

Unit 1: "Hello, It's Me" and "My Piano"

Content Area: **Applied Tech**
Course(s): **Generic Course**
Time Period: **Marking Period 1**
Length: **2 weeks**
Status: **Published**

Standards

Computer Science Standards

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Transfer Goals

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Students will be able to take the skills learned in this unit to develop their own apps which can be shared and used on mobile devices.

Concepts

Essential Questions

- How do computer scientists create programs?
- What is abstraction?
- What is debugging?

Understandings

- Creating procedures with parameters organize code and make it easier to use.
- Programs can be broken down into problems and subproblems, which facilitates the design and implementation.
- Programs must be systematically tested and refined using a range of test cases.

Critical Knowledge and Skills

Knowledge

Students will know:

- Abstraction
- Debugging
- Incrementation
- Iteration
- Procedures

Skills

Students will be able to:

- Apply the computational thinking practices of being incremental and iterative, developing and testing an app in stages.
- Code an app using the App Inventor Blocks Editor.

- Demonstrate abstraction by creating and implementing a procedure in App Inventor;
- Demonstrate an understanding of the Designer and what its different sections represent.
- Develop computational identity by creating a mobile app.
- Identify and use the correct components and blocks for an audio and visual app.
- Increase their positive perception of programming by creating a useful and fun app.
- Log in and out; and create, save, and retrieve projects in the MIT App Inventor programming environment.
- Reuse code in an app.
- Test and debug using the MIT AI2 Companion app (or emulator).

Assessment and Resources

School Formative Assessment Plan (Other Evidence)

- Multiple Choice Questions
- Student Reflection

School Summative Assessment Plan

- "Hello, It's Me" App
- "My Piano" App

Primary Resources

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Supplementary Resources

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● One to One Student Laptops

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● Additional Support Videos

The videos below are just examples of videos that can be used to support each of the Lessons within this Topic. There are more additional videos provided for each and can be assigned from the Pearson enVisions 2.0 online textbook from the teachers' login.

NJCCCS- Technology 9-12

- 8.1.12.C.1 Develop an innovative solution to a real world problem or issue in collaboration with peers and experts, and present ideas for feedback through social media or in an online community.
- 8.1.12.D.2 Evaluate consequences of unauthorized electronic access (e.g., hacking) and disclosure, and on dissemination of personal information.
- 8.1.12.D.3 Compare and contrast policies on filtering and censorship both locally and globally.
- 8.1.12.D.4 Research and understand the positive and negative impact of one's digital footprint.
- 8.1.12.D.5 Analyze the capabilities and limitations of current and emerging technology resources and assess their potential to address personal, social, lifelong learning, and career needs.
- 8.1.12.E.1 Produce a position statement about a real world problem by developing a systematic plan of investigation with peers and experts synthesizing information from multiple sources.
- 8.1.12.E.2 Research and evaluate the impact on society of the unethical use of digital tools and present your research to peers.
- 8.1.12.F.1 Evaluate the strengths and limitations of emerging technologies and their impact on educational, career, personal and or social needs.

Differentiated Instruction

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Interdisciplinary Connections

MATH - Coordinates and sizing require the use of geometry.

SCIENCE -

SOCIAL STUDIES -

WORLD LANGUAGES -

VISUAL/PERFORMING ARTS - Design decisions must be made for the "Hello" app, and the "Piano" app gives students the opportunity to explore music digitally.

APPLIED TECHNOLOGY -

BUSINESS EDUCATION -

GLOBAL AWARENESS - Programming is also seen as a "global" language, but we will discuss which parts of this would be difficult for ESL learners.

Learning Plan / Pacing Guide

Week 1:

- "Hello, It's Me" App
- Quiz
- Student Reflection

Week 2:

- "My Piano" App
- Quiz
- Student Reflection

Unit 2: "Music Maker" and "Find the Gold"

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Standards

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Transfer Goals and Career Ready Practices

Transfer Goals

Students will be able to take the skills learned in this unit to develop their own apps which can be shared and used on mobile devices.

Concepts

Essential Questions

- In what ways can code be reused and remixed?
- What is incremental design?
- Why is collaboration important in programming?

Understandings

- Different programming design interfaces make designing certain types of applications easier.
- Many programs are made up of already written code that is being remixed or reused.
- User interface is an important part of any app design.
- Using flowcharts and pseudocode are important steps in expressing complex ideas, such as algorithms.

Critical Knowledge and Skills

Knowledge

Students will know:

- Accelerometer
- Algorithm
- Conditionals
- Incrementation
- Iteration
- Layout, Canvas, Ball, and ImageSprite components of App Inventor
- Pseudocode

Skills

Students will be able to:

- Be iterative and incremental in developing their app.

- Provide feedback and act on suggestions for improvement.
- Reuse and remix code.
- Test and debug to make a working app.
- Use conditionals correctly in a program.
- Use events, parallelism, and naming in their app.
- Work collaboratively to design, develop, and test new features in an app.

Assessment and Resources

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School Summative Assessment Plan

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- "Find the Gold" App

Primary Resources

Unit Three Outline: https://drive.google.com/file/d/1ssOoMf7Pk__TjPk0Re0uZoxDjeJ-9a9f/view?usp=sharing

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Interdisciplinary Connections

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SCIENCE -

SOCIAL STUDIES -

WORLD LANGUAGES -

VISUAL/PERFORMING ARTS - User interface decisions are guided in large part by visual art design.

APPLIED TECHNOLOGY -

BUSINESS EDUCATION - Monetization of mobile applications will be discussed.

GLOBAL AWARENESS - Programming is also seen as a "global" language, but we will discuss which parts of this would be difficult for ESL learners.

Learning Plan / Pacing Guide

Week 1:

- "Music Maker" App
- Quiz
- Student Reflection

Week 2:

- "Find the Gold" App
- Quiz
- Student Reflection

Week 3:

- Peer Review of Apps
- Review
- Unit 1-4 Test

Unit 3: "Food Chase Game" and "Make a Game"

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Transfer Goals

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Concepts

Essential Questions

- What considerations must be given when naming procedures and variables?
- What is the role of feedback when designing and refining an app?
- How does the use of conditionals expand what programmers are able to do in an application?
- What is your computational identity?
- Why is it important to use a range of test cases when testing and debugging an app?

Understandings

- A step-by-step implementation plan is necessary when designing a robust application.
- Mobile applications are meant to be shared and used by multiple users.
- Naming variables and procedures in such a way that describes their use makes design and debugging a simpler process.
- The storage and retrieval of data is an important component of mobile app design.

Critical Knowledge and Skills

Knowledge

Students will know:

- Abstraction
- Computational identity
- Conditionals
- Data storage and retrieval
- Drawing and Animation components

Skills

Students will be able to:

- Code a game app that includes animated sprites.
- Demonstrate abstraction with a procedure.
- Design a new app based on Drawing and Animation components in App Inventor.
- Design and code an app incrementally, by developing a plan for step-by-step implementation of a design.
- Improve their computational identity by making an app that can be shared with friends and family.
- Provide feedback and act on suggestions for improvement.
- Reuse and remix code used previously to make a new app.
- Use conditionals to correctly check two values within a program.
- Use variables correctly to store and retrieve data.
- Work collaboratively with a partner to create a mobile app.

Assessment and Resources

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School Summative Assessment Plan

- "Food Chase" App
- "Make a Game"...uhhh...Game/App

Primary Resources

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Unit Six

Outline: https://drive.google.com/file/d/1hBIAS_i81cQWF5XyJNC8Rdx8h1XvvdJ/view?usp=sharing

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APPLIED TECHNOLOGY -

BUSINESS EDUCATION -

GLOBAL AWARENESS -

Learning Plan / Pacing Guide

Week 1:

- "Food Chase" App
- Quiz

Week 2:

- "Food Chase" Feedback
- Student Reflection
- "Make a Game" App

Week 3:

- Quiz
- "Make a Game" Peer Review
- Student Reflection

Unit 4: "Tour Guide" and "Two Button Game"

Content Area: **Applied Tech**
Course(s): **Generic Course**
Time Period: **Marking Period 2**
Length: **4 weeks**
Status: **Published**

Standards

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Concepts

Essential Questions

- How do lists and indices make it easier to manage data?
- What considerations are important when storing user data?
- What is the cloud and what role does it play in data storage and retrieval?

Understandings

- Data can be collected using computational tools.
- Data can be represented using multiple encoding schemes.
- Protocols play an important role in transmitting data across networks and the Internet.
- Transforming data makes it more useful and reliable.

Critical Knowledge and Skills

Knowledge

Students will know:

- Arrangement and Map components
- Indices
- Lists
- Passing values
- TinyDB and CloudDB components
- User interface

Skills

Students will be able to:

- Add multiple components and use Arrangement components to organize a complex user interface

involving several components for an app.

- Build a simple app that uses CloudDB.
- Create an app that uses multiple screens and passes values.
- Demonstrate understanding of CloudDB and storing and retrieving data from the cloud.
- Demonstrate understanding of lists and indexes, utilizing multiple lists to manage data.
- Design and code a location-based app, using the Maps component in App Inventor.
- Use the Clock component to add a timer to a game app.
- Use the TinyDB component to store data persistently on a device.
- Work collaboratively to build and test a working app.

Assessment and Resources

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School Summative Assessment Plan

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- "Two Button Game" App

Primary Resources

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MATH - Students must consider the use of the timer when designing the Two Button App.

SCIENCE -

SOCIAL STUDIES - Students will explore global landmarks on the Landmarks worksheet.

WORLD LANGUAGES -

VISUAL/PERFORMING ARTS - Aesthetic design is an important part when considering the user interface.

APPLIED TECHNOLOGY -

BUSINESS EDUCATION -

GLOBAL AWARENESS - The exploration of the "Cloud" will demonstrate ways in which we can all be connected via technology.

Learning Plan / Pacing Guide

Week 1:

- Landmark worksheet
- Maps component and Lists review
- Begin "Tour Guide" App

Week 2:

- Complete "Tour Guide" App
- Quiz
- Student Reflection

Week 3:

- Review Layout component
- Clock and Timer components
- Begin "Two Button Game" App

Week 4:

- Complete "Two Button Game" App
- Quiz
- Student Reflection

Unit 5: "Sketch and Guess" App

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Concepts

Essential Questions

- How can apps be designed to allow for multiple users to access them simultaneously?
- How can information be passed between devices?
- How do booleans and nested conditionals add dimension to our apps?

Understandings

- Apps are designed to be used by multiple users simultaneously.
- Even simple apps can be expanded for multiplayer use.
- Making use of cloud services makes multi-user apps possible.

Critical Knowledge and Skills

Knowledge

Students will know:

- Boolean
- Conditionals
- Data manipulation
- Incrementation
- Iteration
- Parallelism
- Protocols

Skills

Students will be able to:

- Demonstrate understanding of how to use CloudDB to pass multiple pieces of information between devices.
- Make a multiplayer drawing app that uses CloudDB.
- Use CT concepts such as sequences, events, conditionals, parallelism, naming, operators, and data manipulation in creating an app.
- Use the boolean “not” and “and” operators and nested if statements correctly.
- Work collaboratively to code and test a working multiplayer app.

Assessment and Resources

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- Student Reflection

School Summative Assessment Plan

- "Sketch and Guess" App

Primary Resources

Unit Nine

Outline: https://drive.google.com/file/d/1ckKNRSzgCh8rJ1WUxS_xNlm7ZPSSPjlv/view?usp=sharing

Supplementary Resources

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MATH -

SCIENCE -

SOCIAL STUDIES -

WORLD LANGUAGES -

VISUAL/PERFORMING ARTS - We're designing a Pictionary game!

APPLIED TECHNOLOGY -

BUSINESS EDUCATION - Elements of monetization will be discussed.

GLOBAL AWARENESS -

Learning Plan / Pacing Guide

Week 1:

- Concept review
- Drawing App

Week 2:

- Sketch and Guess Game
- Guess Checking Utility

Week 3:

- Quiz
- Student Reflection

Unit 6: Final Project

Content Area: **Applied Tech**
Course(s): **Generic Course**
Time Period: **Marking Period 2**
Length: **3 weeks**
Status: **Published**

Standards

Computer Science Standards

CS.9-12.8.1.12.AP.1	Design algorithms to solve computational problems using a combination of original and existing algorithms.
CS.9-12.8.1.12.AP.4	Design and iteratively develop computational artifacts for practical intent, personal expression, or to address a societal issue.
CS.9-12.8.1.12.AP.8	Evaluate and refine computational artifacts to make them more usable and accessible.
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CS.9-12.8.1.12.CS.1	Describe ways in which integrated systems hide underlying implementation details to simplify user experiences.
CS.9-12.8.1.12.CS.2	Model interactions between application software, system software, and hardware.
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Life Literacies and Key Skills

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Transfer Goals

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Students will be able to take the skills learned in this unit to develop their own apps which can be shared and used on mobile devices.

Concepts

Essential Questions

- How can collaboration improve app design?
- What computational thinking concepts and practices go into the development of an app?
- What decisions must be made when making an app?
- Why is testing and debugging important?

Understandings

- App design involves all of the computational thinking concepts and practices we've learned in this course.
- Collaboration is an important part of app design.
- It is important to plan an app in full before you begin coding.

Critical Knowledge and Skills

Knowledge

Students will know:

- Conditionals
- Data structures
- Events
- Naming
- Operations
- Parallelism
- Repetition

- Sequences

Skills

Students will be able to:

- Apply computational thinking concepts such as sequences, events, repetition, conditionals, parallelism, operators, data structures, and naming.
- Employ computational thinking practices such as reusing and/or remixing code, decomposing tasks into subtasks, being iterative and incremental, and testing.
- Ideate and design an app that can be used to solve a problem.
- Increase personal interest and confidence in computing by creating a complex app from the initial ideation and design stages.
- Work collaboratively to design and build a project.

Assessment and Resources

School Formative Assessment Plan (Other Evidence)

- Multiple Choice Questions
- Student Reflection

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GLOBAL AWARENESS - Accessibility will be discussed.

Learning Plan / Pacing Guide

Week 1:

- App Design/Planning

Week 2:

- Programming of App

Week 3:

- Review/Feedback
- Final Submission

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