

Project log

My test buddy's comments are in red.

My teacher's comments are in green.

Other people's comments are in blue.

Date	Comment
24/03/08	Filled in the sub tasks, and main tasks in the project plan. Written in detail so that it can be used throughout the whole unit. The only problem was I was slightly behind everyone else in the class, but soon caught up with the work set, which was good .what I will need to do throughout the course. Next I will continue with my project plan.
27/03/08	Filled in the rest of the subtasks, and put in whether I will do my work in class or at home, also I guessed at how long it will take me to do this work. This will help me get everything finished on time.
31/03/08	Made and filled in my project log, finished anything that wasn't complete in my project plan, and also checked my estimated time to do things added up to 30 hours in total.
21/04/08	I created a database structure
28/04/08	I started to add colour and images to my music database, I also did one combo box before the lesson ended, I found it easy to add colour, but found it slightly harder to do the combo box. But I finally finished it.
12/05/08	I added more combo boxes to my work. I finished my music database. I found this easy as I had done it the week before so I new what I should have been doing.
03/06/08	We started to create a questionnaire that pupils can fill in so we can use some of the information to create a play list.
05/06/08	We carried on creating our questionnaire which may be inserted into a play list.

09/06/08	We searched for 5 charities on the internet; we emailed charities asking if we could use pictures off their website. Then we could put it down as a primary source.
19/06/08	Today I added combo boxes to my work; I found it easy and was pleased because I ended up doing several this lesson. My test buddy said "Kaidee has added lots of combo boxes; it makes her work look better + more interesting."
23/06/08	I was absent for this lesson, but the other pupils made an If function. I will catch up on this when I'm next in.
26/06/08	I was also absent again, so I didn't complete an If function, but I will catch up when I get back.
30/06/08	Today the class did a questions table, but I was absent again so I didn't do it. I will try my best to catch up with all the work I have missed.
07/07/08	The class completed the questions table this lesson, but I was absent. Again I will try and catch up with the work I have missed when I am back in school.
05/09/08	Today I updated my sources table, because I hadn't done anything on this before so I spent all lesson completing the sources table, I am glad I took my time with the sources table because now it is up to date and I can keep updating it every lesson, so I don't have to spend a whole lesson trying to catch up with the sources table again.
06/09/08	We made sure our sources table was up to date, this took me all lesson... the reason why it took me all lesson is because I hadn't kept up to date with this before, from now on I will keep up to date with my sources table, today I am very happy with my work I have done a lot, and I'm very organised now.
09/09/08	Today I started my invitation; I tried to use a colour scheme through my work, so it looked neat and appealing. Next I will try to find an appropriate image to put on my invitation. Today I think I have worked well, and tried to catch

	up on other work as well as doing my invitation. I will continue this next week.
12/09/08	In today's lesson I have completed my invitation. I think it is okay, but I know It can be improved quite a lot yet. I got feed back from Emma and she said "No I have not included a primary image, and to include one to improve my mark" I agree with this, and will include an image next week. Emma also said "The information isn't persuasive enough" I disagree with this because I think it will persuade students, but I will also try to improve slightly and then I will ask Emma if she thinks I have improved it. Nicola also disagreed with Emma's comment and said "I think it's persuasive enough" These comments will help me a lot next week to improve my invitation.
16/09/08	Today I have created an image of a man dancing on paint and added it to my invitation, and updated my sources table, by including all the images I have created today and others I have found on clipart. I am impressed with what I have done today, but I think I could have done more.
23/09/93	Today I have carried on and added yet another If formula to my danceometer. I have completely updated my review, including comments from pupils out of my class. I have also updated my action plan. I am pleased with how I have worked today, even-though I know I could have been more focused. My test buddy said "you have caught up well in the last two lessons, well done" I agree I have really caught up with a lot of work, and I'm pleased I'm not behind with any work any more.
26/09/08	Today we spent another lesson catching up on all our work. I checked everything was up to date and all the formulas were correct, I didn't work as well as I could off this lesson but I am still up to date with all my work, and I'm not behind on anything, I also added a couple more images to the sources table.

<p>02/10/08</p>	<p>In today's lesson all the class checked there database, we added a couple more validation rules after reading through the DIDA website more careful... I also re-added my records because I changed the validation codes, I got several people to check my database was correct... and it was, I did mess about quite a bit today but I still got all my work done.</p>
<p>03/10/08</p>	<p>In today's lesson I have done several screenshots for proof that I have included a primary key in my track ID field and that I have included validation rules, for some of the other fields. My test buddy said my database "is good, but to improve it you could make the text a bit bigger" I agree with my test buddy and have increased the size of the text by two sizes. My test buddy then said "the size of the text looks better now its bigger" I agree with my test buddy.</p>
<p>07/10/08</p>	<p>This lesson we searched for dance music and picked the effort rating high. These records are for me and my play list, we tried to delete some records so we only had 600seconds, but it didn't work because it deleted the records from the database table. To solve the problem I will have to work out how to get 600seconds in length without deleting the records from the database table, this will by my next task.</p>
<p>14/10/08</p>	<p>This lesson I started to create the make a catch part of the unit. I made a master slide and I inserted the logos of the chosen charities, for homework I will email these charities checking it is ok to use these images. My next stage is to carry on with the make a catch part of the unit. I think I have worked ok today, but I could have worked better.</p>
<p>16/10/08</p>	<p>In this lesson I have carried on with the make a catch slideshow. I added 3 new slides, 2 on my charity choices, and another on the location and time of the event. I also added 5 new images to my sources table, and wrote about them. Next lesson I will be carrying on with my make a catch</p>

	<p>publication. My test buddy said "you have caught up well today because you were slightly behind last lesson" I agree with this. Also my teacher said to "maybe ask some rhetorical questions, to make it more interesting" I changed my first slide and took her advise.</p>
17/10/08	<p>In this lesson I have carried on with my make a catch presentation, I added slide transitions and images on my slideshow, now it's a bit better than it was. I haven't worked as well this lesson, because I was a bit giddy. My next task is to complete my make a catch publication, this lesson I crossed of my work before I saved it so I had to re-do the work I had already done.</p>
21/07/08	<p>In this lesson I have made my make a catch publication so that it loops continually, I have also put timings onto my slide so that it's easier to read because it will have different timings for each slides. In this lesson I also added entrances and exits for some of the images and pieces of text, to make my slide show more interesting. I have worked well this lesson, a lot better than last week. I have made my slideshow more interesting to the eye which also makes it more attractive. My teacher made some comments on my work, and said to "to consider making the text a bit bigger on the slides" I agreed with her and now I have increase the text side too 16. Also my teacher said that my "picture looks good on my page" I agree with my teacher, this was after I had added an effect to the picture to make it fly onto the page and fly off the page. Also my test buddy said that on the last slide I should include "sponsor or dance?" I agreed with my test buddy and have now added that onto my last slide. My next step is to get more feedback on my make a catch slideshow, and improve depending on what the feedback is. Also next lesson I will check my plan so I know what to do next, and update my plan and review.</p>
24/10/08	<p>In this lesson I got some feed back, and</p>

	<p>the feedback comments were: "good relevant pictures" I agree with this because I have only used 2 pictures throughout my slideshow, which are of people dancing. also they said "I don't like the red and black on the master slide" I don't agree with this because I have used red and black on my invitation and on other parts of the project so I am going to leave it red and black, so it all ties together nicely.</p> <p>My partner who also gave me feedback said "I don't like the circles in the corner that are on the master slide" I don't agree with this because it makes it less boring, but if other people say they don't like this then I will change it. My partner also said "I like the slide transitions" I do agree with this because it's not as boring with the slide transitions I have chosen.</p> <p>Also in this lesson I have updated my review, and action plan. I am up to date now and I am very pleased with the progress I have made this lesson. I have looked at my action plan and the next task I have to do is to go back to my play list because I haven't done them when I should off.</p>
<p>04/11/08</p>	<p>At the start of the lesson I opened up my action plan and saw that my next task was to go back and create the play list. I created a query and searched for the "dance" genre and the "high" fitness level, this play list is for me. I deleted some of the tracks so that they are no longer that 15minutes (900 seconds). My play list is 882 seconds long overall. I edited the report so that it's more suitable for the target audience. I have changed the font and text size, and the colour of the text. I have changed the layout of my work and have added a title.</p>
<p>06/11/08</p>	<p>This lesson I have finished my play list, I have added an image onto my play list to make it look more appealing. I have also changed all the colours on my play list because I think it stands out better now, we did our changes in word, because we found it easier to</p>

	edit the font etc. I think I worked well this lesson, despite Jamie not being quiet. In tomorrows lesson I will get feedback on my play list.
07/11/08	In today's lesson we got feedback off people In our class, my feedback was "good use of space, appropriate title, got everything needed, and good font size" I agree with my comments, he also said "it's not very colourful, and you could make it more attractive." I agree with this comment but I am not going to change the colour because I have used this colour scheme of Black, Red + white in all my projects. I think it looks better with a colour scheme because everything links together nicely.
11/11/08	In this lesson I have not done that much because miss wasn't in and I wasn't sure what to do. I will catch up next lesson though. My next task is to create a sponser form.
14/11/08	In this lesson I have created a play list for my test buddy, then created a report for this , then published the report into Microsoft word + then picked songs adding up to no more than 900 seconds and started to make it suitable so it is more suitable for my target audience. I have changed the text size, font, colour + the background + title are complete consistent to my play list, again I have used the colours which I have used through all my work, which are black red + white. I have also used the same image as the one in my play list. My test buddy said "I like your background, It makes all the other writing stand out and the pictures is colour related to your work" I agree with this comment apart from the picture bit, because the background is a brown and that doesn't go, but the main part of the picture goes well. This lesson I have worked well, and kept on task because I wasn't distracted I will do this again next lesson. I have looked at my project plan and now know that my next task is to finish this work.
21/11/08	In today's lesson I have updated my

	<p>review in detail. I haven't done that much this lesson, but I don't think I could have done much more. I was ahead of my class anyway so I am happy I have spent my spare time updating my review because It is now up to date. My next task is to update my project plan and keep up to date with my project log. Also next lesson I will get more feedback on my play lists and write these in my project plan, project log and review. Hopefully this will help me to improve my play lists and any folders in my 'keeping track' folder.</p>
<p>25/11/08</p>	<p>In this lesson I have checked I am up to date with everything, and have checked that my review, project log, action plan, sources table and then I looked at my action plan and realised my next task is to do my sponsor form so I started my sponsor form this lesson, next lesson my next task will be to complete my sponsor form. Also this lesson I have checked my Dance o metre, and my invitation and made any necessary changes to these. I am very pleased with the work I have done up to now, and the presentation of everything. I have tried to keep everything consistent throughout the project so far. The feedback I got this lesson was of my test buddy and she said "everything is looking good up to now; everything is up to date and well set out." I am pleased with these comments and agree with them.</p>
<p>02/12/08</p>	<p>In this lesson I have started to create my sponsor form, I have tried to keep the colours consistent throughout my work. I have changed the background to black and have added text boxes which have information about the charities, about what to do when the sponsor form is complete, also I have added a table, my next task is to carry on with my sponsor form and then get feedback.</p>
<p>09/12/08</p>	<p>In this lesson I have got feedback for my data entry form, which I completed ages ago and didn't get feedback on,</p>

	<p>my feedback was from a pupil in my class and it was "you could make the text bigger" I do agree with this but I'm not going to change it because It will take the attention of the information above. Also in this lesson I have updated my review, by adding a form (access) section and writing about that. Also I have updated my sources table. I have checked my plan and my next task is to set up and create my e-portfolio. I think I have worked okay this lesson but I think I could have ignored distractions better.</p>
/01/09	I was absent for this lesson so I will try to catch up in the next few lessons.
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13/01/09	<p>In this lesson I have copied a blank homepage to my folder to catch up & also made the links to the other pages. I also created a style sheet with the rest of the class , and then saved it – I will use this later to attach to all my pages, I found this okay to do but I did get a bit lost at the start, but caught up. We created the style sheet because it's easier to change styles & it makes sure our pages are consistent. I attached the style sheet to my homepage. Next lesson I need to catch up and change my heading etc.</p>
15/01/09	<p>In this lesson I have created the additional pages to add to my e-portfolio, also I have started to add commentaries to each of the pages to introduce all my evidence, I though I have done well this lesson and have caught up quite a lot, I will continue to finish these commentaries next lesson</p>
16/01/09	<p>In this lesson I have completed all the commentaries on each page to introducing each section, I am happy with what I have done today, I have worked well and caught up a lot. Next lesson I need to start pdf'ing my work and attaching it to my e-portfolio pages.</p>
20/01/09	<p>In this lesson I have been pdf'ing all my work and been attaching it to my e-portfolio pages , I have completed all</p>

	<p>the pdf'ing that I was meant to do, but I have not pdfd my project management, my dance o meter or my make a catch, I enjoyed this because once I learnt how to do it I could do it independently. I found this quite easy, and my next task is to continue this.</p>
27/01/09	<p>In this lesson I have created a blank copy of my dance o meter a copy of my dance o meter with my results in it, also I have done a copy of dance o meter with my test buddy's results in it. I have found a problem with my dance o meter though and that is that the combo box which selects the charity doesn't include the same charity as I have wrote on my test buddy's sponsor form.</p>
29/01/09	<p>In this lesson I have changed my dance o meter combo box because I had the wrong charities in it, then I created a new test buddy dance o meter, my results dance o meter, a formulae dance o meter & also a new blanc dance o meter. I have attached all these to my e-portfolio. My new task is to create a banner for my e-portfolio as I was absent when my class completed this so I was behind. I am happy with how I have worked today.</p>
30/01/09	<p>In this lesson I am very happy with what I have done , I have caught up very well, I have attached a lot more pages to my e-portfolio, I have completed my report and I have created a banner in fireworks, I am really pleased with today's lesson.</p>
06/02/09	<p>In this lesson I have added a copyright statement to my research page because I'm still waiting a reply from some of the companies I have emailed whose info I used. I have explained on my music database e-portfolio page why I have used drop downs. I have included the dance o meter with annotations; my next task is to improve my work based on feedback.</p>
10/02/09	<p>In this lesson I have made changes to my work, I have used the feedback which I received of my teacher and I</p>

	<p>have used this to make my project better, also I have double checked my e-portfolio for spelling mistakes etc. because this is not on Microsoft word. I am very pleased with the changes I have made this lesson. Also I have received feedback of my complete e-portfolio off my test buddy, this was</p>
12/02/09	<p>This lesson I have made mini screenshot versions of all my work and added them to my e-portfolio.</p>
13/02/09	<p>In this lesson I have finished added all my screenshots of my work and I have got feedback of my test buddy such as "Your e-portfolio is very neat. You could use more colour on your pages maybe add some borders. You could centre align your text and hyperlinks to match your centre aligned pictures. Good work!" I agree with this and I have tried to add red borders but it didn't work when I ran my e-portfolio, I am pleased with the work I have done and think I have done very well to finish my e-portfolio on time. I am also going to centre align my text and hyperlinks so it looks neater.</p>
24/02/09	<p>This lesson I have re-attached my project log, this is the only thing I had to do for all my project to be complete.</p>