

Paper week2 due Friday September 5, by 5pm

Students cannot succeed in this course without keeping up with the material. The weekly paper should outline the key points of the week's assigned reading, what the student clearly understands from the reading and lectures, and just as importantly, what the student does not understand. Papers are expected to be approximately 1/2 page in length, typed or legibly handwritten and scanned. Students earn 2 points for each weekly paper to a maximum of 20 points (the student earns the maximum course credit with 10 weekly papers). Weekly papers must be submitted in the Scholar Dropbox by the close of business, each Friday during the semester. Each paper document should be saved under a name that includes the student's name and the week number, such as: DRoberts_week2.pdf.

Answer the following:

What are the top 5 ideas you retained from the material read in Chapter 1?

Reading material:

1. "Practical Data Science" – Chapter 1.
2. Read Appendix A to page 320. There is no need to summarize this in writing but remember to use it as a resource throughout the semester.

Note: *Make sure that, while you read Chapter 1, you make a mental connection between the ideas presented in the book and our approach to the simple case of "John, the high school kid" from first class.*