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Reflection Week 5

This week in class we did an activity of stacking cups with the provided tools. We could not use our hands and each of us in the team needed to contribute. We successfully used all the provided tools and everyone in our team contributed to get the cups stacked. This week we completed the draft phase of our personal user manual projects. I learned a lot more about myself when I typed out a user manual about myself. I learned that I can sometimes be a difficult person to work with and I was able to have a clearer picture of what I was good and what I needed to work on as a teammate. This week for I class, I prepared by reading the preparation material on professionalism and too the personality test. From the study material I learned about what it means to be a professional things like clean appearance, prompt, and responsible. I also found that I am an ISTP from the Myers Brigg 16 personality test and was able to learn about some of my strengths and weaknesses. This week’s scenario was the Steven Hinkle situation. He was looking for a new job and landed one with the help of a family member at a school district. I learned about ways people can be unprofessional by reading about Hinkle’s work environment and his work style. His unprofessional behavior made it look like he did not care for his job. To someone who was not in class, I would tell them about professionalism and have them write a list of what makes someone professional and what makes someone unprofessional. After that I would have them read the scenario and identify ways Steven is unprofessional. I would also make them take the 16 personality tests and tell them to use the given information to help them make their personal user manual draft. A huge takeaway I got from this week was that our level of professionalism directly affects our motivation and desire to have a certain job. I think it is super important to understand ourselves and know what our values, style, triggers, strengths, and weaknesses are so that we know what we need to do in order to maintain professionalism in the workplace. I put my assignments this week in GitHub in my html file for this class. I linked the proper file with the correct link and week number of my assignment. If this was a religion class, I think the idea of professionalism relates with how we dress ourselves when we go to church every week. We make sure we look our best during the sacrament to show God that we are thankful and respect Christ’s atoning sacrifice. We also need to be reverent and respectful at church just like how in a workplace we need to have respect for others just how we have respect and love for Christ.