Hello Larissa,

The schema principal was difficult to understand at first for me when we first started this course. I had an initial thought of the schema as the order in which the database was put in. In a way I was correct, but I was not understanding that it was mainly the relationship between tables and field types. The best definition of a schema that I found was on IBM website, which helped me understand what this means. “A database schema is considered the “blueprint” of a database which describes how the data may relate to other tables or other data models. However, the schema does not actually contain data.”

As always, a very informative post.

Thank you,

James.

Here is the link to the IBM website mentioned above.

<https://www.ibm.com/cloud/learn/database-schema#:~:text=A%20database%20schema%20defines%20how,the%20relationships%20between%20these%20entities>.