

Computing Lesson 3 - Week 3

Data

L.O: I understand why we store information in an organised way.

1. Here is a picture of a 'database' from a pet shop.

What similarities can you spot between the pet shop database and the little pig record card below?

Name	pinky
Eyes	blue
	
Tie	red
	
Spots	6
1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10	
Happy	yes
Yes/No	

Pet shop database

Name: Spot

Animal: dog



Age: 4 years

Colour: White with a brown patch

Owner: Mr Pippin

Storing information on computers like this, is very similar to storing information in files in an office. The different categories are called field names

2. Can you create your own little pig, like the ones from last week using this database sheet?

Name	
Eyes	
	
Tie	
	
Spots	
1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10	
Happy	
Yes/No	

3. Could you draw a picture of your new pig?