

Module 3, Investigation 1: Log 1

Let's go to the mall

Assume that you want to build a large shopping mall in your community. You will need a big parcel of relatively flat land. If you did field work in the area, you might identify several suitable parcels of land. To aid you in making a site selection, here is a list of features which may be important to the location of a mall. Add any features you think are missing.

a. A four-lane road or interstate highway b. A manufacturing area c. A residential neighborhood d. A neighborhood shopping area e. An elementary school f. A sewage treatment plant Select from the list the three most important and the three least important features for the mall to be near. Give reasons for your answers. Most important and why? Least important and why?