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<th>Year 6 Rubric</th>
<th>Victorian Games and Apps Challenge 2016</th>
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<td>Problem</td>
<td>Define problems in terms of data and functional requirements, drawing on previously solved problems to identify similarities (VCDTCD030)</td>
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<td>Design</td>
<td>The problem is defined, little or no necessary factors are expressed as data and several functional requirements are identified. Any previous experiences and their similarities to the current problem are listed. Design ideas are effectively communicated, and a willingness to experiment with new materials, components, and tools is apparent. Very basic or no planning is indicated which indicates a consideration of the time available in the form of a timeline, as well as any equipment and software which is required.</td>
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<td>Modify</td>
<td>The problem is defined, more than one necessary factors are expressed as data and several functional requirements are identified. Any previous experiences and their similarities to the current problem are listed. Design ideas are effectively communicated, and a willingness to experiment with new materials, components, and tools is apparent. Some planning is provided which indicates a consideration of the time available in the form of a timeline, as well as any equipment and software which is required.</td>
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<td>Implement</td>
<td>The problem is defined, several necessary factors are expressed as data and some functional requirements are identified. Any previous experiences are listed and their similarities to the current problem explained. Design ideas are effectively and clearly communicated, and a willingness to experiment with new materials, components and tools is evident. Adequate planning is provided which indicates a consideration of the time available in the form of a timeline, as well as any equipment and software which is required.</td>
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<td>Algorithms</td>
<td>Design, modify and follow simple algorithms presented diagrammatically and in English, involving sequences of steps, branching, and iteration (VCDTCD031)</td>
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<td>Design a user interface for a digital system, generating and considering alternative design ideas (VCDTCD032)</td>
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<td>Design ideas have been employed.</td>
<td>Few simple algorithms are expressed visually and clearly, accompanied by some explanations of their functions in plain English. The algorithms include limited sequences of steps, small branching paths and iteration, and little correct technical language is used.</td>
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<td>Some different designs for a digital user interface are included with several accompanying evaluations. A degree of willingness to experiment with designs is evident. A limited range of different materials, techniques and tools to develop these design ideas have been employed safely.</td>
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<td>Develop, communicate and document design ideas and processes for audiences using appropriate technical terms and graphical representation techniques (VCDSDD039)</td>
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<td>Examples of digital systems presented diagrammatically and in English, involving sequences of steps, branching, and iteration (VCDTCD033)</td>
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<td>The solution to the problem is presented in the form of a visual digital app or video game to a very high standard.</td>
<td>All algorithms are expressed visually and clearly, accompanied by explanations of their functions in plain English. These algorithms include sensible sequences of steps, branching paths and iteration, and correct technical language is used in all cases.</td>
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<td>Evaluation</td>
<td>Explain how student-developed solutions and existing information systems meet current and future community and sustainability needs (VCDTCD034)</td>
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<td>Negotiate criteria for success that include consideration of environmental and social sustainability to evaluate design ideas, processes and solutions (VCDSDD041)</td>
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<td>Critical Decision Making and Action</td>
<td>Explore the significance of ‘means versus ends’ by considering two ways to act when presented with a problem: one that privileges means and one that does not (VCDXCD032)</td>
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<td>Discuss the role and significance of conscience and reasoning in ethical decision-making (VCDXCD033)</td>
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<td>To what extent has the OneNote Design Portfolio been completed by the group or student? How well has the product been communicated through the OneNote Design Portfolio?</td>
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<td>The template wasn’t used at all. Parts of the template were used, using a small range of the application features to communicate the pitch for the prototype. Most of the template was used, using a large number of the application features to communicate the pitch for the prototype. The One Note Design Portfolio was used creatively and all aspects were completed in full to provide an effective and well communicated pitch for the prototype.</td>
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<th>X Factor – Fun?</th>
<th>How appealing is the design, look and feel of the prototype? Is it fun and engaging to play?</th>
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<td>The prototype lacks dynamism. No evidence of unexpected, surprise or fun elements. Work on individual style or core identity required. Includes only non-original, or very basic level original graphics. Chosen graphics do not add to the user experience. The prototype is satisfactory and basically fun. It drives a light desire for replaying or playing further. Further development of the core individual style or core identity recommended. Includes some original graphics. or utilised stock graphics well. The prototype is well developed and fun. Demonstrates a well developed understanding of core play values. Enjoyable game play. Includes well developed original graphics which fit well with the overarching game experience. Comprehensively captures attention and actively engages. The prototype is engaging (fun) and increases in difficulty appropriately, encouraging the players to continue in order to overcome challenges. Highly enjoyable to play. Includes high quality original graphics which heighten the user experience. The graphics demonstrate an enhanced understanding of the role and possibilities of graphics.</td>
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