

Java Honors

Unit Title: Building Blocks of a Program

Stage 1: Desired Results

Standards & Indicators: 2020 NJSLS – Computer Science and Design Thinking

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8.1.12.AP.6: Create artifacts by using procedures within a program, combinations of data and procedures, or independent but interrelated programs.

Career Readiness, Life Literacies and Key Skills

Standard	Performance Expectations	Core Ideas
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9.4.12.TL.1	Assess digital tools based on features such as accessibility options, capacities, and utility for accomplishing a specified task (e.g., W.11-12.6.).	Digital tools differ in features, capacities, and styles. Knowledge of different digital tools is helpful in selecting the best tool for a given task.

Central Idea/Enduring Understanding:

Java programs use several structures such as loops, conditionals, arrays, and variables of different types in order to perform functions.

Essential/Guiding Question:

What structures are needed in order to perform this specific task? How will they be mapped out?

Content:

Algorithms
Data types
Variables
String Manipulation

Skills(Objectives):

Students will

- Understand the concept of an algorithm
- Implement simple algorithms in Java using selection and iteration structures

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Conditionals Loops Arrays	Be able to trace and find flaws in Java code that uses simple structures
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Interdisciplinary Connections:

As students learn programming concepts, they will develop projects that demonstrate their proficiency in both science, math, literacy and computer science.

Stage 2: Assessment Evidence

<u>Performance Task(s):</u> Programs at the end of each lesson One final project One exam per unit	<u>Other Evidence:</u> - Online assignments - Exit Tickets - Class discussions - Quizzes
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Stage 3: Learning Plan

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Differentiation

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High-Achieving Students	On Grade Level Students	Struggling Students	Special Needs/ELL
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Unit Title: Object Oriented Organization

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<u>Central Idea/Enduring Understanding:</u> Java uses objects, functions, and classes in order to organize code and allow one programmers code to be easily read and used by others, while also defining properties and behaviors of the program.		<u>Essential/Guiding Question:</u> How must I organize my code in order to create objects or reference another programmers code?
<u>Content:</u> Methods Classes Inheritance Polymorphism Recursion Objects		<u>Skills(Objectives):</u> Students will: ● Learn to organize a class by using methods ● Learn how to call upon another class in their code ● Learn how to create objects from their own classes ● Learn how to call a method within itself to create a recursive method
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<u>Central Idea/Enduring Understanding:</u> Java is just one of many programming languages, with many pros and cons. Programmers will use other languages in order to get different tasks completed.	<u>Essential/Guiding Question:</u> Given this kind of problem, what language should I use, and why?
<u>Content:</u> Programs for Java C#/C++ VBA Python	<u>Skills(Objectives):</u> Students will: • The differences between different programming languages • How to determine what language to use for what kind of program. • Why different operating systems in certain languages.

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Pacing Guide

Course Name	Resource	Content Standards
UNIT 1 (36 Days) - Data types and Variables - Conditionals (if-statements) - Iterations (loops) - Arrays and Lists	CHAPTERS 3 & 4: (10 Days) 5: (5 Days) 8: (14 Days) 6 & 10: (7 Days)	8.1.12.CS 2-3 8.1.12.IC. 2 8.1.12.AP 1 8.1.12.AP.5-6
UNIT 2 (27 Days) - Methods and Classes - Objects - Recursion and Inheritance	CHAPTERS 7 & 8: (17 Days) 9 & 13: (10 Days)	8.1.12.CS 2-3 8.1.12.IC. 2 8.1.12.AP 1 8.1.12.AP.5-6
UNIT 3 (26 Days) - Java Final - Differences between languages - Project in different language	CHAPTERS* N/A: (9 Days) N/A: (7 Days) N/A: (10 Days) *Other online resources will be utilized during this unit.	8.1.12.CS 2-3 8.1.12.IC. 2 8.1.12.AP 1 8.1.12.AP.5-6
Total: 89 Days		