

Data Handling Flashcards: Kit's Computing Corner

Learning objective: To identify and understand key terms used in data handling and computing.

Read the front of the card. Think of the answer. Flip the card over to see if you are right. Use the word bank to help you.

What is data?

Data is facts, figures, or information collected for study.

What is a database?

A digital place to store and organise lots of data.

What is a tally chart?

A simple way to count things using marks in groups of five.

What is a pictogram?

A chart that uses pictures to represent numbers.

What is a bar chart?

A chart that uses bars to show how many items are in each group.

What is a record in a database?

All the information about one specific thing, like one person.

What is a field in a database?

A single piece of information, like a name or an age.

What does it mean to sort data?

Putting data in a specific order, like A-Z or smallest to largest.

What does it mean to search data?

Looking for specific information in a large collection.

What is an axis?

The lines on a graph that show the labels and the numbers.