

Assignment 1-Data Design (5% of total grade)

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Purpose: To apply a data design mindset to various contextual challenges.

Requirements: For this assignment, answer the questions below in English, no coding is required.

Part 1: Who? What? Where? When? Why? How? (1.5%)

Considering a database for a restaurant, **write two questions** for each of the following groups that might be answered by the data stored in a database. The questions must be unique to their user group.

Restaurant Manager

- 1.
- 2.

Food Server (formerly known as 'waiter'/'waitress')

- 1.
- 2.

Customer

- 1.
- 2.

Part 2: Set the Tables (1.5%)

Considering a database for a public library, **identify three tables** that would be part of its database.

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

Part 3: Log the Blog (1.5%)

Considering a database for a video games blog with multiple blog authors, **identify fields (columns)** that would belong to the *authors* and *posts* tables (4 each).

Authors Table

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

Posts Table

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

BONUS: Putting it together (0.5%)

Which field from the Authors table would match up with a field in the Posts table?

Answer: