Donors Choose

DonorsChoose.org receives hundreds of thousands of project proposals each year for classroom projects in need of funding. Right now, a large number of volunteers is needed to manually screen each submission before it's approved to be posted on the DonorsChoose.org website.

Next year, DonorsChoose.org expects to receive close to 500,000 project proposals. As a result, there are three main problems they need to solve:

- How to scale current manual processes and resources to screen 500,000 projects so that they can be posted as quickly and as efficiently as possible
- · How to increase the consistency of project vetting across different volunteers to improve the experience for teachers
- How to focus volunteer time on the applications that need the most assistance

The goal of the competition is to predict whether or not a DonorsChoose.org project proposal submitted by a teacher will be approved, using the text of project descriptions as well as additional metadata about the project, teacher, and school. DonorsChoose.org can then use this information to identify projects most likely to need further review before approval.

About the DonorsChoose Data Set

The train.csv data set provided by DonorsChoose contains the following features:

Feature	Description
project_id	A unique identifier for the proposed project. Example: p036502
	Title of the project. Examples:
project_title	• Art Will Make You Happy! • First Grade Fun
	Grade level of students for which the project is targeted. One of the following enumerated values:
project_grade_category	• Grades PreK-2 • Grades 3-5 • Grades 6-8 • Grades 9-12
	One or more (comma-separated) subject categories for the project from the following enumerated list of values:
project_subject_categories	Applied Learning Care & Hunger Health & Sports History & Civics Literacy & Language Math & Science Music & The Arts Special Needs Warmth
	Examples:
	 Music & The Arts Literacy & Language, Math & Science
school_state	State where school is located (<u>Two-letter U.S. postal code (https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List of U.S. state abbreviations#Postal codes)</u>). Example: WY
	One or more (comma-separated) subject subcategories for the project. Examples:
project_subject_subcategories	 Literacy Literature & Writing, Social Sciences
	An explanation of the resources needed for the project. Example:
project_resource_summary	My students need hands on literacy materials to manage sensory needs!

Description	Feature			
First application essay	project_essay_1			
Second application essay	project_essay_2			
Third application essay	project_essay_3			
Fourth application essay [*]	project_essay_4			
Datetime when project application was submitted. Example: 2016-04-28 12:43:56.245	<pre>project_submitted_datetime</pre>			
A unique identifier for the teacher of the proposed project. Example: bdf8baa8fedef6bfeec7ae4ff1c15c56	teacher_id			
Teacher's title. One of the following enumerated values:				
 nan Dr. Mr. Mrs. Ms. Teacher. 	teacher_prefix			
Number of project applications previously submitted by the same teacher. Example: 2	teacher number of previously posted projects			

teacher_number_of_previously_posted_projects

Number of project applications previously submitted by the same teacher. **Example:** 2

Additionally, the resources.csv data set provides more data about the resources required for each project. Each line in this file represents a resource required by a project:

Feature	Description
id	A project_id value from the train.csv file. Example: p036502
description	Desciption of the resource. Example: Tenor Saxophone Reeds, Box of 25
quantity	Quantity of the resource required. Example: 3
price	Price of the resource required. Example: 9.95

Note: Many projects require multiple resources. The id value corresponds to a project_id in train.csv, so you use it as a key to retrieve all resources needed for a project:

The data set contains the following label (the value you will attempt to predict):

Label Description

project_is_approved A binary flag indicating whether DonorsChoose approved the project. A value of 0 indicates the project was not approved, and a value of 1 indicates the project was approved.

Notes on the Essay Data

Prior to May 17, 2016, the prompts for the essays were as follows:

- __project_essay_1:__ "Introduce us to your classroom"
- project essay 2: "Tell us more about your students"
- __project_essay_3:__ "Describe how your students will use the materials you're requesting"
- __project_essay_3:__ "Close by sharing why your project will make a difference"

Starting on May 17, 2016, the number of essays was reduced from 4 to 2, and the prompts for the first 2 essays were changed to the following:

- __project_essay_1:__ "Describe your students: What makes your students special? Specific details about their background, your neighborhood, and your school are all helpful."
- __project_essay_2:__ "About your project: How will these materials make a difference in your students' learning and improve their school lives?"

For all projects with project submitted datetime of 2016-05-17 and later, the values of project essay 3 and project essay 4 will be NaN.

^{*} See the section **Notes on the Essay Data** for more details about these features.

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In [1]:
             1 %matplotlib inline
             2 import warnings
             3 warnings.filterwarnings("ignore")
             5 import random
             6 import pandas as pd
             7 import numpy as np
             8 import nltk
             9 import string
            10 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
            11 import seaborn as sns
            12 from wordcloud import WordCloud, STOPWORDS
            13 from sklearn.feature_extraction.text import TfidfTransformer
            14 from sklearn.feature_extraction.text import TfidfVectorizer
            15 from sklearn.preprocessing import Normalizer
            16  from sklearn.feature_extraction.text import CountVectorizer
            17 from sklearn.metrics import confusion matrix
            18 from sklearn import metrics
            19 from sklearn.metrics import roc_curve, auc
            20 from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
            21 from scipy.sparse import hstack
            22 import re
            23 # Tutorial about Python regular expressions: https://pymotw.com/2/re/
            24 import string
            25 from nltk.corpus import stopwords
            26 from nltk.stem import PorterStemmer
            27 from nltk.stem.wordnet import WordNetLemmatizer
            28 import scipy
            29 from gensim.models import Word2Vec
            30 from gensim.models import KeyedVectors
            31 import pickle
            32
            33 from tqdm import tqdm
            34 import os
            35
            36 from chart_studio import plotly
            37 import plotly.offline as offline
            38 import plotly.graph_objs as go
            39 offline.init_notebook_mode()
            40 from collections import Counter
```

1. Reading the Data

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In [3]: | 1 ## Check the shape and attributes of the project data
              2 print("Number of data points in project train data", project data.shape)
             3 print('-'*50)
             4 print("The attributes of data:", project data.columns.values)
            Number of data points in project train data (109248, 17)
            The attributes of data : ['Unnamed: 0' 'id' 'teacher id' 'teacher prefix' 'school state'
             'project_submitted_datetime' 'project_grade_category'
             'project_subject_categories' 'project_subject_subcategories'
             'project_title' 'project_essay_1' 'project_essay_2' 'project_essay_3'
             'project_essay_4' 'project_resource_summary'
             'teacher_number_of_previously_posted_projects' 'project_is_approved']
In [4]: | 1 | ## Check the shape and attributes of the resource data
              2 print("Number of data points in resource train data", resource_data.shape)
             3 print(resource data.columns.values)
             4 resource_data.head(2)
            Number of data points in resource train data (1541272, 4)
            ['id' 'description' 'quantity' 'price']
   Out[4]:
                    id
                                                     description quantity price
             0 p233245 LC652 - Lakeshore Double-Space Mobile Drying Rack
                                                                    1 149.00
```

1.1 Preprocessing Categorical Features: project_grade_category

Bouncy Bands for Desks (Blue support pipes)

3 14.95

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In [5]: | 1 | print("Project grade" ,project_data['project_grade_category'].value_counts(dropna=False))
             2 ## visulaize how project grade looks like
             3 print('-'*50)
             4 print(project_data['project_grade_category'].values[1000])
             5 print(project_data['project_grade_category'].values[1500])
             6 print('There is no nan values for this feature ' )
            Project grade Grades PreK-2
                                          44225
            Grades 3-5
                            37137
            Grades 6-8
                            16923
            Grades 9-12
                            10963
            Name: project_grade_category, dtype: int64
            Grades 3-5
            Grades PreK-2
            There is no nan values for this feature
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1.2 Preprocessing Categorical Features: project_subject_category

Name: project_grade_category, dtype: int64

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2 # remove special characters from list of strings python: https://stackoverflow.com/a/47301924/4084039
             3 # reference from course material : reference EDA.ipynb
             4 # https://www.geeksforgeeks.org/removing-stop-words-nltk-python/
             5 | # https://stackoverflow.com/questions/23669024/how-to-strip-a-specific-word-from-a-string
             6 # https://stackoverflow.com/questions/8270092/remove-all-whitespace-in-a-string-in-python
             7
             8 def _process_cat_subcat(categories):
             9
                   cat list = []
                    for i in categories:
            10
            11
                       temp = ""
            12
                       # consider we have text like this "Math & Science, Warmth, Care & Hunger"
            13
                       for j in i.split(','): # it will split it in three parts ["Math & Science", "Warmth", "Care & Hunger"]
            14
                           if 'The' in j.split(): # this will split each of the catogory based on space "Math & Science"=> "Math", "&", "Science"
            15
                               j=j.replace('The','') # if we have the words "The" we are going to replace it with ''(i.e removing 'The')
                           j = j.replace(' ','') # we are placeing all the ' '(space) with ''(empty) ex:"Math & Science"=>"Math&Science"
            16
            17
                           temp+=j.strip()+" " #" abc ".strip() will return "abc", remove the trailing spaces
                           temp = temp.replace('&','_') # we are replacing the & value into
            18
            19
                       cat_list.append(temp.strip())
            20
                    return cat_list
            21
            22
            23
            24 project_data['clean_categories'] = _process_cat_subcat(categories)
            25 project_data.drop(['project_subject_categories'], axis=1, inplace=True)
            26 project_data.head(2)
            27
            28 ### maintain a dict that
            29 my counter=Counter()
            30 | for word in project_data['clean_categories'].values:
            31
                       my_counter.update(word.split())
            32 cat_dict=dict(my_counter)
               sorted_cat_dict = dict(sorted(cat_dict.items(), key=lambda kv: kv[1]))
            34
            35
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1.3 Preprocessing Categorical Features: project_subject_category

1.4 Preprocessing Categorical Features: school_state

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In [9]: | 1 | project_data['school_state'].value_counts()
             2 ## Convert it to lower
             project_data['school_state'] = project_data['school_state'].str.lower()
            4 print(project_data['school_state'].value_counts(dropna=False))
             5 print('No nan values in this feature')
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                  7396
           tx
                  7318
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           f1
                  6185
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           vt
                    80
           Name: school_state, dtype: int64
           No nan values in this feature
```

1.5 Preprocessing Categorical Features: Teacher_prefix

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In [10]: | 1 | print(project data['teacher prefix'].value counts(dropna=False))
              2 # try to remove the dots from the teacher prefix and replace nan with mrs.
              3 project data['teacher prefix']=project data['teacher prefix'].fillna('Mrs.')
              4 project data['teacher prefix']=project data['teacher prefix'].str.replace('.','')
              5 project data['teacher prefix']=project data['teacher prefix'].str.lower()
              6 project_data['teacher_prefix']=project_data['teacher_prefix'].str.strip()
             Mrs.
                        57269
                        38955
             Ms.
                        10648
             Mr.
                         2360
             Teacher
             Dr.
                          13
             NaN
                           3
             Name: teacher_prefix, dtype: int64
```

1.6 Combining all the essays

```
In [11]: | 1 | print('Number of nan values in essay1 is ' ,len(project_data[project_data["project_essay_1"].isna()==True]))
              2 print('Number of nan values in essay2 is ',len(project_data[project_data["project_essay_2"].isna()==True]))
              3 print('Number of nan values in essay3 is ' ,len(project_data[project_data["project_essay_3"].isna()==True]))
              4 print('Number of nan values in essay4 is ',len(project_data[project_data["project_essay_4"].isna()==True]))
             Number of nan values in essay1 is 0
             Number of nan values in essay2 is 0
             Number of nan values in essay3 is 105490
             Number of nan values in essay4 is 105490
In [12]: ► 1 # merge two column text dataframe:
              2 project_data["essay"] = project_data["project_essay_1"].map(str) +\
              3
                                         project_data["project_essay_2"].map(str) + \
              4
                                         project_data["project_essay_3"].map(str) + \
              5
                                         project_data["project_essay_4"].map(str)
```

1.7. Preprocessing Numerical Values: price

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In [13]: | ## calculate the overall count of resources and the total price for each project id
price_data=resource_data.groupby('id',as_index=False).agg({'price':'sum','quantity':'sum'})
##merge into the project_Data
project_data = pd.merge(project_data,price_data,on='id',how='left')
```

1.8 Preprocessing Text Features: project_title, essay

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In [14]: | 1 | # https://stackoverflow.com/a/47091490/4084039
               2 def decontracted(phrase):
                      # specific
                      phrase = re.sub(r"won't", "will not", phrase)
              4
                      phrase = re.sub(r"can\'t", "can not", phrase)
              5
               6
              7
                      phrase = re.sub(r"n\'t", " not", phrase)
                     phrase = re.sub(r"\'re", " are", phrase)
              8
                      phrase = re.sub(r"\'s", " is", phrase)
              9
              10
                     phrase = re.sub(r"\'d", " would", phrase)
                     phrase = re.sub(r"\'ll", " will", phrase)
              11
                     phrase = re.sub(r"\'t", " not", phrase)
              12
              13
                     phrase = re.sub(r"\'ve", " have", phrase)
                     phrase = re.sub(r"\'m", " am", phrase)
              14
              15
                     return phrase
              16 # https://gist.github.com/sebleier/554280
              17 | # we are removing the words from the stop words list: 'no', 'nor', 'not'
              18 | stopwords= ['i', 'me', 'my', 'myself', 'we', 'our', 'ours', 'ourselves', 'you', "you're", "you've",
                              "you'll", "you'd", 'your', 'yours', 'yourself', 'yourselves', 'he', 'him', 'his', 'himself', \setminus
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                              'am', 'is', 'are', 'was', 'were', 'be', 'been', 'being', 'have', 'has', 'had', 'having', 'do', 'does', \
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                              'did', 'doing', 'a', 'an', 'the', 'and', 'but', 'if', 'or', 'because', 'as', 'until', 'while', 'of', \
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                              've', 'y', 'ain', 'aren', "aren't", 'couldn', "couldn't", 'didn', "didn't", 'doesn', "doesn't", 'hadn',\
              29
                              "hadn't", 'hasn', "hasn't", 'haven', "haven't", 'isn', "isn't", 'ma', 'mightn', "mightn't", 'mustn',
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              31
                              "mustn't", 'needn', "needn't", 'shan', "shan't", 'shouldn', "shouldn't", 'wasn', "wasn't", 'weren', "weren't", \
              32
                             'won', "won't", 'wouldn', "wouldn't"]
              33
              34 print("printing some random reviews")
              35 | print(9, project_data['project_title'].values[9])
             36 | print(34, project_data['project_title'].values[34])
              37 | print(147, project_data['project_title'].values[147])
```

printing some random reviews
9 Just For the Love of Reading--\r\nPure Pleasure
34 \"Have A Ball!!!\"
147 Who needs a Chromebook?\r\nWE DO!!

```
In [15]: ▶ 1 # Combining all the above statements
             2 # stemming the words
             3 from nltk.stem import SnowballStemmer
             4 sno=SnowballStemmer('english')
             5 def preprocess text(text data):
                    preprocessed text = []
             7
                    # tqdm is for printing the status bar
             8
                    for sentance in tqdm(text data):
             9
                        sent = decontracted(sentance)
             10
                       sent = sent.replace('\\r', ' ')
                       sent = sent.replace('\\n', ' ')
             11
                       sent = sent.replace('\\"', ' ')
             12
            13
                       sent = re.sub('[^A-Za-z0-9]+', ' ', sent)
             14
                       # https://gist.github.com/sebleier/554280
             15
                        sent = ' '.join(sno.stem(e) for e in sent.split() if e.lower() not in stopwords)
             16
                       preprocessed_text.append(sent.lower().strip())
             17
                    return preprocessed_text
2 #merge the column in the project_data
             3 project_data['processed_title']=preprocessed_titles
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In [17]: ▶ 1 | print("printing some random reviews")
             print(9, preprocessed_titles[9])
             3 print(34, preprocessed_titles[34])
             4 print(147, preprocessed titles[147])
            printing some random reviews
            9 love read pure pleasur
            34 ball
            147 need chromebook
In [18]: ▶ 1 | print("printing some random reviews")
             2 print(9, project_data['project_title'].values[9])
             3 print(34, project_data['project_title'].values[34])
             4 print(147, project_data['project_title'].values[147])
             5 preprocessed_essays = preprocess_text(project_data['essay'].values)
            printing some random reviews
            9 Just For the Love of Reading--\r\nPure Pleasure
            34 \"Have A Ball!!!\"
            147 Who needs a Chromebook?\r\nWE DO!!
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printing some random essay

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3. VECTORIZING DATA

3.1 One hot encoding on Categorical: (categories, subcategories, schoolstate, teacher_prefix, project grade)

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In [20]: | ## remove redundant columns
project_data.drop(columns=['Unnamed: 0','project_essay_1','project_essay_2','project_essay_3','project_essay_4'],axis=1,inplace=True)
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In [21]:
                    1 X train = project data
                     2 y_train = project_data['project_is_approved']
                     3 X train.drop(columns=['project is approved'],axis=1)
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    In [22]:
                    1 # we use count vectorizer to convert the values into one hot vectors
                     2 | ## clean categories
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                     4 cat_vectorize = CountVectorizer(lowercase=False, binary=True)
                        cat_vectorize.fit(X_train['clean_categories'].values)
                     7
                        train_categories = cat_vectorize.transform(X_train['clean_categories'].values)
                     8
                       print(cat_vectorize.get_feature_names())
                    10 print("Shape of matrix of Train data after one hot encoding ",train_categories.shape)
                   ['AppliedLearning', 'Care_Hunger', 'Health_Sports', 'History_Civics', 'Literacy_Language', 'Math_Science', 'Music_Arts', 'SpecialNeeds', 'Warmth']
                   Shape of matrix of Train data after one hot encoding (109248, 9)
                    1 # we use count vectorizer to convert the values into one hot vectors
    In [23]:
                     2 ## clean subcategories
                     3
                     4 subcat vectorize = CountVectorizer(lowercase=False, binary=True)
                        subcat vectorize.fit(X train['clean subcategories'].values)
                     6
                     7
                        train_subcategories = subcat_vectorize.transform(X_train['clean_subcategories'].values)
                     9 print(subcat_vectorize.get_feature_names())
                    10
                        print("Shape of matrix of Train data after one hot encoding ", train subcategories.shape)
                    11
                   ['AppliedSciences', 'Care_Hunger', 'CharacterEducation', 'Civics_Government', 'College_CareerPrep', 'CommunityService', 'ESL', 'EarlyDevelopment', 'Economics', 'EnvironmentalSc
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['AppliedSciences', 'Care_Hunger', 'CharacterEducation', 'Civics_Government', 'College_CareerPrep', 'CommunityService', 'ESL', 'EarlyDevelopment', 'Economics', 'EnvironmentalScience', 'Extracurricular', 'FinancialLiteracy', 'ForeignLanguages', 'Gym_Fitness', 'Health_LifeScience', 'Health_Wellness', 'History_Geography', 'Literacy', 'Literature_Writing', 'Mathematics', 'Music', 'NutritionEducation', 'Other', 'ParentInvolvement', 'PerformingArts', 'SocialSciences', 'SpecialNeeds', 'TeamSports', 'VisualArts', 'Warmth']
Shape of matrix of Train data after one hot encoding (109248, 30)

```
In [24]:
             1 # we use count vectorizer to convert the values into one hot vectors
              2 ## school state
              3
              4
              5 sklstate vectorize = CountVectorizer(lowercase=False, binary=True)
              6 | sklstate vectorize.fit(X train['school state'].values)
              8 | sklstate train = sklstate vectorize.transform(X train['school state'].values)
             10 print(sklstate vectorize.get feature names())
             print("Shape of matrix of Train data after one hot encoding ",sklstate_train.shape)
             12
             ['ak', 'al', 'ar', 'az', 'ca', 'co', 'ct', 'dc', 'de', 'fl', 'ga', 'hi', 'ia', 'id', 'il', 'in', 'ks', 'ky', 'la', 'ma', 'md', 'me', 'mi', 'mn', 'mo', 'ms', 'mt', 'nc', 'nd',
             'ne', 'nh', 'nj', 'nm', 'nv', 'ny', 'oh', 'ok', 'or', 'pa', 'ri', 'sc', 'sd', 'tn', 'tx', 'ut', 'va', 'vt', 'wa', 'wi', 'wv', 'wy']
             Shape of matrix of Train data after one hot encoding (109248, 51)
In [25]: | 1 | # we use count vectorizer to convert the values into one hot vectors
              2 ## teacher_prefix
              4 teacher_prefix_vectorize = CountVectorizer(lowercase=False, binary=True)
              5 teacher_prefix_vectorize.fit(X_train['teacher_prefix'].values)
                 teacher prefix train = teacher prefix vectorize.transform(X train['teacher prefix'].values)
              9 print(teacher_prefix_vectorize.get_feature_names())
             10 print("Shape of matrix of Train data after one hot encoding ",teacher_prefix_train.shape)
             ['dr', 'mr', 'mrs', 'ms', 'teacher']
             Shape of matrix of Train data after one hot encoding (109248, 5)
In [26]: | 1 | # we use count vectorizer to convert the values into one hot vectors
              2 ## project_grade
              4 proj_grade_vectorize = CountVectorizer(lowercase=False, binary=True)
              5 proj grade vectorize.fit(X train['project grade category'].values)
              7 proj_grade_train = proj_grade_vectorize.transform(X_train['project_grade_category'].values)
              9 print(proj_grade_vectorize.get_feature_names())
             10 print("Shape of matrix of Train data after one hot encoding ",proj grade train.shape)
             ['3 5', '6 8', '9 12', 'prek 2']
             Shape of matrix of Train data after one hot encoding (109248, 4)
```

3.2 Vectorizing Text data

3.2.1 BOW on Essay data

Shape of matrix after one hot encoding (109248, 5000)

3.2.2 BOW on Title data

Shape of matrix after one hot encoding (109248, 2455)

4. Vectorizing Numerical Features

4.1 Price

```
In [29]: | Normalizer = Normalizer()
2  # normalizer.fit(X_train['price'].values)
3  # this will rise an error Expected 2D array, got 1D array instead:
4  # array=[105.22 215.96 96.01 ... 368.98 80.53 709.67].
5  # Reshape your data either using
6  # array.reshape(-1, 1) if your data has a single feature
7  # array.reshape(1, -1) if it contains a single sample.
8  normalizer.fit(X_train['price'].values.reshape(1, -1))
9
10  X_train_price_norm = normalizer.transform(X_train['price'].values.reshape(1, -1))
11
12
13  ## reshaping
14  X_train_price_norm=X_train_price_norm.reshape(-1,1)
```

4.2 Quantity

```
In [30]:
              1
              2 normalizer = Normalizer()
              3
              4 # normalizer.fit(X train['price'].values)
              5 # this will rise an error Expected 2D array, got 1D array instead:
              6 # array=[105.22 215.96 96.01 ... 368.98 80.53 709.67].
              7 # Reshape your data either using
              8 # array.reshape(-1, 1) if your data has a single feature
              9 # array.reshape(1, -1) if it contains a single sample.
             11 normalizer.fit(X_train['quantity'].values.reshape(1,-1))
             12
             13 quantity_train_norm = normalizer.transform(X_train['quantity'].values.reshape(1,-1))
             14
             15 | ## reshaping
             16 quantity_train_norm=quantity_train_norm.reshape(-1,1)
```

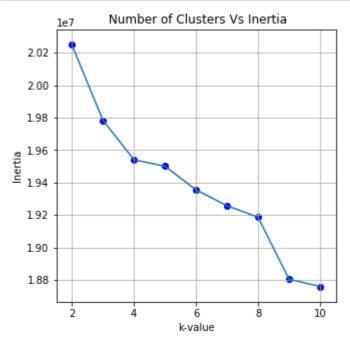
4.3 Number of Previously posted projects

Assignment 10 - Clustering

- step 1: Choose any vectorizer (data matrix) that you have worked in any of the assignments, and got the best AUC value.
- step 2: Choose any of the <u>feature selection (https://scikit-learn.org/stable/modules/feature_selection.html)/reduction algorithms (https://scikit-learn.org/stable/modules/decomposition.html)</u> ex: selectkbest features, pretrained word vectors, model based feature selection etc and reduce the number of features to 5k features.
- step 3: Apply all three kmeans, Agglomerative clustering, DBSCAN
 - K-Means Clustering:
 - Find the best 'k' using the elbow-knee method (plot k vs inertia)
 - Agglomerative Clustering:
 - Apply agglomerative algorithm (https://stackabuse.com/hierarchical-clustering-with-python-and-scikit-learn/) and try a different number of clusters like 2,5 etc.
 - As this is very computationally expensive, take **5k** datapoints only to perform hierarchical clustering because they do take a considerable amount of time to run.
 - DBSCAN Clustering:
 - Find the best 'eps' using the elbow-knee method (https://stackoverflow.com/a/48558030/4084039).
 - Take **5k** datapoints only.
- step 4: Summarize each cluster by manually observing few points from each cluster.
- step 5: You need to plot the word cloud with essay text for each cluster for each of algorithms mentioned in step 3.

5. K-means - Clustering

5.1 Plotting K vs Intertia

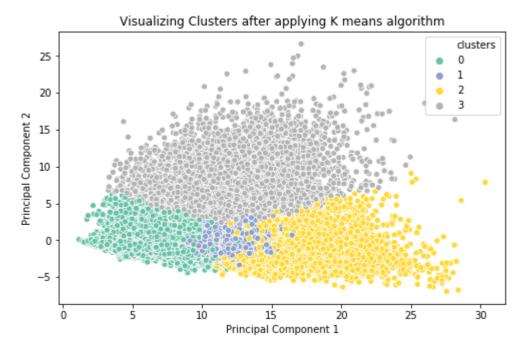


Observations:

- 1. We see that after k=4 (elbow point) inertia decreases linearly .
- 2. We can take k=4 as the optimal number of cluster

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In [36]: ▶ 1 # train with the best k value
             2 kmeans=MiniBatchKMeans(n_clusters=4,init='k-means++',n_init=10,random_state=4)
             3 kmeans.fit(X_tr)
   Out[36]: MiniBatchKMeans(batch_size=100, compute_labels=True, init='k-means++',
                   init_size=None, max_iter=100, max_no_improvement=10, n_clusters=4,
                  n_init=10, random_state=4, reassignment_ratio=0.01, tol=0.0,
                   verbose=0)
In [37]: ▶
            1 def extract_datapoints(labels,data,cl_no):
                   df_=[]
             3
                   for i in range(len(labels)):
             4
                      if labels[i] == cl_no :
             5
                          df_.append(i)
                   return data.iloc[df_]
2 cl2=extract_datapoints(kmeans.labels_,project_data,1)
             3 cl3=extract_datapoints(kmeans.labels_,project_data,2)
             4 cl4=extract_datapoints(kmeans.labels_,project_data,3)
```

Lets visualize Clusters using TruncatedSVD



5.2 Manually summarizing each cluster

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In [42]: 1 cl1.head(3)

Out[42]:

•	id	teacher_id	teacher_prefix	school_state	project_submitted_datetime	project_grade_category	project_title	project_resource_summary	teacher_number_of_previously_posted_projects	pro
	0 p253737	c90749f5d961ff158d4b4d1e7dc665fc	mrs	in	2016-12-05 13:43:57	prek_2	Educational Support for English Learners at Home	My students need opportunities to practice beg		
	1 p258326	897464ce9ddc600bced1151f324dd63a	mr	fl	2016-10-25 09:22:10	6_8	Wanted: Projector for Hungry Learners	My students need a projector to help with view	7	
	4 p104768	be1f7507a41f8479dc06f047086a39ec	mrs	tx	2016-07-11 01:10:09	prek_2	Interactive Math Tools	My students need hands on practice in mathemat	1	

In [43]: ► 1 cl2.head(3)

Out[43]:

]:	id	teacher_id	teacher_prefix	school_state	project_submitted_datetime	project_grade_category	project_title	project_resource_summary	teacher_number_of_previously_posted_projects
	3 p246581	f3cb9bffbba169bef1a77b243e620b60	mrs	ky	2016-10-06 21:16:17	prek_2	Techie Kindergarteners	My students need to engage in Reading and Math	4
	8 p045029	487448f5226005d08d36bdd75f095b31	mrs	sc	2016-09-25 17:00:26	prek_2	Targeting More Success in Class	My students need three devices and three manag	28
	14 p233127	424819801de22a60bba7d0f4354d0258	ms	ma	2017-02-14 16:29:10	prek_2	TABLETS CAN SHOW US THE WORLD	My students need 5 tablets for our classroom t	15

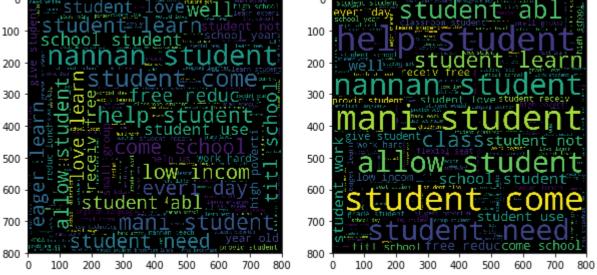


5.3 Plotting Word Cloud

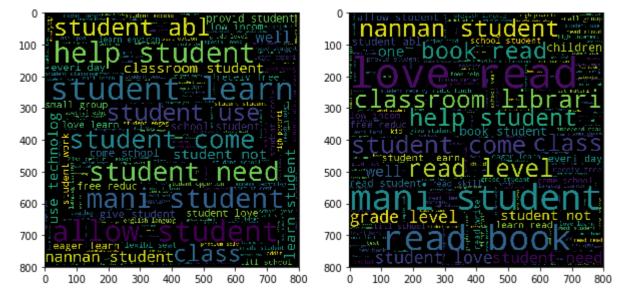
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In [46]:
              1 def word_cloud(cl):
                     stopwords = set(STOPWORDS)
              3
                     ##merge the text of false positive points
                     word_cloud_str=' '.join(cl['processed_essay'].values)
              4
              5
                     #create wordcloud
              6
                     wordcloud = WordCloud(width = 800, height = 800,
              7
                                 background_color ='black',
              8
                                 stopwords = stopwords,
              9
                                 min_font_size = 10).generate(word_cloud_str)
             10
                     return wordcloud
```

Cluster 1 and Cluster 2

```
In [47]: N # word cloud for cluster 1(left) and cluster2(right)
2  # plot the WordCloud image
3  # https://stackoverflow.com/questions/42818361/how-to-make-two-plots-side-by-side-using-python
4  wordcloud1=word_cloud(cl1)
5  wordcloud2=word_cloud(cl2)
6  fig, axes = plt.subplots(nrows=1, ncols=2, figsize=(10,5))
7  axes[0].imshow(wordcloud1)
8  axes[1].imshow(wordcloud2)
9  plt.show()
```



Cluster 3 and Cluster 4



Observation:

- 1. we can observe difference in the word cloud of all the 4 clusters.
- 2. In cluster 4 we can observe words like love, read that are uncommon in other clusters.

6 Alglomerative Clustering

```
In [49]: | ### reducing our trainset to 5000 points using random sampling
randlist=random.sample(range(1,X_tr.shape[0]), 5000)
sampled_tr=X_tr[randlist].todense()
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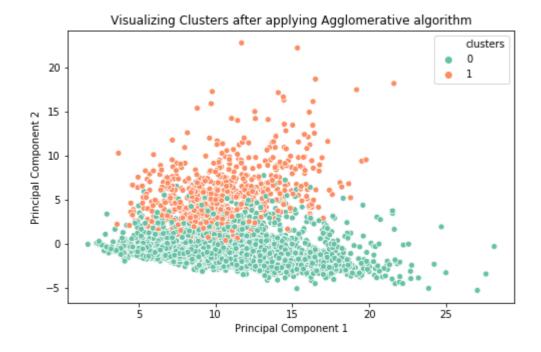
1 ## converting to sparse matrix

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2 sampled_tr=scipy.sparse.csr_matrix(sampled_tr)
Shape of dataset (5000, 5000)
        Observing with n_clusters=2
In [52]: ▶ 1 # reference : https://scikit-learn.org/stable/auto_examples/cluster/plot_mini_batch_kmeans.html
            2 from sklearn.cluster import AgglomerativeClustering
            4 | agg=AgglomerativeClustering(linkage='ward',n_clusters=2)
            5 agg.fit(sampled_tr.toarray())
   Out[52]: AgglomerativeClustering(affinity='euclidean', compute_full_tree='auto',
                     connectivity=None, linkage='ward', memory=None, n_clusters=2,
                     pooling_func='deprecated')
In [53]:
        ▶ 1 agg.labels_
   Out[53]: array([0, 0, 0, ..., 1, 0, 0], dtype=int64)
2 cl1=extract_datapoints(agg.labels_,data,0)
            3 cl2=extract_datapoints(agg.labels_,data,1)
            4 # cl3=extract_datapoints(agg.labels_,data,2)
            5 # cl4=extract_datapoints(agg.labels_,data,3)
            6 # cl5=extract_datapoints(agg.labels_,data,4)
```

Lets visualize Clusters using TruncatedSVD

In [50]: ▶

Out[55]: Text(0.5, 1.0, 'Visualizing Clusters after applying Agglomerative algorithm')

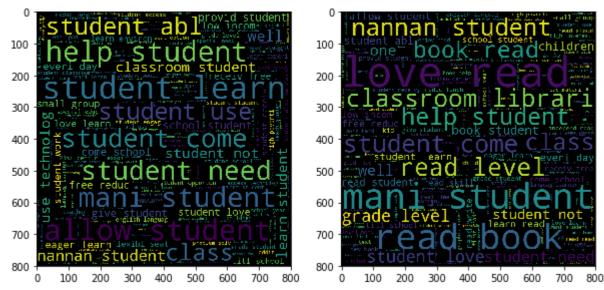


6.2 Manually summarizing each cluster

In [56]: ▶ 1 cl1.head(3) Out[56]: id teacher_id teacher_prefix school_state project_submitted_datetime project_grade_category project_title project_resource_summary teacher_number_of_previously_posted_project_submitted_datetime project_grade_category project_submitted_datetime project_grade_category project_submitted_datetime project_grade_category project_submitted_datetime project_grade_category project_submitted_datetime project_grade_category project_grade_grade_grade_grade_grade_grade_grade_grad index Blooming Second My students need i-pad mini **0** 107187 p002957 4e31fea7fb07f1a24e389286bbd16b73 mrs 2016-07-02 20:00:28 Graders tablets to explore... Need STEM!\r\n Entice our My students need a variety of **1** 91432 p213667 4149cae86b4eec56b5afa6cc25249dbb 2017-03-01 13:09:53 mrs CO SENSES! sensory and game... Sitting, Standing, and My students need additional **2** 68006 p128372 9e536466e3d1f5d9ffcd3be4fee42d1d 2016-07-08 10:21:25 Bouncing options for altern... Our Way to Suc... In [57]: 1 cl2.head(3) Out[57]: id teacher_id teacher_prefix school_state project_submitted_datetime project_grade_category project_title project_resource_summary teacher_number_of_previously_posted_p index My students need books, Sustain in **12** 109093 p013168 0a3d369d37b820e300d5dca46ad62edb ny 2017-04-05 19:00:55 the Summer snacks, and cinch sack... iPads For Access to My students need iPads with 66527 p254646 891607ee651ce7db8b3946de6d560281 2016-09-01 00:01:27 Valuable prek_2 mrs or cases and headphon... Math and Reading ... My Growing My students need a variety of 3776 p247608 0034e3cf3ea440efa7e85ea6aa5b867a 2016-08-02 17:50:02 tx prek_2 Kinder ms different levele... Garden

6.3 Plotting Word Cloud

```
In [58]: N  ## word cloud for cluster 1(left) and cluster2(right)
2  # plot the WordCloud image
3  # https://stackoverflow.com/questions/42818361/how-to-make-two-plots-side-by-side-using-python
wordcloud1=word_cloud(cl1)
wordcloud2=word_cloud(cl2)
6  fig, axes = plt.subplots(nrows=1, ncols=2, figsize=(10,5))
axes[0].imshow(wordcloud3)
8  axes[1].imshow(wordcloud4)
9  plt.show()
```



Observations:

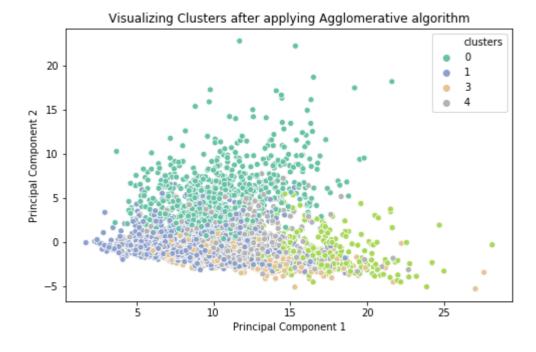
- 1. The clusters have some common words like student, help.
- 2.We observe words like love, read, level, classroom, library in cluster 2 which is not in cluster 1.

Observing with n_clusters=5

Out[59]: AgglomerativeClustering(affinity='euclidean', compute_full_tree='auto', connectivity=None, linkage='ward', memory=None, n_clusters=5, pooling_func='deprecated')

Lets visualize Clusters using TruncatedSVD

Out[62]: Text(0.5, 1.0, 'Visualizing Clusters after applying Agglomerative algorithm')



6.2 Manually summarizing each cluster

In [63]: 1 cl1.head(3)

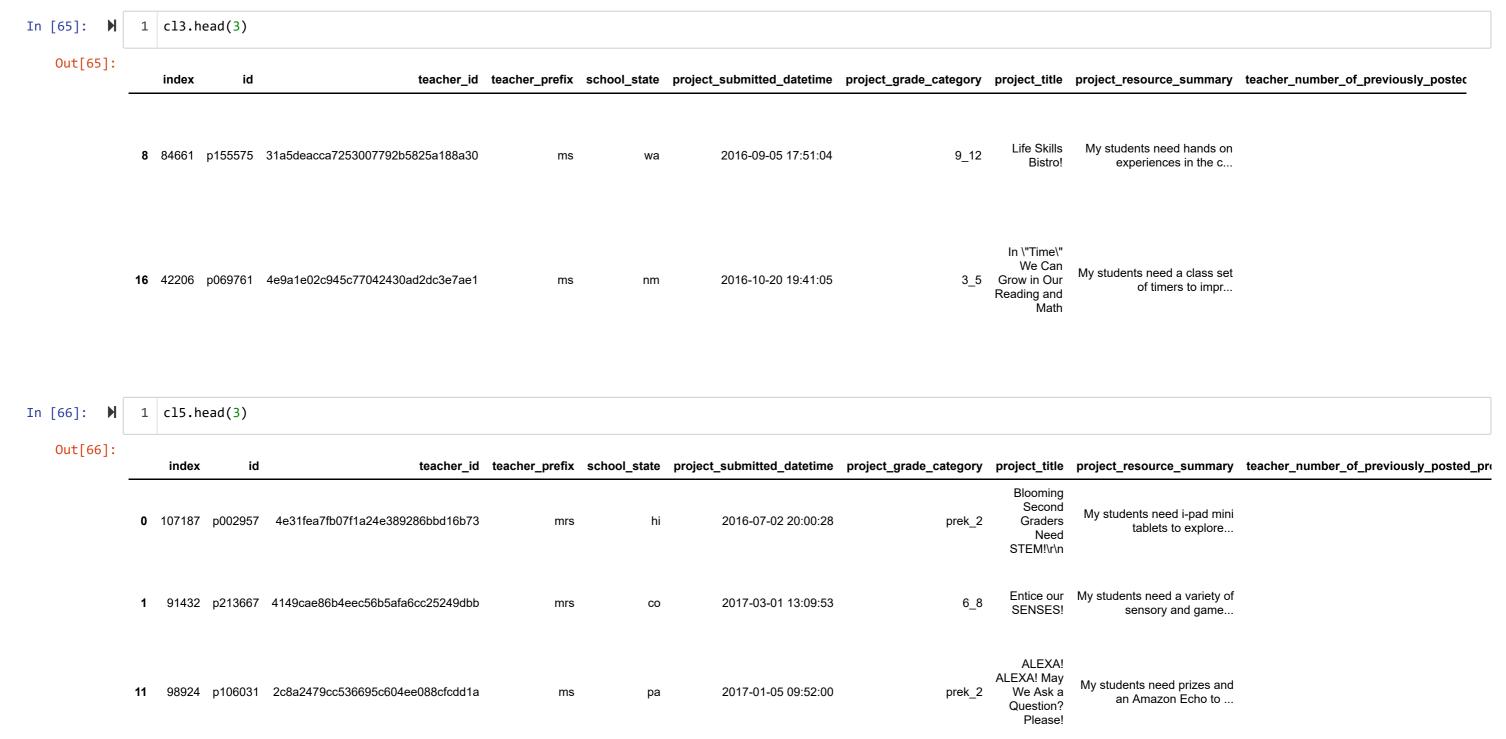
Out[63]:

]:		index	id		teacher_id	teacher_prefix	school_state	project_submitted_datetime	project_grade_category	project_title	project_resource_summary	teacher_number_of_previously_posted_p
	12	109093	p013168	0a3d369d37b820e300d5dd	ca46ad62edb	ms	ny	2017-04-05 19:00:55	6_8	Sustain in the Summer	My students need books, snacks, and cinch sack	
	15	66527	p254646	891607ee651ce7db8b3946	6de6d560281	mrs	or	2016-09-01 00:01:27	prek_2	iPads For Access to Valuable Math and Reading	My students need iPads with cases and headphon	
	25	3776	p247608	0034e3cf3ea440efa7e85e	ea6aa5b867a	ms	tx	2016-08-02 17:50:02	prek_2	My Growing Kinder Garden	My students need a variety of different levele	

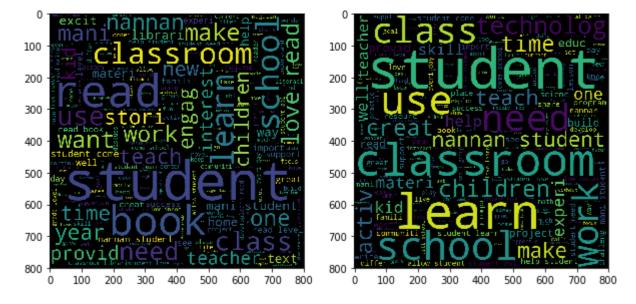
In [64]: 1 cl2.head(3)

Out[64]

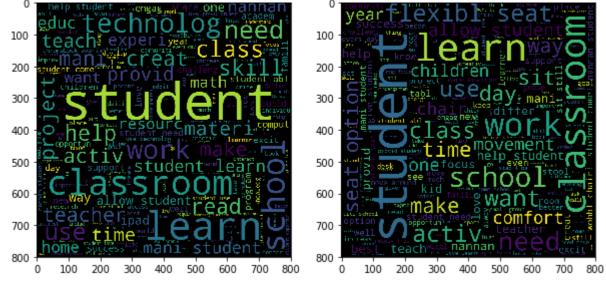
4]:	index	id	teacher_id	teacher_prefix	school_state	project_submitted_datetime	project_grade_category	project_title	project_resource_summary	teacher_number_of_previously_posted_pro
	3 61965	p091105	8751e989c023a57640c4de7854c73b67	ms	ga	2017-01-18 11:58:37	6_8	Technology for Daily Differentiation in the Cl	My students need four Acer Chromebooks to use	
	4 13165	p031997	825556ed7f83ee150bd6ab286ecc3b54	mr	tx	2016-07-20 15:42:06	3_5	It's Time to Read	My students need books so they can read at hom	
	7 7982	p170411	21c7d2f693447d32d574ad09a96f466e	ms	va	2017-01-07 16:10:08	prek_2	Rock PAPER Scissors!	My students need paper so they can write about	



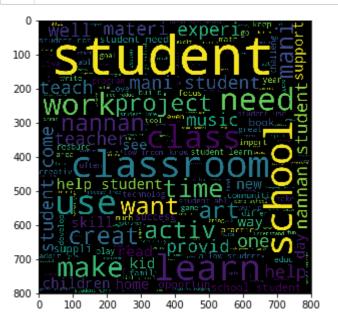
6.3 Plotting Word Cloud



```
In [68]: ## word cloud for cluster 3(left) and cluster4(right)
2  # plot the WordCloud image
3  # https://stackoverflow.com/questions/42818361/how-to-make-two-plots-side-by-side-using-python
wordcloud3=word_cloud(cl3)
wordcloud4=word_cloud(cl4)
6 fig, axes = plt.subplots(nrows=1, ncols=2, figsize=(10,5))
axes[0].imshow(wordcloud3)
8 axes[1].imshow(wordcloud4)
9 plt.show()
```



```
In [69]: | ## word cloud for cluster 1(left) and cluster2(right)
2  # plot the WordCloud image
3  # https://stackoverflow.com/questions/42818361/how-to-make-two-plots-side-by-side-using-python
4  wordcloud5=word_cloud(cl5)
5  plt.figure(figsize = (10,5), facecolor ="none")
6  plt.imshow(wordcloud5)
7  plt.show()
```



Observations:

- 1. Using number of clusters 2 is better than using 5 as we dont see much separation between points.
- 2. Observing from word clouds we see all the 5 clusters have most used words as student and classroom, the uncommon words are read,technology,school,time etc

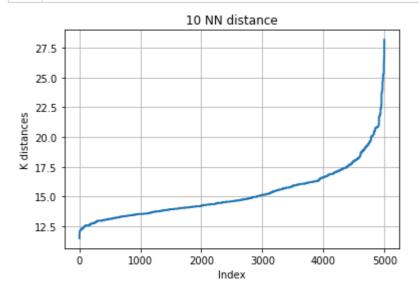
7.DBSCAN

Finding the best ep using Elbow method:

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Steps:
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1.Since our data contains only 5k points let our min point be ln(5000)(i.e) 8.5 .We can keep our min point to be 102.Find the index of 10th nearest neighbour of each point and the distance (kdistance)3.plot the index vs the kth distance
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In [70]: | In [70]: |
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Observation:

1.Using elbow method we see that the optimal distance is at 20.

7.2 Manually summarizing each cluster

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```
In [74]: ► 1 x=[]
                                           2 for i in dbscan.labels_:
                                           3
                                                               if i not in x:
                                           4
                                                                           x.append(i)
In [75]: ► 1 print(x)
                                           2 print('Total number of clusters is 1 and few points are labelled noise ')
                                           3 print()
                                       [0, -1]
                                       Total number of clusters is 1 and few points are labelled noise
In [76]: | 1 | data=project_data.iloc[randlist].reset_index()
                                           2 cl1=extract_datapoints(dbscan.labels_,data,0)
                                           3 cl_outlier=extract_datapoints(dbscan.labels_,data,-1)
                                         1 ## few points in cluster 1
                                           2 cl1.head(3)
          Out[77]:
                                                    index
                                                                                   id
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In [78]: 1 ## outlier points 2 cl_outlier.head(3) Out[78]: id teacher_id teacher_prefix school_state project_submitted_datetime project_grade_category project_title project_resource_summary teacher_number_of_previously_poste index Life Skills My students need hands on 8 84661 p155575 31a5deacca7253007792b5825a188a30 2016-09-05 17:51:04 9 12 Bistro! experiences in the c... Central \"Storage\" My students need a **200** 60376 p140488 b18f80571ffe7a2cb90d1ae525c937f2 2016-10-03 17:08:25 Unit For All classroom computer which My Students

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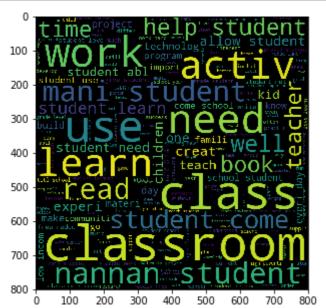
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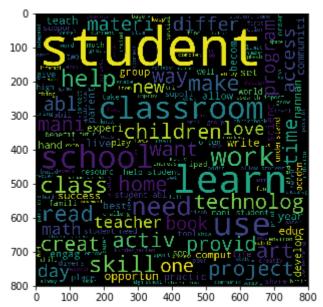
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Through Art

7.3 Word cloud for cluster 1

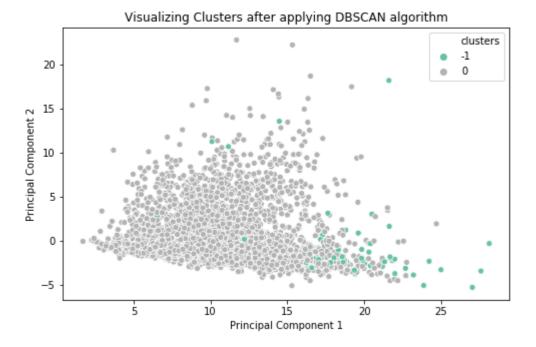


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Lets visualize Clusters using TruncatedSVD

Out[81]: Text(0.5, 1.0, 'Visualizing Clusters after applying DBSCAN algorithm')



Conclusions:

Kmeans:

- 1. Using elbow method we found the best number of cluster to be 4
- 2. After reducing the dimensions using truncatedSVD we see that intercluster distances is very small between clusters.
- 3. Found differences in the words in essay between clusters

Agglomorative:

- 1. Due to memory constraints number of datapoint used is 5k.
- 2. Number of clusters as 2 separates points better than clusters 5 .
- 3. Found differences in the words in essay between clusters

DBSCAN:

- 1. Due to memory constraints number of datapoint used is 5k.
- 2. Using elbow knee method we found best eps to be 20 and considering min points as 10 by default.
- 3. We observed that DBSCAN clusters 96% points into 1 cluster and rest 4% as noisy points

Since the clusters are having very small intercluster distance ideally optimal number of clusters is 1 as observed in DBSCAN.

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