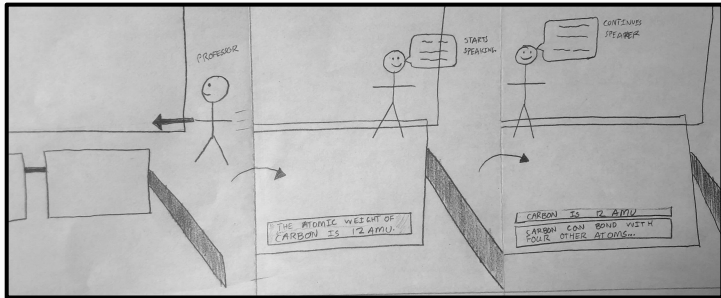
# Task 2 : Find the Speaker (medium)



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# Task 3 : Understand what's said in lecture (simple)



Today, we'll be solving for  $x$ .

We have the equation  $2x+1=3$

First, we subtract 1 from both sides.

Now, we have  $2x=2$ .

Next, we divide each side by 2.

We find our solution  $x=1$ .

# Methods

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who?



what?



why/how?



# Lo-Fi Experimental Results

*"Who worked through our Audio Reality tasks?"*



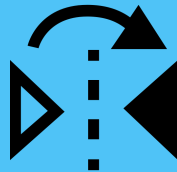
Participant 1

**Accommodations Coordinator**

**Task 1:**



**Task 2:**



**Task 3:**



# Lo-Fi Experimental Results

*"Who worked through our Audio Reality tasks?"*



Participant 2

**Severe Hearing Loss**

**Task 1:**



**Task 2:**



**Task 3:**



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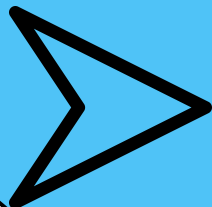
Participant 3

**Course Assistant**

**Task 1:**



**Task 2:**



**Task 3:**



# Suggested UI Changes

★ Save Data



★ Simpler User Interface

★ Device connectivity



# Summary

**Said**

**Heard**

**Think**

# Appendix

***Show the audience you anticipated their questions.***

*Leave room for Q&A, but use the Appendix as a way to show that you both thought about those questions and have solid answers with supporting information. Let the audience test their understanding of the problem and the solution you've outlined - questions give them a chance to talk themselves into your approach, and give you a chance to show mastery of the subject.*



# Mission Statement

Equal access to education  
is achieved through  
augmented reality

# Value Proposition

## Value Proposition

Harnessing augmented reality to create equal educational spaces.

## Mission Statement

Improve the accessibility of speech-based education for students with hearing impairments.

## Problem/Solution Overview

Students who are deaf experience difficulties in lecture. Due to how captions are set up, they must focus on understanding each word being said in lecture instead of learning the material like their peers. Having multiple speakers can further confuse a student. Our solution provides much-needed captioning in students' line-of-sight and provides guidance for understanding who is speaking in lecture. We provide captioning and directional visual cues through Augmented Reality in a head-worn display.

# Lo-Fi Experimental Results

*"Who worked through our Audio Reality tasks?"*



**Heather Hoover**

Accommodations Coordinator

Oversees technological services and exam accommodations for Deaf and Hard of Hearing students.



**Pauline Gielow**

Menlo Park Resident w/ Severe Hearing Loss

Senior citizen, who believes augmented reality can be a breakthrough. However she is scared of



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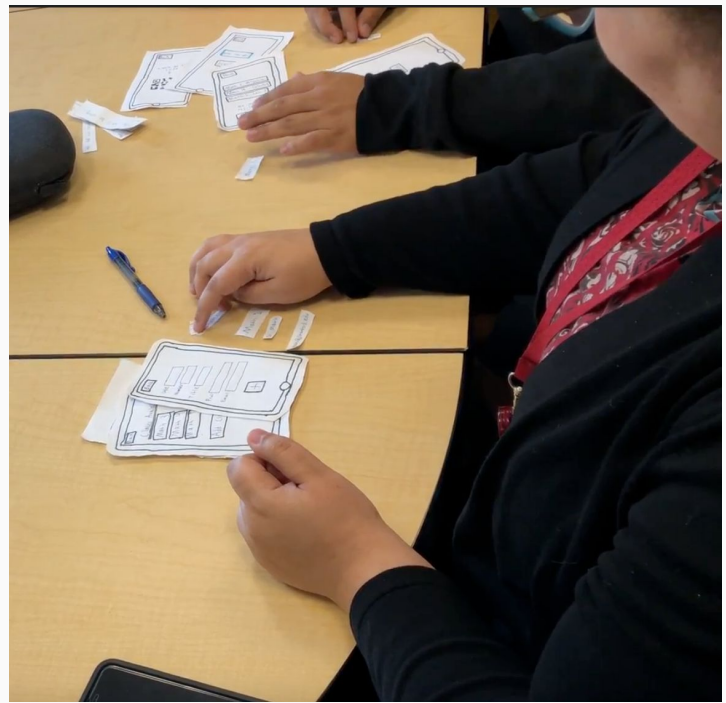
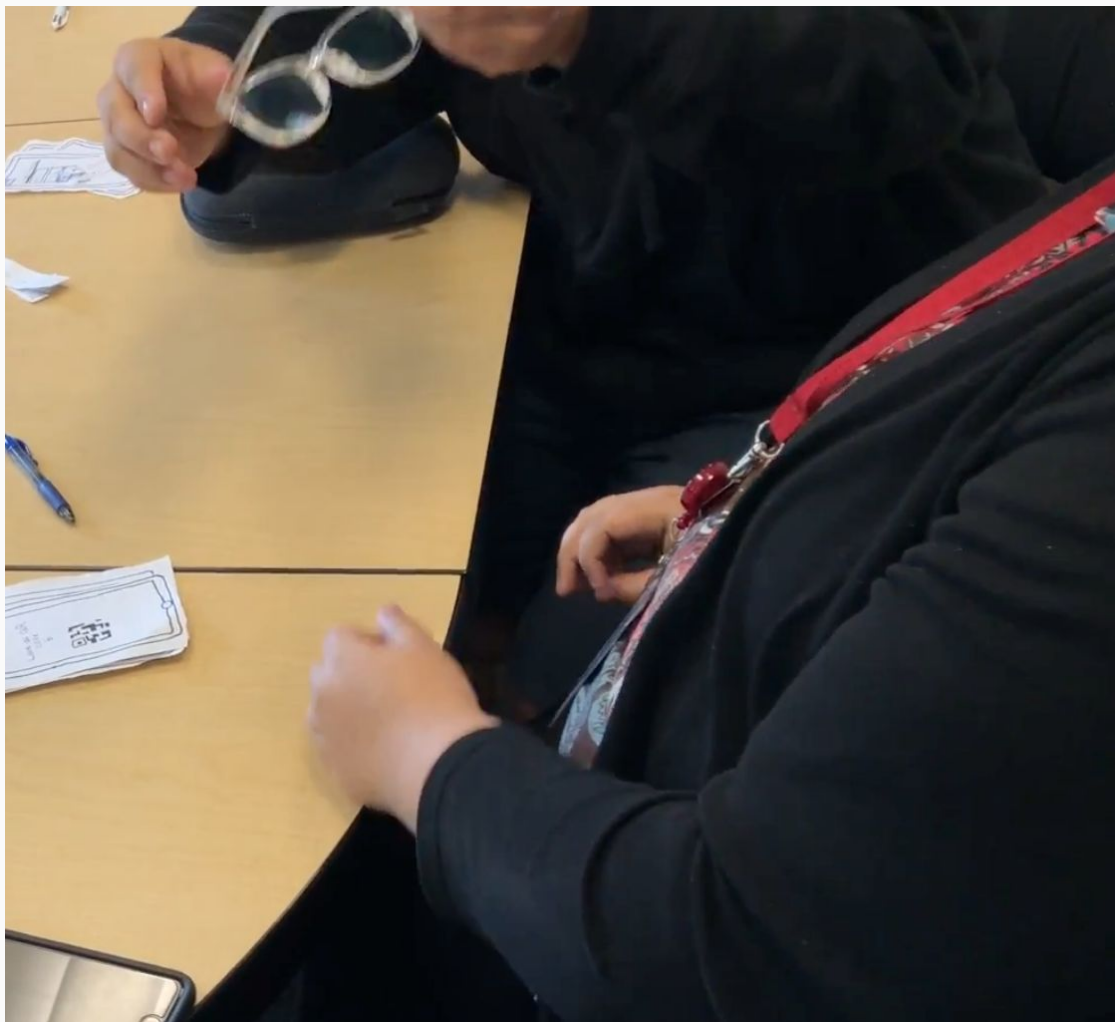
# Overview:

Existing caption technology assists students, but is slow and sometimes creates confusion.

By using wearables, users can have instant, guided captioning that provides equal access to education.

We created a lo-fi prototype to test tasks with all targeted end users: administration, hard of hearing folk, and educators.

Our 5 designs: were Chatbot, Gesture, App, Haptic, Drone



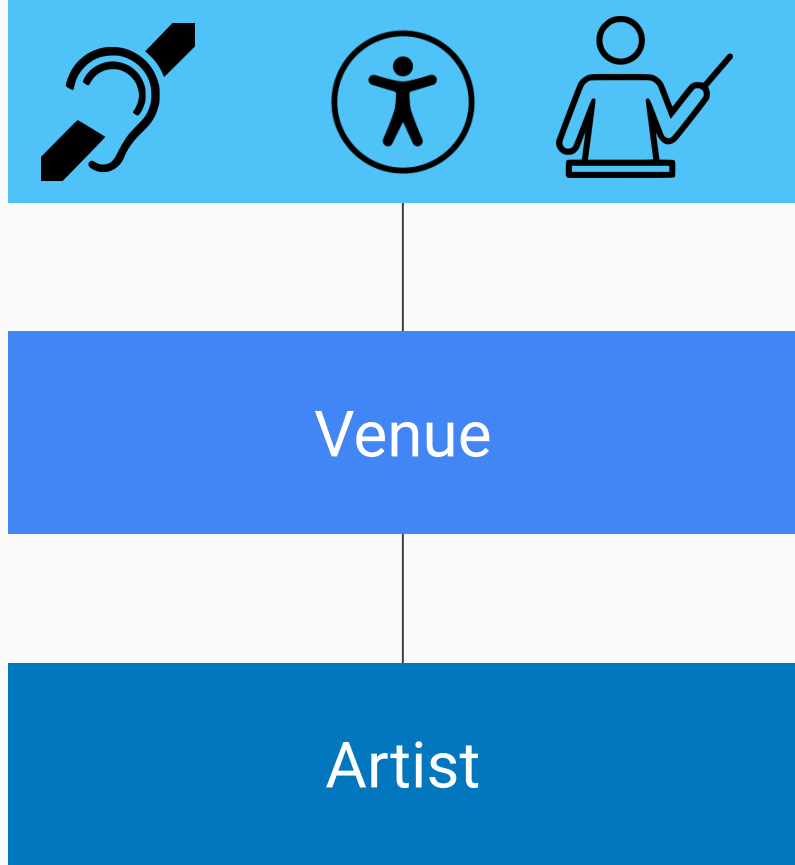
# Experimental Methods

We wanted to test our lo-fi with the target group for our end users.

That is ones that are admins, users, or people who will be captioned.

Two members simulated roles for the user, while one was the “app”

We sought clarity with what we were doing. Focused on emotions more so pertaining to agitation or confusion and delight.



# Lo-Fi Experimental Results

*"Who worked through our Audio Reality tasks?"*



**Participant 1**

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**Accommodations Coordinator**

Task 1:  
Classes don't require that  
much information.  
Class Code instant.

Task 2:  
The moving arrow is  
confusing.  
Flip orientation better.

Task 3:  
Fairly well, if possible to  
connect to what's already  
being broadcast with the  
existing tech.

# Lo-Fi Experimental Results

*"Who worked through our Audio Reality tasks?"*



Participant 2

**Severe Hearing Loss**

Task 1:  
Does not think that OAE  
should be in the app.

Task 2:  
Location tracking is  
beneficial and will help  
her.

Task 3:  
Seeing the text is super  
helpful, if says 248 can't  
hear the 8.

# Lo-Fi Experimental Results

*"Who worked through our Audio Reality tasks?"*



**Participant 3**

**Course Assistant**

Task 1:  
Understood quickly how  
to navigate through the  
app and zoomed through  
the test.

Task 2:  
The triangle does seem  
to point at the right  
person.

Task 3:  
Captions are innovative,  
but how much more do  
they help?

# Summary

Said

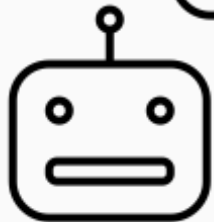
Heard

Think

- ★ Captioning could be improved in classrooms, and administration would use our app.
- ★ OAE technology is almost there, the experience factor is missing.
- ★ A more simplified User Interface with a communication protocol in place with OAE.

# Suggested UI Changes

- ★ Keep Transcripts
- ★ Less Menu Selections
  - Less OAE Role
- ★ Make it more unique
- ★ Have connecting capabilities.



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Wearable glasses will provide augmented reality capabilities.

Through these glasses, the audio barrier in class is broken.