

## Year 4



### Knowledge Organiser: Computing

## Data & Information – Data Logging

In Year 3, you learnt:

- all objects have attributes
- a branching database (sometimes called a binary tree) is a way of classifying a group of objects.
- branching databases rely on 'Yes/No' questions
- 'Yes/No' questions are based on an attribute
- splitting a group into two even groups will make a branching database more effective

| Key Vocabulary |            |            |
|----------------|------------|------------|
| data           | analyse    | data point |
| table (layout) | data set   | interval   |
| input device   | import     | analyse    |
| sensor         | export     | review     |
| data logger    | collection | conclusion |



Having looked at the data tables, I conclude that \_\_\_\_\_.

The information in table make me think that \_\_\_\_\_ because \_\_\_\_\_.

One reason why automatic data collection is more preferable than manual data collection is because \_\_\_\_\_.

One difference between the graphs is \_\_\_\_\_.

My results, collected from the data logger, make me think that \_\_\_\_\_ because \_\_\_\_\_.

The graphed data allowed me to \_\_\_\_\_ compared to the tabular data which allowed me to \_\_\_\_\_.

Having analysed the data I can tell you that \_\_\_\_\_.

### Key Facts

- data gathered over time can be used to answer questions
- a data logger collects 'data points' from sensors over time
- computers can capture data from the physical world using input devices called 'sensors'
- sensors can be connected to data loggers, which can automatically collect data while not attached to a computer
- data loggers capture data at given time intervals

