Independent Activity – 18 (Rapid Fire Numbers!)

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Create a version of the 'RAPID FIRE NUMBERS' game

Activity	Examples
Create your own version of the RAPID FIRE NUMBERS game. Numbers fall from the top of the stage and ask a mathematics question. We have to answer it and avoid numbers from reaching all the way down.	https://scratch.mit.edu/projects/431978474 https://scratch.mit.edu/projects/430164867 https://scratch.mit.edu/projects/430456095/ https://scratch.mit.edu/projects/416873724/ https://scratch.mit.edu/projects/430464223 https://scratch.mit.edu/projects/429690779/
	Class Project: https://scratch.mit.edu/projects/426497975/editor/

Please see SLIDE number 4 for a step-by-step guidance on how you should approach this activity. Be systematic. Be creative. Enjoy the process.

Marking Criteria (Max Marks: 12)

Task	Marks Given
Numbers appear randomly in pairs every few seconds	2
Lists created to store ANSWERS and LEFT/RIGHT/OPERATOR clone IDs	2
An answer box is always ready at the bottom of the stage	2
Providing an answer deletes ALL the clones whose answer matches the correct answer.	2
A few lives provided, and game ends after the lives are exhausted.	2
Bonus: More types of operators, interesting types of questions, interesting movement of the number clones etc.	2
PENALTY: Late Submission (Per Day)	-1
PENALTY: Project not shared on scratch	-1



Step by Step Approach

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Revise the key concepts:

Lists, Cloning, Variables for this sprite only etc (See Class notes)



Step 1

Create all the costumes that you need for this game for the number sprite

Create a Local variable
Clone ID



Create and populate the lists – LEFT, RIGHT, OPERATOR CLONE, ANSWERS.

(Test that the lists a reworking)

Do not go to the next step unless the present step is clear. At every step, ask yourself, what can I do differently?



Step 5

Add code for the ending conditions and score.



Step 4

Code the 'WHEN I START AS A CLONE'.

Ensure the clone deletion condition is coded correctly



Step 3

Code the conditions for what happens when an answer is provided.

(Selection from the Answers, deletion, etc)



Common Problems

Problem	Remedy
Game slows down as it progresses	Are the lists getting 'updated' – make sure that only the ACTIVE clones are in the list.



Enjoy!

* Remember to submit your project in time!

