

MULTIMEDIA TECHNOLOGY COURSE

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Laboratory work: #1

Handed out: 10.02.2023

Due: 23.02.2023

TASK 1 | *Install Inky on your device*

Objective: To become familiar with the Inky software and install it on your device.

Guidelines: Go to the Inky page (<https://github.com/inkle/inky/releases/tag/0.14.1>) and install it on your computer by choosing the appropriate operating system and downloading version 0.14.1. After the installation is complete, launch Inky on your device.

NOTE: If you encounter any issues during the installation process, consult the Inky support page for assistance or write an e-mail and describe in-depth your problem to marina.petici@ati.utm.md.

TASK 2 | *Write an interactive story with Inky*

Objective: To create an interactive story using the Inky platform that engages the reader and allows them to make choices that shape the story's outcome.

Guidelines:

1. Choose a theme or genre for your story (e.g. fantasy, mystery, romance, etc.)
2. Develop a story premise and create a story outline that includes multiple paths and branches
3. Write dialogue and descriptions that bring your story to life
4. Use the Inky platform to design and format your story, following the guidelines provided in the official Inky documentation provided by ink at: <https://github.com/inkle/ink/blob/master/Documentation/WritingWithInk.md>
5. Test and refine your story, making sure that it is well-written, engaging, and that all interactive elements are functioning as intended

GRADE	SPECIFICATIONS // TASKS	
	TECHNICAL	STORY-WISE
10	Feedback for the game on itch.io (if none, they can make it up and additionally present it)	-
9	Usage of at least one state variable (variable indicating the state)	-
8	Usage of sub knots (stitches)	-
7	Usage of a loop	Presence of an archetype.

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6	The usage of at least one variable.	Presence of a conflict in the story.
5	Usage of more than three branches; Usage of if else condition.	Usage of a structure (and mentioning which one was used); Presence of the character's development arc

TASK 3 | Upload your game on <https://itch.io/>

Guidelines:

1. Register on itch.io.
2. Enter the Game Jam: <https://itch.io/jam/328522/preview>
3. Upload your game here (hint: make sure to export your game to web when publishing)
4. Mandatory: send the .ink file of our game to marina.petici@ati.utm.md

RULES | You can work alone, max in two. If you want to work in three, or more we can negotiate an additional task, but please let me know in advance (more people = more tasks).