Program Construction

Programming

Know the Question Know the answer

Program: the bridge between the two

Program Parts

Define Input Process Output

Define

What kind of data is there?
How many variables are needed?
Define the Variables to be used.

Input

What are the inputs to the program?

Understand the data being collected.

Construct the input statements.

Process

What is going to happen to the data?

What variables will be used?

What formulas will be needed?

Process

What calculation are needed?

What decisions are needed?

What loops are needed?

Output

What are the outputs (displayed, etc)?

What variables are needed?

What formatting is needed?

Testing

Sunshine

Any Data

Error Data

Form

On Brightspace

Handout button

Select

Program Analysis sheet

Example

```
Write a program to:
```

Collect name, Amount owed.

Calculate 12 monthly payments

Display:

Name

Amount owed

Monthly payment

Collect name, Amount owed.

```
pymt = 0.0
name =input("Enter customers name: ")
oamt = input('Enter amount owed: ')
```

Calculate 12 monthly payments

```
owed = float(oamt)
pymt = owed /12
```

```
Display:
Name
Amount owed
Monthly payment
```

```
print('Customer Name: ',name)
print('Amount Owed: ', owed)
print('Monthly Payments: ', pymt, ' for 12 months')
```

Put all of it together

The program

```
pymt = 0.0
name =input("Enter customers name: ")
oamt = input('Enter amount owed: ')
owed = float(oamt)
pymt = owed /12
print('\n'*3)
print('\n----\n')
print('Customer Name: ',name)
print('Amount Owed: ', owed)
print('Monthly Payments: ', pymt, ' for 12 months')
print('\n'*5)
```

Change to function - input

```
def getinput(msg):
    data1 = input(msg)
    return data1
```

Function - output

```
def report(name,owed,pymt):
    print('Customer Name: ',name)
    print('Amount Owed: ', owed)
    print('Monthly Payments: ', pymt, ' for 12 months')
    return
```

The program (with functions)

```
def getinput(msg):
                                           def payment():
   data1 = input(msg)
                                             pymt = 0.0
   return data1
                                             name = getinput('enter customer name:
def report(name,owed,pymt):
                                             oamt = getinput('Enter amount owed: ')
  print('\n'*2)
                                             owed = float(oamt)
  print('Customer Name: ',name)
                                             pymt = owed /12
  print('Amount Owed: ', owed)
                                             report(name,oamt,pymt)
  print('Monthly Payments: ', pymt, ' for 12
months')
                                           payment()
  print('\n'*2)
  return
```

Done