

COMPUTER SCIENCE CONTROLLED ASSESSMENT

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A QUICK COMPARISON

| OCR | AQA | Edexcel | WJEC |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 1 Programming 1 Investigation | 2 Programming | 1 Programming | 1 Programming |
| Total 40 hours 60% of grade | Total 50 hours 60% of grade | Total 15 hours 25% of grade | Total 15 hours 30% of grade |
| 1 written exam | 1 written exam | 1 written exam | 1 written exam 1 on-screen exam |

IN CONTROL?

TASK SETTING

High Control

TASK TAKING

Medium Control

TASK MARKING

Medium Control



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STRATEGIES FOR DELIVERY



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STRATEGY ONE

Input - Process - Output

Start

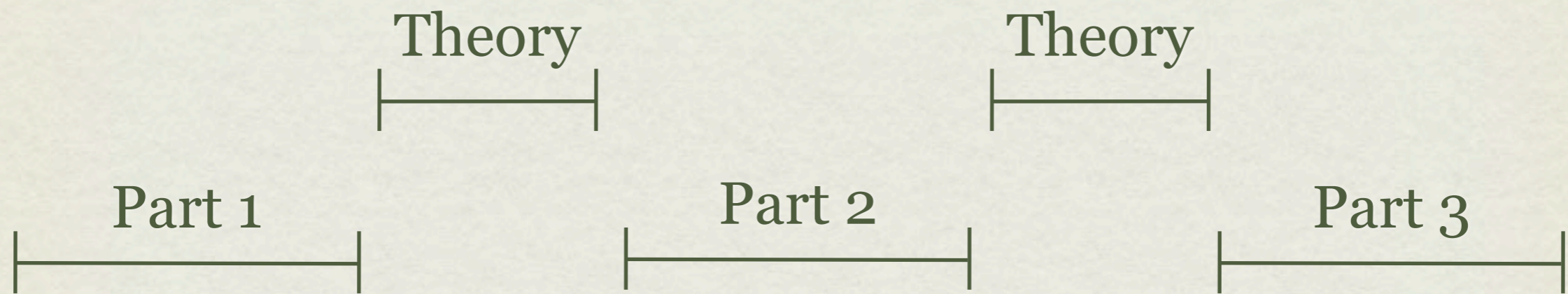
15 - 25 Hours

Stop



STRATEGY TWO

One piece at a time



STRATEGY THREE

Similar but different

Similar 1
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Similar 2
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Similar 3
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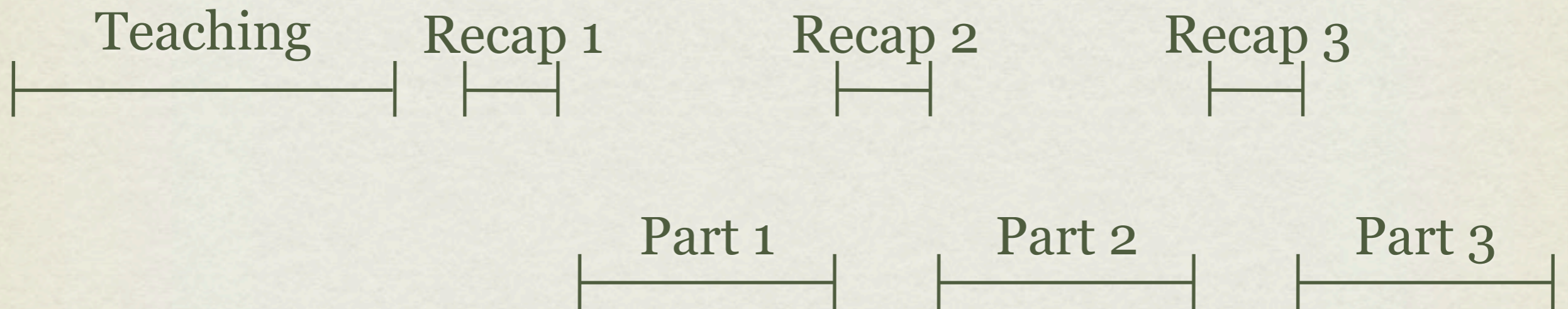
Part 1
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Part 2
|-----|

Part 3
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STRATEGY FOUR

Timely reminder



WALK THE LINE

- ☑ Internet Access
- ☑ Some group work
- ☑ Notes
- ☑ Generic Feedback

- ☑ Students' own work
- ☑ Supervised during work



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NOW WAIT'S
YOUR TURN.

STEP 1 - STOP & THINK

Task 1: This task asks for a program that will ask someone to enter an email address that follows a recognised layout by the program. The layout of the email entered should start with a string of alphanumeric characters, followed by the '@' symbol, another string of letters/numbers, followed by a "." and then more alphanumeric characters e.g. [a@b.c](#) or [ab23@f45.d3](#). If the email entered is set out how the program intends it to be then once the python script runs, it should say 'VALID'. But if the email entered doesn't follow that layout e.g. [@bc.d](#) or [123.c@cvb](#), then the program should go onto say 'INVALID'.

The strategy I will use to solve this task is regular expression because I find it much simpler than arrays and have worked with them much recently. I am use to regular expressions so I feel if there is an invalid syntax then I will be able to notice a possible problem and fix it.

STEP 3 - DEVELOP

Development:

While making the program, I used the `re.match` function for the code because I knew I could use one if statement to see if a string matches a pattern or not, except for the underscore and I could not think of another solution at all, except by using the `re.search` possibly but the code would have to be longer. It's a function somebody else wrote and I don't think I would have made the program without importing the ready-made functions. An error I encountered was that the email printed valid even though I had a "_" in which is not a alphanumeric character and the "\w" has the alphanumeric and the underscore too, I fixed it by seeing if the email contains it for the "_" using the `re.search` function, then if it does it will change what the user had input to "invalid", so it would fail the next if statement and print out that the email is invalid.

```
import re

email = input("Enter an email address: ")
if re.search("_", email):
    email = "invalid"

if re.match("\w\w*@\w\w*\.\w\w*$", email):
    print("The email address you entered is valid.")
else:
    print("The email address you entered is invalid.")
```


STEP 4 - TEST

| | | Output should be | | | |
|----|------------------------|------------------|---------|--|---|
| 1 | abcdefg@abcdefg.com | Valid | valid | To see if this valid email works with only alphanumeric characters (but without the numbers) | Enter an email address: abcdefg@abcdefg.com The email address you entered is valid. |
| 2 | aLaNDu@alanDU.1234 | Valid | valid | To see if this valid email works but with numbers at the end. | Enter an email address: aLaNDu@alanDU.1234 The email address you entered is valid. |
| 3 | OoOFFFF@0183FFF.c0c0 | Valid | valid | To see if a mix of numbers and letters in random places in the valid email works. | Enter an email address: OoOFFFF@0183FFF.c0c0 The email address you entered is valid. |
| 4 | F0z9z0@z0f9GH.com | Valid | valid | To see if this valid email with random combinations will work. | Enter an email address: F0z9z0@z0f9GH.com The email address you entered is valid. |
| 5 | 1@1.1 | Valid | valid | To see if this valid email with random combinations will work. | Enter an email address: 1@1.1 The email address you entered is valid. |
| 6 | a@a.b | Valid | valid | To see if this valid email with random combinations will work. | Enter an email address: a@a.b The email address you entered is valid. |
| 7 | A0@a0.com | Valid | valid | To see if this valid email with random combinations will work. | Enter an email address: A0@a0.com The email address you entered is valid. |
| 8 | testing@444444444444.4 | Valid | valid | To see if this valid email with random combinations will work. | Enter an email address: testing@444444444444.4 The email address you entered is valid. |
| 9 | BBzzzBB@BBBBBB.CC | Valid | valid | To see if an email with different cases (higher/lower) would work. | Enter an email address: BBzzzBB@BBBBBB.CC The email address you entered is valid. |
| 10 | Hello_example@test.com | Invalid | invalid | To see if adding an underscore to the email makes it invalid, as it should be invalid. | Enter an email address: Hello_example@test.com The email address you entered is invalid. |
| 11 | A @ a .com | Invalid | invalid | To see if adding some spaces make it invalid. | Enter an email address: A @ a .com The email address you entered is invalid. |
| 12 | a@@a.com | Invalid | invalid | To see if adding two @ signs next to each other as well as two dots make it invalid. | Enter an email address: a@@a.com The email address you entered is invalid. |

STEP 5 - EVALUATE

Success criteria:

The success criteria will be to see whether the program and invalid if the email that was entered was invalid and the input is valid.

To check this, each individual test data will be entered shows which data is valid or invalid. If the expected output within the success criteria.

The pattern is: starts with at least 1 alphanumeric character (alphanumeric characters).

Evaluation:

In conclusion, the program is very efficient as It could have been more efficient if the second the program clearly works as it has been tested

```
if re.match("\w|\w*@\w|\w*|\w|\w*$",):
```

With:

```
if re.match("\w|\w*@\w|\w*|\w|\w*$", input)  
and then it would have been 4 lines of code (h
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However, it prints invalid for valid email address controlled assessment, so the program works full stop.

QUESTIONS

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