

Database Documentation for Student Management System

This document provides a comprehensive overview of a database system designed to manage information related to students, professors, colleges, and courses. The database is structured to store and maintain data with referential integrity across multiple entities. The goal is to create a robust system that can manage a large volume of data while ensuring efficiency, accuracy, and scalability.

The database comprises four main tables:

Student: Holds data related to students.

Professor: Contains information about professors.

College: Maintains details about different colleges.

Course: Stores information about the courses offered.

Each table is interconnected, ensuring relational integrity through primary and foreign key constraints. This documentation will cover each table in-depth, describe their relationships, and provide details on how data is structured within the database.

1. Database Schema Overview

The database consists of the following four tables, with details on their columns, data types, and relationships:

Student

Professor

College

Course

2. Table Descriptions

2.1 Student Table

- Purpose:** The Student table stores all necessary data about students, including their personal information, the course they are enrolled in, and the college they belong to.
- Table Structure:**

Column	Data Type	Description
stud_id	INT	Primary key, unique student identifier
stud_name	VARCHAR(100)	Name of the student
stud_add	VARCHAR(255)	Student's address
stud_phone_no	VARCHAR(15)	Student's phone number, unique
stud_age	INT	Age of the student
course_id	INT	Foreign key to Course(course_id)
prof_id	INT	Foreign key to Professor(prof_id)
college_id	INT	Foreign key to College(college_id)

- Primary Key:** stud_id

- **Foreign Keys:**
 - `course_id` → `Course(course_id)`
 - `prof_id` → `Professor(prof_id)`
 - `college_id` → `College(college_id)`

2.2 Professor Table

- **Purpose:** The Professor table holds data about professors who are linked to students through the courses they teach.
- **Table Structure:**

Column	Data Type	Description
<code>prof_id</code>	INT	Primary key, unique professor identifier
<code>prof_name</code>	VARCHAR(100)	Name of the professor
<code>prof_age</code>	INT	Age of the professor
<code>prof_gender</code>	CHAR(1)	Gender of the professor (M/F)
<code>prof_salary</code>	INT	Salary of the professor
<code>prof_email</code>	VARCHAR(100)	Email of the professor, unique
- **Primary Key:** `prof_id`

2.3 College Table

- **Purpose:** The College table stores details about different colleges where students are enrolled.
- **Table Structure:**

Column	Data Type	Description
<code>college_id</code>	INT	Primary key, unique college identifier
<code>college_name</code>	VARCHAR(255)	Name of the college
<code>city</code>	VARCHAR(100)	City where the college is located
<code>state</code>	VARCHAR(100)	State where the college is located
<code>col_established_year</code>	YEAR	Year the college was established
- **Primary Key:** `college_id`

2.4 Course Table

- **Purpose:** The Course table holds information on the courses offered at various colleges, which students can enroll in.
- **Table Structure:**

Column	Data Type	Description
<code>course_id</code>	INT	Primary key, unique course identifier
<code>course_name</code>	VARCHAR(255)	Name of the course
<code>course_duration</code>	INT	Duration of the course in years

Column	Data Type	Description
course_level	VARCHAR(50)	Course level (Undergraduate, Graduate, etc.)

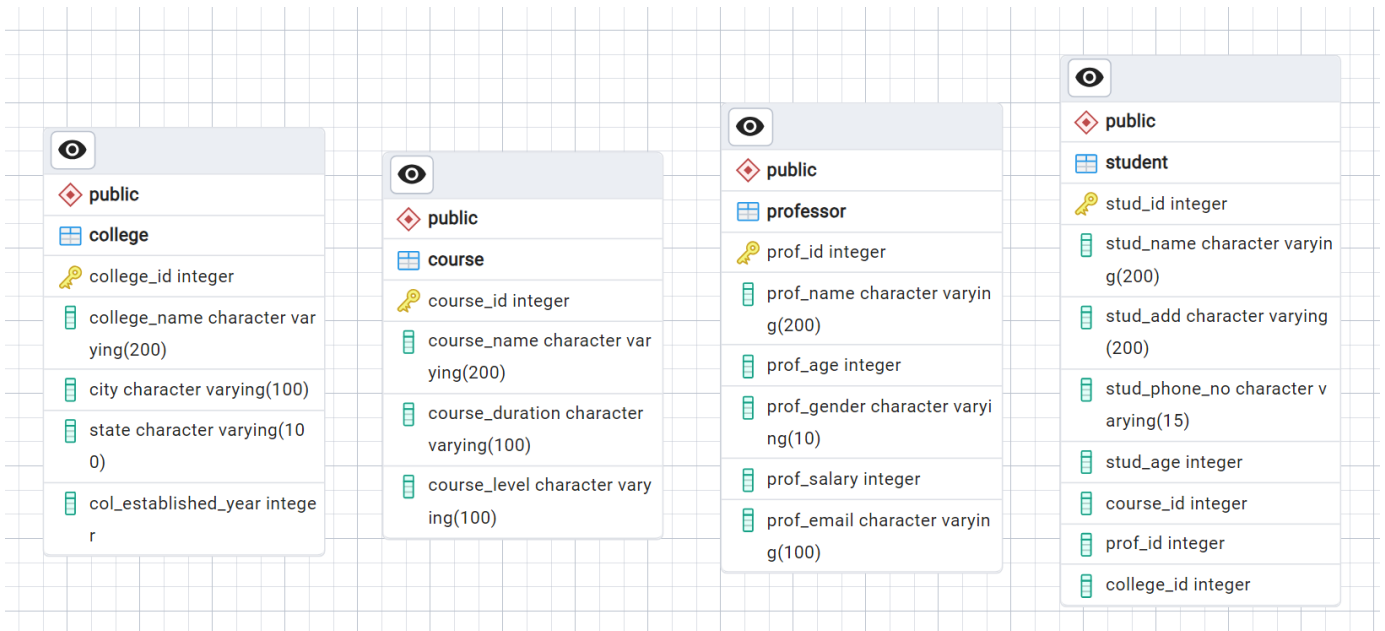
- **Primary Key:** course_id

3. Database Relationships

The following relationships exist between the tables:

- **Student-Professor Relationship:** Students are linked to their respective professors through the prof_id. A professor may teach multiple students, but a student is taught by only one professor at a time.
- **Student-Course Relationship:** Each student is enrolled in a course, which is stored in the course_id. A course can have multiple students, but a student can be associated with only one course in this structure.
- **Student-College Relationship:** Each student belongs to a specific college, identified by the college_id. A college can have many students, but each student is enrolled in only one college.

4. ER Diagram



5. Database Queries

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SELECT s.stud_id, s.stud_name, s.stud_add, s.stud_phone_no, s.stud_age,
       s.prof_id, p.prof_name, p.prof_age, p.prof_gender, p.prof_salary, p.prof_email,
       s.course_id, c.course_name, c.course_duration, c.course_level,
       s.college_id, col.college_name, col.city, col.state, col.col_established_year
FROM student AS s
FULL JOIN professor AS p
  ON s.prof_id = p.prof_id
FULL JOIN course AS c
  ON s.course_id = c.course_id
  
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FULL JOIN college AS col

ON s.college_id = col.college_id;

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6. Indexing

Indexes have been applied on frequently queried fields such as stud_id, prof_id, course_id, and college_id to optimize query performance.

7. Conclusion

This documentation presents an in-depth look at the database design, including its schema, table descriptions, relationships, and constraints. The database is optimized for maintaining student, professor, college, and course records with data integrity and normalization at its core. This structure allows for efficient data retrieval, scalability, and support for further extensions if needed.