

Information Scenarios: Knowing What to Look for and Where to Find It

Scenario #1

Raianne has just been assigned a quarter-long research project. She's very interested in mathematics and would like to write a paper on the history of women in the field of mathematics. Her instructor requires that she use a variety of resources in her paper. Additionally, she has to link her research to be locally relevant. What should she do?

Scenario #2

Carlos has just graduated from high school and is now attending his first quarter at a local community college. He is a good student, but doesn't feel particularly strong in any one subject. Although he doesn't have a particular career path in mind, he is paying for his own education and doesn't have extra money to spend on classes that won't be beneficial in the future. What should he do?

Scenario #3

Juan loves to play soccer and has been involved in the sport for many years. Over the past few weeks, his ankle has begun hurting. He has a big tournament coming up and can't afford to miss it. Juan feels that the pain isn't too bad so he won't worry about it until after the tournament. What should he do?

Scenario #4

Lilia just went to see a great movie and became interested in the music that was used in the film. In particular, she was interested in a piece that was used in a dance scene in the movie. Lilia dances and thinks that this would be a good piece of music to use for an upcoming solo that she must prepare. What should she do?