#### **Problem Definition 1.1**

My app, 'Custom Quizzer' solves the issue of paywalls and in app purchases in self-customisable quizzes for Saint Augustine's students. Apps with such paywalls and in app purchases include Kahoot, Quizlet and Blooket. My app aims to help students from Saint Augustine's test their knowledge and education. The app will function as a self-customisable quiz where users can either test themselves or others by making their own quiz or using the example quizzes provided. The quiz will check all answers given from the user and compile their score and provide feedback on their understanding and progress of the topic. My app utilises Excel spreadsheets to compile questions in the quiz, so the user of the app must have at minimum, a limited knowledge within Excel spreadsheets in order to create their own quizzes. The primary issue that is to be tackled with my app is that it allows Saint Augustine's students to compile their own quizzes with their own topics that they want to be tested on without facing paywalls, in app purchases and advertisements.

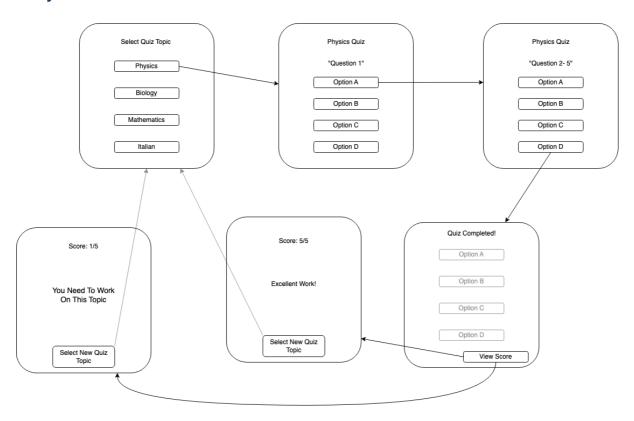
## Legal and ethical considerations 1.2

My app, 'Custom Quizzer' does not require any personal information as there is no log in or registering features, therefore it doesn't breach any of the user's data and privacy. The software is somewhat accessible as it functions as a knowledge quiz on certain areas the user is studying or trying to extend their knowledge on. However, the user must be able to operate Excel spreadsheets in order to compile their own sets of quiz questions, options and answers, this limitation of my software should be minimal as the extent of usage on Excel spreadsheets is limited and only requires a basic knowledge of Excel for the user to type their quizzes into the file. 'Custom Quizzer' is similar to other online quiz applications and webpages that allow you create and test yourself on your own topics. This could result in some issues regarding intellectual property. However, as the concept of an online customisable quiz is very common it cannot be claimed as intellectual property of one person, therefore 'Custom Quizzer' is not an infringement of any intellectual property.

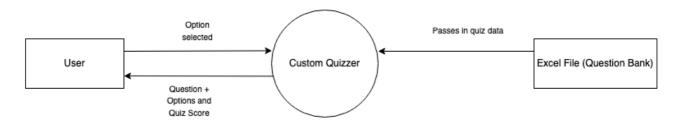
#### Functional and non-functional requirements 1.3

| Functional:                                   | Non-functional:                               |
|---|---|
| The quiz will not have any paywalls or in app | App will have simple multiple-choice quiz not |
| purchases                                     | requiring a tutorial                          |
| Users must make custom questions through      | The app will compile questions inputted by    |
| an Excel file                                 | user from an Excel csv file                   |
| App will allow user to select topic of quiz   | A choice of 4 subjects the user can choose to |
|   | be quizzed on                                 |
| The app will give user feedback on how they   | Once completed, the quiz will provide the     |
| performed on the quiz                         | user with a score out of 5                    |
| User should be notified once quiz is          | The quiz will print 'Quiz completed' and      |
| completed                                     | prompt the user to view their score on the    |
|   | quiz  |

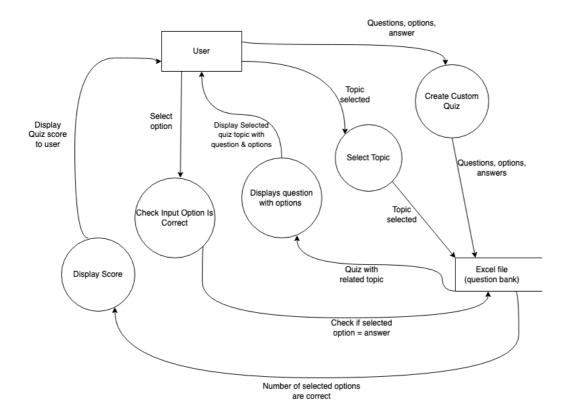
## **Story Board 2.1**



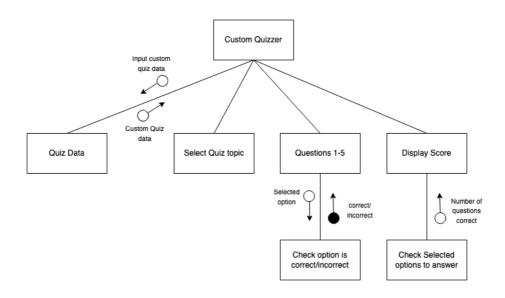
## **Context Diagram 2.2**



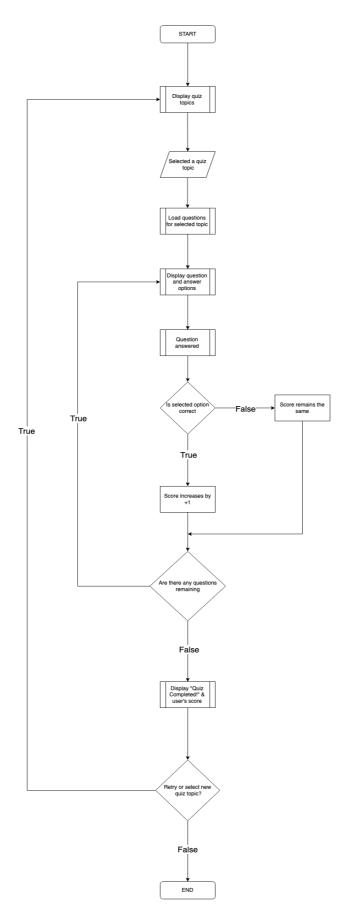
## **Data Flow Diagram 2.3**



#### **Structure Chart 2.4**



## Algorithms 2.5



#### Algorithmic description examples:

#### check\_answer function:

- Receive Input: User selects an option to answer quiz question
- Check Input: User input is checked against correct answer
- Validate Input: If selected option = correct increase score by +1, if not score remain the same

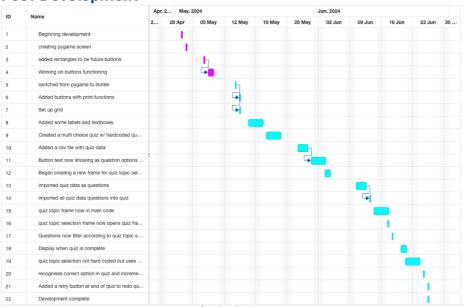
#### option buttons function:

- Display buttons: subject selection buttons are displayed within the frame
- Receive Input: User selects a subject selection button
- The selected button then opens quiz frame with related questions

# **Gantt Charts 2.6 Pre-Development**

| ID | Name  | Apr, 20 May, 2024 |        |        |        |        |        | Jun, 2024 |        |        |        |   |
|----|---|-------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-----------|--------|--------|--------|---|
|    | Name  |                   | 28 Apr | 05 May | 12 May | 19 May | 26 May | 02 Jun    | 09 Jun | 16 Jun | 23 Jun | 3 |
| 1  | Begin Development                               |                   | 1      |        |        |        |        |           |        |        |        |   |
| 2  | Add screen with buttons and labels              |                   |        | 1      |        |        |        |           |        |        |        |   |
| 3  | Begin creation of multi choice quiz             |                   |        |        |        |        |        |           |        |        |        |   |
| 4  | Create an Excel file with all quiz data         |                   |        |        | I      |        |        |           |        |        |        |   |
| 5  | Finish adding quiz data to excel file           |                   |        |        |        |        |        |           |        |        |        |   |
| 6  | create a screen which allows user to select q   | •                 |        |        |        |        |        |           |        |        |        |   |
| 7  | Import all of the quiz data into the main pytho |                   |        |        |        |        |        |           |        |        |        |   |
| 8  | Questions and options use quiz data             |                   |        |        |        |        |        |           |        |        |        |   |
| 9  | Filter the questions down to each subject       |                   |        |        |        |        |        |           |        |        |        |   |
| 10 | Shows when quiz is complete and the users s     |                   |        |        |        |        |        |           |        |        |        |   |
| 11 | Create a redo button to do quiz again           |                   |        |        |        |        |        |           |        |        |        |   |
| 12 | Development complete                            |                   |        |        |        |        |        |           |        |        | 1      |   |

#### **Post-Development**



(Please refer to documentation folder in GitHub repo to access Gantt chart files and open in onlinegantt.com to view further)

#### Reflection:

In the development of my project, I faced many issues throughout, right from the start I encountered import errors with pygame, after this I was struggling with development in pygame and made the switch to tkinter. Many other issues occurred resulting in stunts in development progression, this ultimately led to a large part of the development being done within the last 2 weeks of the due date. However, I was able to finish development of my project although the cramming of development towards the end may have affected the overall limitations of the code.

#### **Development Log 3.1**

## Log entry 1 2/5/24 Week 1

#### Update:

I began to develop my major work with the idea of creating a quiz app that users can input their own questions to test themselves on. I began developing my code through Pygame and I had created a frame which was viewable on screen.

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Multi choice pygame interface.py ×

Multi choice pygame interface.py > ...

import pygame

pygame.init()

screen_width = 800

screen_height = 800

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run = True

while run == True:

for event in pygame.event.get():
    if event.type == pygame.quit:
        run = False

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This is a screenshot of how my code is currently going. The dimensions of the frame have been established along with the app being able to close.

Problems & solutions

When I began developing through Pygame I ran into some issues with importing Pygame and had to uninstall VisualStudioCode and reinstall to fix the issue.

## Log entry 2 13/5/24 Week 3

#### Update:

I have begun to add buttons into the frame which will become the buttons the user will press to select an option within their quiz. Although there have been some difficulties with Pygame the buttons are now successfully appearing on the screen and I have been changing colours, size and placement of rectangle buttons within the frame.

this is the current state of my code, showing the two different rectangles being displayed on the frame, along with the colours and the title of the frame.

Problems & solutions

Right now, my issues with adding rectangles to later become buttons is that they are only rectangles and do not function as buttons yet, I am working towards a solution to this and making them function as buttons when pressed.

## Log entry 3 14/5/24 Week 3

#### Update:

I have decided to switch from Pygame to tkinter as I am struggling with pygame to creating the quiz frame. Iggy has helped me switching over and progress seems to be moving a lot smoother as I have now created a frame, set up a grid and changed the appearance and colour of the frame.

Screenshot of code showing the progress I have started in tkinter.

## Problems & solutions:

Now that I have switched over to tkinter it will take some time to learn and figure it out, but I can learn it through help from others and Customtkinter widgets.

## Log entry 4 30/5/24 Week 5

## Update:

I have added a question bank in an Excel file which the user will access to and will be able to enter their own questions into. There are currently some example questions in there. I have also used pandas to bring the questions into the main python file, the main python file now functions as a simple multiple-choice quiz with hard coded questions.

|     | A           | В  | C             | D                          | E             | F                   | G      |
|-----|-------------|--|---------------|----------------------------|---------------|---------------------|--------|
| 1 [ | subject     | question   | option_a      | option_b                   | option_c      | option_d            | answer |
| 2   | Biology     | What is the powerhouse of the cell?                                  | mitochondria  | nucleus                    | cell wall     | cytoplasm           | a      |
| 3   | Biology     | Which organelle is responsible for energy production in the cell?    | nucleus       | ribosome                   | mitochondrion | golgi apparitus     | С      |
| 4   | Biology     | What is the process by which a DNA sequence is copied into mRNA?     | translation   | replication                | transcription | transformation      | С      |
| 5   | Biology     | Who is known as the father of evolution?                             | Gregor Mendel | Charles Darwin             | Louis Paster  | Carl Lnneaus        | b      |
| 6   | Biology     | What are the building blocks of proteins?                            | nucleotides   | monosaccharides            | fatty acids   | amino acids         | d      |
| 7   | Physics     | What is the unit of force in the International System of Units (SI)? | Pascal        | Newton                     | Joule         | Watt                | b      |
| В   | Physics     | What is the SI unit of electric current?                             | Volt          | Coulomb                    | Ampere        | Ohm                 | С      |
| 9   | Physics     | Who developed the theory of relativity?                              | Issac Newton  | Albert Einstien Niels Bohr |               | James Clerk Maxwell | b      |
| 0   | Italian     | What is the Italian word for 'book'?                                 | Penna         | Tavolo                     | Libro         | Sedia               | С      |
| 1   | Italian     | How do you say "How are you?" in Italian?                            | Come stai?    | Che ore sono?              | Dove vai?     | Cosafai?            | a      |
| 2   | Italian     | What is the Italian word for "red"?                                  | Blu           | Verde                      | Giallo        | Rosso               | d      |
| 3   | Physics     | What is the acceleration due to gravity on Earth's surface?          | 8.9m/s/s      | 9.8m/s/s                   | 10.2m/s/s     | 11.1m/s/s           | b      |
| 4   | Physics     | What particle is emitted during beta decay?                          | Proton        | Neutron                    | Electron      | Photon              | С      |
| 5   | Italian     | How do you say the number "fifteen" in Italian?                      | quattordici   | tre                        | quindici      | nova                | С      |
| 6   | Italian     | Which of the following is the Italian word for "Wednesday"?          | Mercoledi     | Lunedi                     | Giovedi       | Martedi             | a      |
| 7   | Mathematics | What is the sum of the interior angles of a triangle?                | 90 Degrees    | 180 Degrees                | 270 Degrees   | 360 Degrees         | b      |
| 8   | Mathematics | What is the derivative of f(x) = x^2?                                | 1/2x          | 2x                         | x             | 1x                  | b      |
| 9   | Mathematics | What is 25% of 200?  | 100           | 40                         | 50            | 25                  | c      |
| 0.9 | Mathematics | What is the value of sin(90)?  | -1            | 0                          | -2            | 1                   | d      |
| 1   | Mathematics | What is the next number in the sequence: 2, 4, 8, 16, ?              | 20            | 24                         | 64            | 32                  | d      |

This screenshot shows the question bank with example questions in it with the necessary subject filters, options and answers to the questions.

This screenshot shows the pandas import which pulls the questions from the Excel file and brings them into the main python quiz file.

This screenshot is of the main python quiz file and how it is functioning as a simple multiple-choice quiz

## Problems & solutions:

The questions in the quiz are hard coded and need to be taken from the excel bank of questions for it to function as a custom quiz. Also, a subject choice frame needs to be added so the user can choose the topic of questions they will be asked.

## Log entry 5 13/6/24 Week 7

## Update:

Now working on adding a subject choice frame which allows the user to select what topic of questions they want to be tested on

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#### Problems & solutions:

The code does acknowledge when an option has been selected but there is no function that runs when this happens. When an option is selected it should open a new frame with the appropriate questions.

## Log entry 6 15/6/24 Week 7

## Update:

Code now will open a new frame when an option of quiz topic has been selected, the new frame will have all the quiz questions from the question bank.

#### Problems & solutions:

The questions that have been brought into the quiz as quiz data are unfiltered and when the quiz frame is opened by topic selection all questions are displayed one after the other, irrespective of the topic selection. The questions need to be filtered by each subject.

#### Log entry 7 18/6/24 Week 8

## Update:

My app now acknowledges when the user has finished their questions and displays a message and their score on the quiz. When the user selects a certain topic, the questions will now filter and only show the questions under that topic.

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## Problems & solutions:

The select topic options are still hard coded and need to be able to change depending on what the user inputs into the subject column. A function will need to collate the subjects and compile them into the buttons to achieve this.

## Log entry 8 24/6/24 Week 9

### Update:

The select topic buttons now use the quiz data and are no longer hard coded to those 4 options, so the select topic buttons will now change when different subjects are added into the quiz data Excel file.

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Problems & solutions:

The app does recognise when a selected option within the quiz is correct, but it doesn't add to the user's score at the end. Still working out solutions for this.

## Log entry 9 27/6/24 Week 9

## Update:

All code has now been completed, everything is completed, and I have added a retry button at the end of the quiz which allows the user to retake the quiz or take a different quiz. All code has been commented, explaining each line.

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#### Problems & solutions:

All problems have been resolved as the code has been completed.

## **Test Table 4.1**

| Test<br>ID | Category          | Test Case<br>Description                                 | Input to<br>Provide   | Expected<br>Output   | Actual Output  | Pass/Fail | Action<br>Taken  |
|------------|-------------------|--|---|--|--|-----------|--|
| Test<br>1  | Path<br>Coverage  | Verify<br>initialization<br>of the main<br>window        | Run the application   | Main window opens with default settings                                      | Main window opens with default settings                                      | Pass      | N/A  |
| Test<br>2  | Path<br>Coverage  | Verify<br>loading of<br>quiz topics                      | Run the application and check for topic buttons             | Buttons for<br>Physics,<br>Biology,<br>Mathematics,<br>and Italian<br>appear | Buttons for<br>Physics,<br>Biology,<br>Mathematics,<br>and Italian<br>appear | Pass      | N/A  |
| Test<br>3  | Path<br>Coverage  | Verify<br>selection of<br>quiz topic                     | Click on a<br>quiz topic<br>(e.g.,<br>Physics)              | Opens the quiz<br>frame with the<br>title "Physics<br>Quiz"                  | Opens the quiz<br>frame with the<br>title "Physics<br>Quiz"                  | Pass      | N/A  |
| Test<br>4  | Boundary<br>Value | Check<br>behaviour<br>with no<br>questions in<br>a topic | Select a<br>subject<br>without any<br>questions<br>assigned | Should display<br>a message<br>"no questions<br>available"                   | No message is<br>displayed   | Fail      | Check for<br>empty<br>question<br>lists and<br>display<br>messages |
| Test<br>5  | Boundary<br>Value | Verify<br>behaviour<br>at the end<br>of the quiz         | Finish the quiz   | Displays 'Quiz<br>completed!'<br>Your score:                                 | Displays 'Quiz<br>completed!'<br>Your score:                                 | Pass      | N/A  |
| Test<br>6  | Faulty<br>data    | Input a non-<br>integer as<br>option index               | Modify quiz<br>data to<br>include                           | Should handle<br>or reject<br>invalid data                                   | Handles or rejects invalid data  | Pass      | N/A  |

|            |                       |  | non-integer<br>correct<br>option<br>index                                   |   |   |      |  |
|------------|-----------------------|--|---|---|---|------|--|
| Test<br>7  | Path<br>coverage      | Verify score increment on correct answer       | Answer a question correctly   | Increments score by 1   | Increments score by 1   | Pass | N/A  |
| Test<br>8  | Path<br>coverage      | Verify no score increment on wrong answer      | Answer a question incorrectly   | Score stays<br>the same   | Score stays<br>the same   | Pass | N/A  |
| Test<br>9  | Exception<br>handling | Verify<br>handling of<br>index out<br>of range | Change<br>current_<br>question_<br>index to an<br>out-of-<br>range value    | Should be<br>able to handle<br>out of range<br>value              | Crashes or is<br>unable to<br>handle out of<br>range value                | Fail | Check for<br>current<br>question<br>index              |
| Test<br>10 | Faulty<br>data        | Verify<br>handling of<br>invalid quiz<br>data  | Provide quiz<br>data with<br>missing<br>'subject' or<br>'question'<br>areas | Should be<br>able to handle<br>invalid or<br>missing quiz<br>data | Unable to load<br>questions or<br>missing quiz<br>data will<br>impact app | Fail | Check invalid or missing quiz data will not effect app |

#### **GitHub Repository 5.1**

**My GitHub repository link:** https://github.com/Matt-H139/Software-major-work.git README file is on my repository

#### **Project Reflection 6.1**

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The development of my app took time to see progress as I faced some issues as initially, I had switched from pygame to tkinter due to struggles in developing through pygame. Once I had switched development began to move smoother as I created a simple multiple-choice quiz and

expanded upon that eventually utilising the csv file I had created with all the quiz data in there. This allowed for the quiz to be totally customisable, although there were still some issues regarding the program to recognise when a correct answer had been selected as answers in the csv file were stored as strings and the program was trying to use integers. Eventually with some help from peers I was able to overcome this issue.

I think there were areas for improvement within the development in my project as to begin with my abilities of coding were quite limited and they developed alongside my project. I think this could be improved in the future by just becoming more familiar with coding in python meaning by coding in python more frequently I could develop this knowledge and skill. In my code I think that the UI is slightly lacking as it is quite simple and doesn't feature any images and widgets other than buttons and labels. I think the way to improve this is again just to familiarise myself with coding in python and doing it more frequently.

In conclusion, the development of my app has shown me many things from how I overcame issues in developing to the areas that I need to work on and improve in the future. The main areas from my project are that I have gained a greater understanding of python just through developing my app. Additionally I think there are many things I can learn and acknowledge from the development of my project, including: knowledge gaps in tkinter and coding in python and designing a better UI by utilising more widgets.