

TSS Primary Computing MTP 2023-2024 Year 4 Block 3 – Introduction to Spreadsheets



Week	Key Targets and Learning Objectives	Key Activities	Key Vocabulary
1	 3MD.04 Know that spreadsheets are comprised of rows and columns of cells and that data can be entered into the cells. Understand simple spreadsheet vocabulary Understand cell references 	Wizards Challenge Students are introduced to new vocabulary in Excel. They then practise new vocabulary by playing hangman as a class. Finally they demonstrate understanding of cell references by completing The Wizard's Challenge activity.	spreadsheetcellcolumnrowcell reference
2	 3MD.04 Know that spreadsheets are comprised of rows and columns of cells and that data can be entered into the cells. 5MD.06 Know how to use the arithmetic operators, including +, -, *, /, and simple functions, such as SUM and AVERAGE, in a spreadsheet. Understand simple spreadsheet vocabulary Understand cell references Understand and create simple mathematical formulae 	Gold Mine 1 Students review spreadsheet vocabulary through class hangman Students revisit The Wizard's Challenge before a demonstration on how to create a formula Students use basic mathematical formulae (+, -, /, *) to complete levels 1 & 2 of The Gold Mine activity.	 spreadsheet cell column row cell reference formula
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4	 3MD.04 Know that spreadsheets are comprised of rows and columns of cells and that data can be entered into the cells. 3MD.05 Know how to format cells according to their purpose, such as date, currency and text. 5MD.06 Know how to use the arithmetic operators, including +, -, *, /, and simple functions, such as SUM and AVERAGE, in a spreadsheet. Understand simple spreadsheet vocabulary Understand cell references Understand and create simple mathematical formulae Format cells to make data more visually appealing and according to type 	Students review spreadsheet vocabulary through class hangman Times Tables Calculator 1 Students use a simple mathematical formula to create a multiplication calculator Times Tables Calculator 2 Students practise formatting data to make it more visually appealing and according to type (number)	 spreadsheet cell column row cell reference formula data format
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6	TBC	Either spreadsheet consolidation/extension and code.org	• (Vocabulary)
7	TBC	Or Digtial Citizenship short focused tasks and code.org	• (Vocabulary)