**Learning Log: Reflect on your skills and expectations**

**Instructions**You can use this document as a template for the learning log activity: Reflect on your skills and expectations. Type your answers in this document, and save it on your computer or Google Drive.

We recommend that you save every learning log in one folder and include a date in the file name to help you stay organized. Important information like course number, title, and activity name are already included. After you finish your learning log entry, you can come back and reread your responses later to understand how your opinions on different topics may have changed throughout the courses.

To review detailed instructions on how to complete this activity, please return to Coursera: [Learning Log: Reflect on your skills and expectations](https://www.coursera.org/learn/foundations-data/supplement/qjFsG/learning-log-reflect-on-your-skills-and-expectations).

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| **Date:** <enter date> | **Course/topic:** Course 1: Foundations: Data, Data Everywhere |
| **Learning Log:** Reflect on your skills and expectations |
| **Complete the Analytical Skills Table:** | Here is the Analytical Skills Table for you to fill in. Put an “‘X”’ in the column that you think best describes your current level with each aspect.   |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | **Analytical Skill** | **Strength** | **Developing** | **Emerging** | **Comments/ Plans/ Goals** | | Curiosity | X |  |  |  | | Context |  | X |  |  | | Technical mindset |  |  | X |  | | Data Design |  | X |  |  | | Data Strategy |  | X |  |  | |
| **Reflection:** | Write 2-3 sentences (40-60 words) in response to each of the questions below. |
| **Questions and responses:** | * What do you notice about the ratings you gave yourself in each area? How did you rate yourself in the areas that appeal to you most?   *I still have a lot of skills to develop in data. Even though I have a financial background and have worked with data before, there are a lot of skills that I need to think about some more and work on.*   * If you are asked to rate your experience level in these areas again in a week, what do you think the ratings will be, and why do you think that?   *I don’t think much would change in a week, I will always consider myself to be ‘developing’. There are always areas to work on and strengthen. As for my curiosity I think just taking this course is a way I show my strength in this area*   * How do you plan on developing these skills from now on?   *I will continue to stretch my curiosity and try to learn something new every day. Even if it’s just 5 minutes a day. I will be consistent as I know that I am building valuable skills for my future* |