For this project, we thought that working as a team went well. For coming up with ideas to create our imaginary company, we both had the same vision and idea for what we wanted it to be. What could be improved was the level of detail that we went into for our database. We wanted at least 10 records and for the purposes of this assignment, we wanted to just have one month’s worth of data for the subscription. Given the opportunity, one thing we would change is adding more data points into the tables.

We somewhat struggled when creating the database in SQL. In order to create our database we had to research error messages we kept receiving. We referred to google and self-help websites and figured out that we had to change the security status of our server from public to sysadmin. From here we were then able to start creating our own database, but we did run into more issues later on that we eventually solved by playing around with SQL.

Because both of us want to work in Business Analytics related careers after we graduate, we will definitely use a lot of what we learned from this project moving forward. There were many functions in SQL that we were not aware of until we worked on this project. An example was creating our own database. We can use how to create a database for whatever company we work in in the future. By creating our own database, we are able to use SQL queries, which we also learned, to sort and manipulate data better and be able to make inferences and stories. Learning how to create a database was the biggest obstacle for us, so knowing how to do that before we started would have been instrumental in helping us succeed.

Sam and I met to work on the project and worked together side by side throughout of the entire project duration. We evenly split the work and assisted each other on parts that we worked on individually.There were not any very pressing issues, except for the fact that the project was due the Friday before Spring Break. Because of the way our schedules worked this semester, Connie left campus to fly home to Florida on Wednesday night. Due to this issue, we had less time to work together face to face and it resulted in working over FaceTime, which made communicating more difficult.

Because we did not anticipate the difficulty of the specifics of the project, we would better prepare if we are able to do this differently. We would take more detailed and thorough notes that were focused on the content of the project. Like step-by-step instructions on how to create a database would be something we would have paid attention on more. While we do not regret what we have learned especially with this task, we wish that we had better notes on it to help us work more efficiently.