Unit Portfolio Reflection Examples

**Note:** This is only meant to be an example of unit portfolio content. The length is going to be different than yours because this is only one topic and you have multiple topics to cover.

**Good Example**

Studying LinkedLists helped me learn more about the difference between an interface (List) and an implementation (ArrayList vs. LinkedList), which will help me better understand the best way to organize data structures in my programs. I also gained valuable experience working with pointers and reference semantics, both of which are commonly used in many programming situations. Another thing I learned more about was how to consider the tradeoffs between different data structures, for example comparing the runtime of adding/removing to the front of a LinkedList vs. an ArrayList. This will help me know how to choose data structures in future programming projects.

**Not So Good Example**

LinkedLists are a very common data structure. By learning more about LinkedLists, I will become a better programmer because data structures are important to know as a programmer and LinkedLists are especially common. Also, a lot of interview questions ask for LinkedList problems so I will be better prepared to answer those questions too.