Data Cleaning Walkthrough: Analyzing and Visualizing the Data: Takeaways

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Syntax

• Finding correlations between columns in a dataframe:

```
combined.corr()
```

• Specifying a plot type using Dataframe.plot():

```
combined.plot.scatter(x='total_enrollment', y='sat_score')
```

• Converting a Pandas series to list:

```
longitudes = combined["lon"].tolist()
```

Concepts

- An r value measures how closely two sequences of numbers are correlated.
- An r value ranges for -1 to 1.
- An r value closer to -1 tells us the two columns are negatively correlated while an r value closer to 1 tells us the columns are postively correlated.
- The r value is also called Pearson's correlation coefficient.

Resources

- R value
- pandas.DataFrame.plot()
- Correlation
- Guess the Correlation

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