

Task2 Summary

Functions:

```
1 # function = a block of reusable code
2 #           place () after the function name to invoke it
3
4 #to define a function\
5
6 def function_name(parameter): #parameter are variables used
7     #
8     # some code
9     #
10    return some_data #statement used to end a function
11                      #and send a result back to the caller
12
13 #to invoke a function :
14    function_name(arguments)
15 #arguments can be 1. positional, 2. default, 3. keyword, 4.Arbitrary
16
```

Data structure:

general methods:

```
1 dir() #to find all available methods and attributes
2 help() #get description of all methods and attributes
3 len() #to find length of a collection
4 "element" in collection #in operator used to find value within a collection returns Boolean
5 #All collections are iterable
6
```

- **Lists:** Uses [] they are ordered and changeable, can have duplicates

```
1 collection = ["1", "2", "3"]
2
3 # Set:
4     collection[index] = "element"
5 # Add:
6     # at the end:
7     collection.append("element")
8     # At given index:
9     collection.insert(index, "element")
10 # Delete:
11     collection.remove("element")
12 # Sort:
13     collection.sort() in alphabetical order
14 # Reverse:
15     collection.reverse()
16 # Clear:
17     collection.clear()
18 # Get index:
19     collection.index("element") cant be used for sets
20 # Count:
21     collection.count("element")
22
```

To create 2d list: add one dimensional lists to a 2d list as elements

```
1 twod_collection = [oned_collection_1, oned_collection_2, oned_collection_3]
2
3 #To access 2d collections:
4     twod_collection[row][column]
5
```

- **Dictionary:** a collection of {key:value} pairs, they are ordered and changeable, cant have duplicates

```
1 dictionary.get("key") #To get value of key
2 dictionary.update({"key":"value"}) #To add/update
3 dictionary.pop("key") #To remove a specific key-value pair
4 dictionary.popitem() #To remove latest key value pair
5 dictionary.keys() #To get keys
6 dictionary.values() #To get values
7 dictionary.items() #To get dictionary object
8
```

- **Tuple:** () they are ordered and unchangeable, can have duplicates, Faster than lists
- **Sets:** { } they are unordered and immutable, but can add/remove elements.can't have duplicates

```
1 collection.pop() #removes a random element
2
```

Error handling:

```
1 #events detected during executino that interrupt the flow of a program
2
3 #a widely used method is try-catch block
4
5 try:
6     #
7     # some code
8     #
9 except Exception_name as e: #catches error
10     print(e) #display error discription
11     print("Something went wrong")
12 else:
13     # some code will execute if there is no errors
14 finally:
15     # whether or not an exception is caught always execute this code
16
```

Files input/output:

- File detection:

```
1 import os # provides functions for interacting with the operating system
2
3 # file detection
4 path = "C:\\Users\\John\\Desktop\\example.txt" #string with file path
5
6 if os.path.exists(path):
7     # checks if location exists
8     print("This location exists")
9     if os.path.isfile(path):
10         #checks if path is file
11         print("this is a file")
12     elif os.path.isdir(path):
13         #checks if path is directory
14         print("This is a directory")
15 else:
16     print("This location doesn't exists")
17
```

- Input:

```
1 # File as Input
2
3 # with open('example.txt') as file:
4 # this is used when file is in the same project holder
5
6 with open('C:\\Users\\John\\Desktop\\example.txt') as file:
7     print(file.read())
8
```

- Output:

```
1 # File as Output
2
3 text = "Some text \n next line "
4
5 with open('example.txt', 'w') as file: # this overwrites the file
6     file.wirte(text)
7
8 #-----
9
10 with open('example.txt', 'a') as file: # this appends to file
11     file.wirte(text)
12
```

Random numbers:

using random module to generate random instances

```
1 import random
2
3 random.randint(1,6) #return a random number in a range
4
5 random.random() #return a random floating point number between 0 and 1
6
7 random.choice(collection) #returns a random element from a collection
8
9 random.shuffle(collection) #returns a random sequence of the collection
10
```