

# EduTrack CRM – Phase 1: Problem Understanding & Industry Analysis

Goal: Understand what we're building and why.

## 1. Requirement Gathering

- Capture student inquiries (web forms, walk-ins, calls).
- Assign inquiries to admission officers.
- Schedule and manage counseling sessions.
- Track enrollments and payment status.
- Generate admissions dashboards.

## 2. Stakeholder Analysis

- Admin (you): Manages Salesforce setup.
- Admission Officers: Handle leads, counseling sessions, and enrollments.
- Management: Reviews admissions progress with dashboards.
- Students (Prospects): Inquiry initiators (simulated in CRM).

## 3. Business Process Mapping

Flow: Student Inquiry → Auto-assigned to Admission Officer → Counseling Scheduled → Enrollment Created → Payment Tracked → Reports Generated.

## 4. Industry-specific Use Case Analysis

In education, institutions must efficiently manage leads, reduce delays in admissions, and improve conversion rates. Tracking inquiries manually causes missed opportunities.

## 5. AppExchange Exploration

There are education CRM apps (like Education Cloud), but we'll build our own lightweight EduTrack CRM to learn.