# Week 8: Developing the Target Profile

1. **Grouping by Business Context:** You’ll be grouped with other groups based on the business context you've studied (such as industry, size, location).
2. **Industry/Context Research and Discussion:** Research and share information about the threat environment and regulatory requirements specific to your business's industry, size, or location.
   * **Tip:** Use reliable sources for your research. This will form the basis of your target profile.
3. **Design a Target Profile for Enhancing Incident Response Capabilities:**
   * **Assume** that improving incident response is part of the target profile for your entity.
   * Create a plan that fits the specific needs, context, and threats of the business you have studied.
   * After designing your plan, compare it with the provided exemplar profile (Chapter 3 of NIST.SP.800-61r3.ipd.pdf). Use the exemplar as a guide, but customize your plan to better suit your business.
   * Analyse Differences:
     + What is missing in your plan compared to the exemplar?
     + What unique improvements have you included?
     + Why does your plan differ? How do these differences better meet your entity’s needs?
   * **Tip**: This is a practice activity. You are not required to focus on incident response for your actual assignment. Feel free to explore other exemplar profiles but note that some are based on NIST CSF 1.1.