**Do this exercises with the student sitting next to you in the class:**

**Name 1:**

**Name 2:**

1. What is a database?

Answer:

1. What is a Database Management System (DBMS)?

Answer:

1. Write down the names of five popular DBMSs.

Answer:

1.

2.

3.

4.

5.

1. What is the main difference between data and information?

Answer:

1. Do we need a computer and a database to store data and get information?

Answer:

1. Can we use an Excel Spread sheet as a database?

Answer:

1. What are Database Administrator’s (DBA) duties?

Answer:

1.

2.

3.

1. What the average salary of a DBA in NZ?

Answer:

1. I want to become a computer programmer not a DBA. Do I still have to learn about databases?

Answer:

1. I want to become a web developer not a DBA. Do I still have to learn about databases?

Answer: