# **PROJECT GUIDELINES**

# Introduction

In order to do a correct work about this case study I use the APPASA (Ask,Prepare,Process,Analyze,Share,Act) method. These my guidelines for every step:

#### **ASK**

## **Guiding questions**

- What is the problem you are trying to solve?
- How can your insights drive business decisions?

## **Key tasks**

- 1. Identify the business task
- 2. Consider key stakeholders

#### Deliverable

A clear statement of the business task

## **PREPARE**

## **Guiding questions**

- Where is your data located?
- How is the data organized?
- Are there issues with bias or credibility in this data? Does your data ROCCC?
- How are you addressing licensing, privacy, security, and accessibility?
- How did you verify the data's integrity?
- How does it help you answer your question?
- Are there any problems with the data?

## Key tasks

- 1. Download data and store it appropriately.
- 2. Identify how it's organized.
- 3. Sort and filter the data.
- 4. Determine the credibility of the data.

## **Deliverable**

A description of all data sources used

#### **PROCESS**

## **Guiding questions**

- What tools are you choosing and why?
- Have you ensured your data's integrity?
- What steps have you taken to ensure that your data is clean?
- How can you verify that your data is clean and ready to analyze?
- Have you documented your cleaning process so you can review and share those results?

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## **Key tasks**

- 1. Check the data for errors.
- 2. Choose your tools.
- 3. Transform the data so you can work with it effectively.
- 4. Document the cleaning process.

#### Deliverable

Documentation of any cleaning or manipulation of data

#### **ANALYZE**

# **Guiding questions**

- How should you organize your data to perform analysis on it?
- Has your data been properly formatted?
- What surprises did you discover in the data?
- What trends or relationships did you find in the data?
- How will these insights help answer your business questions?

## Key tasks

- 1. Aggregate your data so it's useful and accessible.
- 2. Organize and format your data.
- 3. Perform calculations.
- 4. Identify trends and relationships.

#### **Deliverable**

A summary of your analysis

## **SHARE**

## **Guiding questions**

- Were you able to answer the question of how annual members and casual riders use Cyclistic bikes differently?
- What story does your data tell?
- How do your findings relate to your original question?
- Who is your audience? What is the best way to communicate with them?
- Can data visualization help you share your findings?
- Is your presentation accessible to your audience?

## Key tasks

- 1. Determine the best way to share your findings.
- 2. Create effective data visualizations.
- 3. Present your findings.
- 4. Ensure your work is accessible.

### **Deliverable**

Supporting visualizations and key findings

## **ACT**

# **Guiding questions**

- What is your final conclusion based on your analysis?
- How could your team and business apply your insights?
- What next steps would you or your stakeholders take based on your findings?
- Is there additional data you could use to expand on your findings?

## **Key tasks**

1. Presenting your case study.

#### Deliverable

Your top three recommendations based on your analysis