DBMS Naming Standards

Databases

- Descriptive: Use names that describe the purpose or function of the database. For example, ecommerce_db, hr_system, or inventory management.
- Consistent: Stick to a naming pattern across different databases in the same organization.

Tables

- Singular vs. Plural: Use singular names for tables (e.g., Employee, Product). This aligns with the idea that each row represents a single entity.
- Descriptive: Name tables after the entities they represent (e.g., Customer, Invoice).
- Use underscores: To separate words, use underscores for readability (e.g., order_details, employee_records).