



Spread Sheets

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Date	Objective (s)	Task/activity	Resources	Key	Lesson
	•	·		Vocabulary	Outcome
Lesson 1	NC objective:	Main Teaching	2Calculate tool in	Arrow keys -	То
	To use technology	Explain to the children that we are looking at a type of	Purple Mash	On a	understand
	purposefully to	computer program called a spreadsheet today.		standard	what a
	create, organise,	Spreadsheets are used for organising information. For		keyboard	spread sheet
	store, manipulate	example, if you were planning a tea party you could		these can be	is.
	and retrieve	enter into the spreadsheet all the things you will need		used to move	
	digital content	to get for the party and who you were going to invite.		around the	
		Can they think of any other things that could be		cells of a	
	Lesson objectives:	stored in a spreadsheet for organising a party?		spreadsheet.	
	I can navigate	(menus, gift list, entertainments). Many people make		Backspace	
	around a	lists on paper but the advantage of using a		key - Use	
	spreadsheet.	spreadsheet is that it can also do calculations for you.		this key to	
	I can explain what	Explain what this means e.g. you could enter the cost		delete the	
	rows and columns	of the different things that you will need for your		character	
	are.	party into the spreadsheet and then easily calculate		before the	
	I can save and	how much money you will need to buy them all.		current	
	open sheets.	The aim today is to open a spreadsheet program in		cursor	
	I can enter data	Purple Mash called 2Calculate and to learn how to		position.	
	into cells.	enter information and do some simple calculations.		Cursor - An	





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Open 2Calculate on the whiteboard. Show that when it	indicator on a
starts, there is a smaller screen in the middle with	computer
different choices. The labels at the top ('Sheet' and	screen
'Lesson') are called tabs. For today we are going to	identifying
click on the 'Sheet' tab. Click on the tab. This also	the point
gives a few choices but for today click on the first	that will be
one: an empty sheet with big 'rectangles'. Spend some	affected by
time showing children the following things, emphasising	input from
the new vocabulary in bold: • The rows; these are	the user.
numbered 1 to 6 · The columns; how many are shown? ·	Often a
The word 'cells' is used to describe each box in a	blinking
spreadsheet. • Each cell can contain words, numbers,	vertical line.
colours, symbols (such as + - =) • How to move from	Columns -
cell to cell; this can be done by clicking in the cell	Vertical
using the mouse and by using the arrow keys on the	reference
keyboard. If you press the enter key when in a cell you	points for
will move down 1 row. • How to type into cells; in	the cells in a
2calculate the writing will get smaller automatically to	spreadsheet.
fit in the words that you type. • How to delete the	Cells - An
contents of a cell; either by using the backspace key	individual
or the Delete key. Children should now spend some	section of a





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• Unit Outcome - to create and understand simple spread sheets.

time opening 2Calculate on their computers and trying moving and typing. Can they enter their name into a cell? Once they have all managed to do this, show the children how to save a file. They will need to give their file a sensible name that they haven't used before, why? Now see if children can close 2Calculate then open it again and open their file. Let them spend some time experimenting with typing and also colouring cells. To colour cells they first click on the cell, then click on the colour they want in the toolbox on the right-hand side. If they select more than 1 cell by dragging the mouse over a few cells, then they can colour all of these cells at once.

Differentiated Activities

put a simple sum into the cells and let 2Calculate work out the answer. First enter a number then go into the next cell to the right and click the '+' sign button on the right hand side, then move to the next cell and enter another number. Now put the '=' sign in the next cell and see how 2Calculate works out the answer

spreadsheet grid. It contains data calculations Clipart -Simple pictures and symbols available for computer users to add to documents. Count Tool -In 2Calculate. this counts the number of cells with a value that

matches the





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Children can spend time experimenting with this and	value of the	
performing calculations	cell to the	
Challenges	left of the	
	tool.	
	Delete key -	
	Use this key	
	to remove	
	the contents	
	of a cell.	
	Image	
	Toolbox -	
	Use this to	
	insert images	
	into cells.	
	Lock tool -	
	This tool	
	prevents cell	
	values being	
	changed.	
	Move cell tool	
	- This tool	





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	makes a cell's
	contents
	moveable by
	drag-and-
	drop
	methods.
	Rows -
	Vertical
	reference
	points for
	the cells in a
	spreadsheet.
	Speak Tool -
	This tool will
	speak the
	contents of a
	cell
	containing a
	number each
	time the
	value





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				changes. Spreadsheet - A computer program that represents information in a grid of rows and columns.	
Lesson 2	NC objective:	Main Teaching	2Calculate tool in		
	To use technology purposefully to	Remind children how to open 2Calculate and open a blank spreadsheet. Show children where the Image	Purple Mash		To use a
	create, organise,	toolbox is. They need to click on the images tab on the			variety of
	store, manipulate	right-hand side: click on the 'Set Image' button to			spread sheet
	and retrieve	open the following screen Today we are going to be			tools.
	digital content	using clipart. Click on the clipart button to open the			
		clipart picker. Show the children the different choices			
	<u>Lesson objectives:</u>	of topics and go to the animals option (or related to			





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I can add clipart	topic work). Select an animal and click on the OK		
images to a	button to add it to the spreadsheet. Add 2 further		
spreadsheet.	animals in the same way in different cells. You could		
I can use the	show children that if they select more than one cell		
'move cell' and	when adding images then they will get multiple copies		
'lock' tools.	of the same image. Show the children that at the		
	moment you can't drag the animals around into		
	different cells (cages?). Click on one of the animals		
	then click on the Controls toolbox. Now click on the		
	'move cell' tool . A little symbol will appear in the top		
	right-hand corner of the image to show that it is now		
	moveable. Try dragging it into a different cell. This		
	can also be done with several images selected at once		
	to save doing it many times. Children could spend some		
	time trying to replicate this on their own spreadsheets		
	and then save their work. Once they have had some		
	time to practice, return together to look at locking		
	cells. Unfortunately, all of the animals being able to		
	move around the spreadsheet is quite dangerous for		
	the smaller animals; show the children what happens to		
	the ladybirds when the lion is dragged onto them! So		





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		we are going to lock the ladybird cells so they can't be eaten. To do this click on the cell that you want to lock, then click on the lock cell tool. Explain to children that this tool can be useful for other things too; such as when you have numbers or cells that you don't want to be accidently changed Differentiated Activities. Give children the opportunity to experiment with the lock and move tools. They could try making a 'zoo' by colouring cells to make walls and locking them so they can't be changed and then locking or unlocking and moving animals into their cages/cells. NB If children find that their spreadsheets are too small and need more cells click on the + in the button on the bottom right of the screen to add more cells. Challenges		
Lesson 3	NC objective: To use technology	Main Teaching Remind children how to open 2Calculate and open a	headphones example spread	To create simple
	purposefully to	blank spreadsheet. Today you are going to use	sheets 1-3	spread





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create, organise, store, manipulate and retrieve digital content

Lesson objectives:

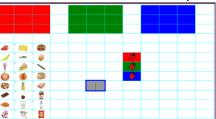
I can give images a

value that the spreadsheet can use to count them.
I can add the count tool to count

I can add the speak tool so that the items are counted out loud. I can use a spreadsheet

items.

2Calculate to turn a spreadsheet into a counting machine. The first stage of this is to create a spreadsheet like the example below



Remind children how to colour several cells at once. See if they can remember how to add images from last lesson; this lesson we are adding food images. See if they can remember how to make all of the images moveable at once (by selecting them all and clicking the 'move' tool in the controls toolbox). The ladybirds are going to be doing the counting; they could choose any images for this from the clipart e.g. dinosaurs or other animals. It's the colour of the cells that matters; They need to match the areas above. Display the example 1 spreadsheet on the whiteboard and give children time to recreate it. The example contains 24 food items but if children are taking a long time to

sheets using a computer. To help work out a fair way to share items.





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make their spreadsheet, suggest that they include less		
food items (a multiple of 3 is useful though) e.g. 3, 6,		
9, 12 etc items. Once the children have created and		
saved their spreadsheet come back together to		
explain how to turn this into a counting machine. Now		
the computer needs to know that each image is 1 item		
so it adds 1 each time. To do this, click on an image. In		
the image toolbox you will see a picture of the item		
followed by and = sign. Type '1' in the box next to the =		
sign for each image including the ladybirds. NB to do		
this in future once children are familiar with what a		
counting machine does, it is possible to enter a 1 into		
all the cells into which an image is to be placed then		
add the image and the value of 1 will remain. Some		
children might notice that some of the food pictures		
have more than 1 item on them so shouldn't really		
count as 1; this is really clever, they are correct and		
strictly speaking only food with 1 item should be		
included! They could experiment by setting the value		
to the actual number of items if they wish. Now click		
on the cell to the right of one of the ladybirds, open		





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the controls toolbox and click a 'How many' control.		
Repeat this for the 2 other ladybirds. The example 2		
spreadsheet shows this tool as it should look. Now the		
ladybird on the red cell will count all the items in the		
red box, the blue will count blue and the same for		
green. Try this out by dragging food items into the		
boxes. We can also make the ladybirds say the value		
out loud when an item is added or taken away. To do		
this, select the cells where the answers for the count		
are and click on the 'speak cell' control.		
Differentiated Activities		
Can children add the controls to their own		
spreadsheets to make a counting machine? The		
children can use their counting machines to answer		
questions such as:		
Each box is going to be given to a different person,		
can you share the items out equally between the 3		
boxes to find out how many items each person will get?		
Can you put all the fruit in the red box, the vegetables		
in the green box and tell me how many there are?.		
Put the foods that have lots of sugar in them in one		





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		box; how many foods did you have? Put the foods that you like in one box, those you don't mind in another and those you really don't like in the third box. The children could make counting machines with more 'boxes' to share items into (Example file 3 shows this). Just add some different coloured cells to the spreadsheet and a corresponding ladybird and count control (make sure you set the ladybird's value to 1). Challenges			
Lesson 4	NC objective: To recognise common uses of information technology beyond school Lesson objectives: I understand what is meant by	Main Teaching For the lesson, you will need to define to the children what is meant by the term 'technology'. According to the Oxford English Dictionary, technology is 'the application of scientific knowledge for practical purposes, especially in industry'. . Ask them what is meant by the term 'technology'. Explain to them what it is. Look around the classroom. What examples of technology can they see? Examples may include: • calculator • computer •	camera	technology	To recognise common uses of information technology beyond school





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	'technology'. I have considered types of technology used in school and out of school.	whiteboard/screen · telephone. In small groups, take the children into the local community and see what examples of technology they can identify. As the children notice examples, take pictures. As an extension, the children could then continue the activity at home and draw pictures of where they have found technology. Differentiated Activities technology walk INMITED 2. TRUMBURG OLGIST DIDUCT STATE OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PR		
Lesson 5	NC objective:	Main Teaching	slide show of	To recognise
	To recognise	Share the learning objectives and success criteria.	photos from	common uses





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common uses of	Recap the learning from the last lesson. If	previous lesson	of
information	appropriate, ask the children to show their homework.		information
technology beyond	This could be put on display prior to the lesson. Show		technology
school	the slide show of pictures; either the one created		beyond
	using pictures taken by the children on their tour, or		school
<u>Lesson objectives:</u>	the pre-made one. Ask the children what uses of		
I can record	technology they can see.		
examples of	<u>Differentiated Activities</u>		
technology outside	The children complete Lesson 2 - Worksheet 1 -		
school	Technology outside school.		
	Technology at home Name Look around your home and draw four ways in which technology is used.		
	Challenges		
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