

# Qiskit Computational Literacy Unit: The Quantum Vault

Target Grade Level: Grade 6 Unit Designer: Noor Qiskit Project: Quantum Curriculum for All

## Part 1: Unit Plan and Pedagogical Framework

### 1. Unit Goal and Learning Objectives

**Unit Goal:** Students will develop a foundational understanding of the quantum model by recognizing its necessity in solving the **profound defects** of classical physics and will apply this understanding to conceptual quantum programming.

Focus Area	Objective (The student will be able to...)	Bloom's Level
Science/Literacy	<b>Define</b> and <b>Compare</b> the Classical (Bohr) and Quantum (Wave) atomic models.	Analyzing, Understanding
Mathematics	<b>Apply</b> the 100% probability rule ( $\alpha\% + \beta\% = 100\%$ ) to solve basic algebraic equations.	Applying
Computational	<b>Sequence</b> conceptual quantum commands (Hadamard Gate, Measurement) to design a simple Quantum Circuit.	Creating

### 2. Methodology: Lesson Flow & Conceptual Change (Class Teacher)

The following sequence utilizes the **Kinesthetic Starter** to establish a foundation for the entire unit.

Time	Phase	Action / Teacher Script Focus	VAK Focus
5 min	The Quantum Bubble Hook	<b>Action:</b> Students observe bubbles. <b>Script:</b> "The electron <b>IS</b> a <b>Quantum Energy Wave</b> . This bubble models its <b>fuzziness</b> and <b>non-locality</b> ."	Kinesthetic, Visual

10 min	Conceptual Conflict	<b>Action:</b> Teacher presents the flawed <b>Bohr/Solar System Model</b> . <b>Script:</b> Acknowledge student challenge and confirm the <b>"Profound Defect"</b> (the crash problem). Introduce the Quantum Wave as the <b>stable solution</b> .	Auditory, Analytical
5 min	Measurement Link	<b>Action: (Recommended)</b> Teacher intentionally pops a bubble. <b>Script:</b> "The only time the stable wave collapses is when we intentionally use the <b>Measurement Command</b> to force it into a definite answer."	Kinesthetic, Auditory

## Part 2: Subject-Specific Worksheets (Student Assignments)

These assignments are to be handed out to and graded by the corresponding subject teacher.

Subject	Assignment Title	Core Skill Assessed
Science	<b>Worksheet: Comparing the Atomic Models</b>	Categorizing concepts (Particle vs. Wave) using a <b>Venn Diagram</b> (Conceptual Analysis).
English/Literacy	<b>Worksheet: The Quantum Vault Narrative</b>	Reading comprehension, inferential reasoning, and vocabulary acquisition from the passage.
Mathematics	<b>Worksheet: Algebra and Probability</b>	Solving linear equations for an unknown variable X, tied to the $\alpha\% + \beta\% = 100\%$ probability rule.
Computer Science	<b>Worksheet: Qiskit Computational Logic</b>	Understanding Qubit states, sequencing the <b>Hadamard</b> and <b>Measurement</b> Gates, and predicting binary outcomes (Computational Thinking).

## Part 3: Research and Extension Component

These topics are for student inquiry or mentor/teacher background knowledge.

Topic	Key Concept	Relevance to Unit
<b>Magnitude</b>	The measure of size or quantity (the absolute value).	The percentage chance ( $\alpha\%/\beta\%$ ) represents the <b>magnitude</b> of probability for a given outcome.
<b>Greek Notation</b>	The use of Greek letters in science and math.	The symbols $\alpha$ and $\beta$ (Alpha and Beta) are used to represent the two possible <b>magnitudes</b> of the Qubit's state.