

6-8 Crosswalk (CSTA Reviewer Grant Smith)

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2-CS-02	Design projects that combine hardware and software components to collect and exchange data.	2-C-7-11	Justify the hardware and software chosen to accomplish a task (e.g., comparison of the features of a tablet vs. desktop, selecting which sensors and platform to use in building a robot or developing a mobile app).
2-CS-03	Systematically identify and fix problems with computing devices and their components.	2-C-6-13	Use a systematic process to identify the source of a problem within individual and connected devices (e.g., follow a troubleshooting flow diagram, make changes to software to see if hardware will work, restart device, check connections, swap in working components).
2-NI-04	Model the role of protocols in transmitting data across networks and the Internet.	2-N-4-25	Simulate how information is transmitted as packets through multiple devices over the Internet and Networks.
2-NI-05	Explain how physical and digital security measures protect electronic information.	2-I-1-22	Describe ethical issues that relate to computing devices and networks (e.g., equity of access, security and plagiarism), hacking, intellectual property, copyright, Creative Commons licensing.
2-NI-06	Apply multiple methods of encryption to model the secure transmission of information.		
2-DA-07	Represent data using multiple encoding schemes.	2-D-4-17	Represent data using different encoding schemes (e.g., binary, Unicode, Morse code, shorthand, student-created codes).
2-DA-08	Collect data using computational tools and transform the data to make it more useful and reliable.	2-D-7-15	Explain the processes used to collect, transform, and analyze data to solve a problem using computational tools (e.g., use an app or spreadsheet form to collect data, decide which data to use or ignore, and choose a visualization method.).
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2-AP-10	Use flowcharts and/or pseudocode to address complex problems as algorithms.	2-A-6-10	Use an iterative design process (e.g., define the problem, generate ideas, build, test, and improve solutions) to solve problems, both independently and collaboratively.
2-AP-11	Create clearly named variables that represent different data types and perform operations on their values.	2-A-5-7	Create variables that represent different types of data and manipulate their values.
2-AP-12	Design and iteratively develop programs that combine control structures, including nested loops and compound conditionals.	2-A-5-6	Develop programs, both independently and collaboratively, that include sequences with nested loops and multiple branches. [Clarification: At this level, students may use block-based and/or text-based programming languages.]
2-AP-13	Decompose problems and subproblems into parts to facilitate the design, implementation, and review of programs.	2-A-3-9	Decompose a problem into parts and create solutions for each part.
2-AP-14	Create procedures with parameters to organize code and make it easier to reuse.	2-A-4-8	Define and use procedures that hide the complexity of a task and can be reused to solve similar tasks. [Clarification: Students use and modify, but do not necessarily create, procedures with parameters.]
2-AP-15	Seek and incorporate feedback from team members and users to refine a solution that meets user needs.	2-A-2-1	Solicit and integrate peer feedback as appropriate to develop or refine a program.
2-AP-16	Incorporate existing code, media, and libraries into original programs, and give attribution.	2-A-7-3	Provide proper attribution when code is borrowed or built upon.
2-AP-17	Systematically test and refine programs using a range of test cases.	2-D-5-16	Revise computational models to more accurately reflect real-world systems (e.g., ecosystems, epidemics, spread of ideas).
2-AP-18	Distribute tasks and maintain a project timeline when collaboratively developing computational artifacts.	2-A-5-5	Design, develop, and present computational artifacts such as mobile applications that address social problems both independently and collaboratively.
2-AP-19	Document programs in order to make them easier to follow, test, and debug.		New
2-IC-20	Compare tradeoffs associated with computing technologies that affect people's everyday activities and career options.	2-C-4-12	Analyze the relationship between a device's computational components and its capabilities. [Clarification: Computing Systems include not only computers, but also cars, microwaves, smartphones, traffic lights, and flash drives.]



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		2-I-6-23	Redesign a computational artifact to remove barriers to universal access (e.g., using captions on images, high contrast colors, and/or larger font sizes).
2-IC-22	Collaborate with many contributors through strategies such as crowdsourcing or surveys when creating a computational artifact.	2-I-7-19	Explain how computer science fosters innovation and enhances nearly all careers and disciplines.
2-IC-23	Describe tradeoffs between allowing information to be public and keeping information private and secure.	2-N-7-24	Summarize security risks associated with weak passwords, lack of encryption, insecure transactions, and persistence of data.
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