

Grade 6

COMPUTING SYSTEMS CS

D. Devices CS.D

- a Identify the benefits and limitations of a given computing device's functions (including individual components) to explain how the functions and components work together to create the computing system. CS.D.6.A
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HS. Hardware and Software CS.HS

- a Identify ways that hardware and software work together as a system to collect and exchange data. CS.HS.6.A
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T. Troubleshooting CS.T

- a Use a systematic process to identify and evaluate the source of a routine computing problem. Select the best solution to solve the computing problem and communicate the solution to others. CS.T.6.A
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NETWORKS AND THE INTERNET NI

N. Networking NI.N

- a Identify the role of hardware components to understand the infrastructure of networks and the internet (including cloud servers). NI.N.6.A
 - b Identify protocols (i.e., rules) and explain why they are used to transmit data across networks and the internet. NI.N.6.B
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C. Cybersecurity NI.C

- a Identify cybersecurity concerns and measures needed to protect electronic information. NI.C.6.A
 - b Identify the different types of malware to understand threats to data security. NI.C.6.B
 - c Identify ways to protect private information. NI.C.6.C
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IOT. Internet of Things (IoT) NI.IOT

- a Define and explore aspects of embedded devices, smart devices and intelligent devices and the way they record, observe and mimic human habits. NI.IOT.6.A
 - b Identify and define blockchains to recognize how every device made has unique identifiers and the weaknesses that allow programmers and hackers to see personally identifiable information. NI.IOT.6.B
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DATA AND ANALYSIS DA

DCS. Data Collection and Storage DA.DCS

- a Identify and use an appropriate digital data collection tool to compile information. DA.DCS.6.A
 - b Select and utilize appropriate file formats to organize collected data. DA.DCS.6.B
 - c Utilize a file structure to logically organize data to support individual and collaborative work. DA.DCS.6.C
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VC. Visualization and Communication DA.VC

- a Identify and label patterns in models or representations to infer connections between data sets. DA.VC.6.A
 - b Create a spreadsheet utilizing formulas, functions and graphs to represent and analyze data. DA.VC.6.B
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IM. Inference and Modeling DA.IM

- a Identify and utilize data sets to support or refute a hypothesis. DA.IM.6.A
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ALGORITHMIC THINKING AND PROGRAMMING ATP

A. Algorithms ATP.A

- a Compare and refine multiple algorithms for the same task to determine which is the most efficient. ATP.A.6.A
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VDR. Variables and Data Representation ATP.VDR

- a Identify unknown values that need to be represented by a variable within a multi-step process. ATP.VDR.6.A
 - b Create variables and use them within a multi-step process. ATP.VDR.6.B
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CS. Control Structures ATP.CS

- a Identify and trace decisions and loops that exist in a multi-step process within a program. ATP.CS.6.A
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M. Modularity ATP.M

- a Decompose problems into parts to facilitate the design, implementation and review of programs. ATP.M.6.A
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PD. Program Development ATP.PD

- a Write code that utilizes algorithms, variables and control structures to solve problems or as a creative expression. ATP.PD.6.A
 - b Test and trace to debug and refine code. ATP.PD.6.B
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ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE AI

P. Perception AI.P

- a Give examples of different types of computer perception that can extract meaning from sensory signals to understand how computers collect information from sensors. AI.P.6.A
 - b Give examples of how humans combine information from multiple modalities to understand how computers use sensors to collect data. AI.P.6.B
 - c Give examples of different types of computer perception that can extract meaning from sensory signals to show the connection between sensors and computer perception. AI.P.6.C
 - d Classify a given image (e.g., "traffic scene", "nature scene", "social gathering", etc.) and then describe the kinds of knowledge a computer would need in order to understand scenes of this type to utilize the image in an algorithm. AI.P.6.D
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RR. Representation & Reasoning AI.RR

- a Illustrate how a computer can solve a maze, find a route on a map or reason about concepts in a knowledge graph by drawing a search tree. AI.RR.6.A
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ML. Machine Learning AI.ML

- a Contrast the unique characteristics of human learning with the ways machine learning systems operate to identify the limitations of machine learning. AI.ML.6.A
 - b Illustrate the structure of a neural network to describe how its parts form a set of functions that compute an output. AI.ML.6.B
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NI. Natural Interactions AI.NI

- a Individually and collaboratively compare language processing algorithms to solve a problem based on a given criteria (e.g., time, resource, accessibility). AI.NI.6.A
 - b Identify and describe how computers mimic human behavior to better serve humans. AI.NI.6.B
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SI. Societal Impacts AI.SI

- a Identify and explain how humans have control in curating training datasets to identify bias in machine learning. AI.SI.6.A
 - b Identify and explain how algorithmic bias impacts artificial intelligence systems to prevent bias in future datasets. AI.SI.6.B
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IMPACTS OF COMPUTING

Cu. Culture IC.CU

- a Identify the change that current technologies have on people's everyday activities to understand the impact within a society. IC.CU.6.A
- b Identify issues of bias and accessibility in the design of existing technologies to address equality and equity in society. IC.CU.6.B
- c Identify and explore careers related to the field of computer science. IC.CU.6.C

SI. Social Interactions IC.SI

- a Analyze and present beneficial and harmful effects of electronic communications to understand their impacts on interpersonal, global, economic, political, business and cultural interactions. IC.SI.6.A

Safety, Law and Ethics

- a Describe tradeoffs between allowing information to be public and keeping information private and secure to inform decision -making . IC.SLE.6.A
- b Identify the social and economic implications of privacy in the context of safety, law or ethics to understand how privacy impacts these areas. IC.SLE.6.B
- c Evaluate the development of new technologies in communication, entertainment and business to understand the impact. IC.SLE.6.C
- d Provide appropriate credit when using resources or artifacts that are not our own. IC.SLE.6.D
- e Differentiate between the appropriate and inappropriate content on the internet and identify unethical and illegal online behavior. IC.SLE.6.E