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Overview

Now that you have been introduced to the programming language R, you can pause for a moment and consider what to do when you encounter a problem. In this self-reflection, you will consider your thoughts about asking for help online and respond to brief questions.

This self-reflection will help you develop insights into your own learning and prepare you to apply your participation in online data communities to your experience learning R. As you answer questions—and come up with questions of your own—you will consider concepts, practices, and principles to help refine your understanding and reinforce your learning. You've done the hard work, so make sure to get the most out of it: This reflection will help your knowledge stick!

Use Kaggle to ask a question

One of the most helpful resources for learning R is the large online community of fellow data analysts. R programmers all over the world assist one another on online forums to discuss and solve syntax questions and data problems.

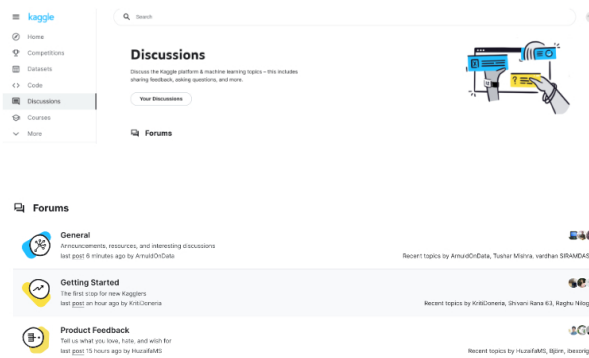
Coming up, you'll ask your peers for help with R. Specifically, you'll go to [Kaggle.com](https://www.kaggle.com), which you may remember from when you learned about data types and structures in Course 3.

Once you're there, you will **write a post on the forum** asking a question about R. Whether it's a question about learning strategies or R syntax, someone on Kaggle should be able to help. Remember to use the search function to check if your question has already been answered—you save time for everyone when you avoid duplicate questions.

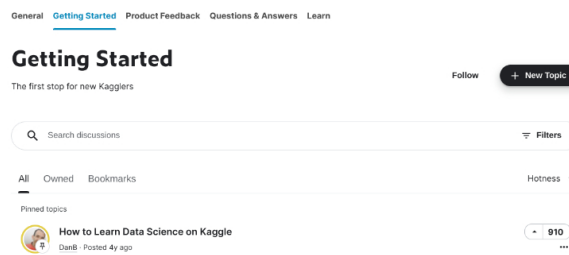
Write a post on Kaggle

To write a post on Kaggle.com, follow these steps:

1. Log in to your Kaggle account by clicking **Sign In** in the top-right corner.
2. Navigate to the **Discussions** tab in the left-hand menu. Select the **Getting Started** subcategory.



3. Then, click the **New Topic** button to create a new thread on the forum.



4. Write the Topic Title and content of your question, then click **Publish Topic**.

Topic Title

Add Tags





Share resources or ask questions about starting out on Kaggle.

Publish Topic

You have now successfully posted a question to the Kaggle forum. Kaggle and other data analytics forums can be invaluable resources as you continue to learn about R and any other data analytics topics.

Reflection

Consider the question you wrote, any responses you received, and Kaggle's role in your learning:

- If someone responded, did what they wrote help to answer your question? Why or why not? If not, what do you hope to learn from a peer's response?
- How else might you use Kaggle to support you as you learn R?

Now, write 2-3 sentences (40-60 words) in response to each of these questions. Type your response in the text box below.

If someone responded, did what they wrote help to answer your question? Why or why not? If not, what do you hope to learn from a peer's response?

Something new....

How else might you use Kaggle to support you as you learn R?
Different perspectives, and sharing of info...

✔ **Correct**

Great work reinforcing your learning with a thoughtful self-reflection! A good reflection on this topic would describe your experience with using an online community to ask a question.

Online platforms such as Kaggle can help you find valuable advice from your peers. You may have learned something new about a learning strategy or an interesting way to apply R to a data analysis problem. Going forward, you can expand your learning by proactively seeking out answers to your questions.