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**Program Name: FRONT-END SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT** 

Title: Exe11 - Normal Distribution Exercise

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Introduction: Learning how to apply python methods to solve normal distribution questions

Conclusion: Managed to complete tasks relating to the topic

# **Normal Distribution**

The normal distribution is defined by the following probability density function, where  $\mu$  is the population mean and  $\sigma^2$  is the variance.

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}}e^{-(x-\mu)^2/2\sigma^2}$$

If a random variable X follows the normal distribution, then we write:

$$X \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2)$$

In particular, the normal distribution with  $\mu=0$  and  $\sigma=1$  is called the standard normal distribution , and is denoted as N(0,1). It can be graphed as follows.

The normal distribution is important because of the **Central Limit Theorem**, which states that the population of all possible samples of size n from a population with mean  $\mu$  and variance  $\sigma^2$  approaches a normal distribution with mean  $\mu$  and  $\frac{\sigma^2}{n}$  when n approaches infinity.

Read and understand more about **Central Limit Theorem (CLT)** <u>here (https://statisticsbyjim.com/basics/central-limit-theorem/)</u>

## **Question 1**

Suppose widgit weights produced at MS Widgit Works have weights that are normally distributed with mean 17.46 grams and variance 375.67 grams. What is the probability that a randomly chosen widgit weighs more then 19 grams?

#### In [5]:

```
import math
from scipy.stats import norm
sd = math.sqrt(375.67)
ans = 1 - norm.cdf(19, 17.46, sd)
ans
```

#### Out[5]:

0.46833563578991133

## **Question 2**

Suppose IQ scores are normally distributed with mean 100 and standard deviation 15. What is the 95th percentile of the distribution of IQ scores?

#### In [17]:

```
z = 1.65
ans = 100 + (z)*15
print(ans)

#or
ans2 = norm.ppf(0.95, 100, 15)
print(ans2)
```

124.75 124.67280440427209

## **Question 3**

Suppose wages are normally distributed with a mean of 1900 and a standard deviation of 150.

- 1. What percentage of people have wages less than 1800?
- 2. What percentage of people have wages greater than 2100?
- 3. What percentage of people have wages between 1800 and 2100?
- 4. What wages separate the top 10% from the others?
- 5. What wages separate the lower 25% from the others?

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In [16]:
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```
#1.
ans1 = norm.cdf(1800, 1900, 150)
print(ans1)

#2.
ans2 = 1 - norm.cdf(2100, 1900, 150)
print(ans2)

#3.
ans3 = norm.cdf(2100, 1900, 150) - ans1
print(ans3)

#4.
ans4 = norm.ppf(0.9, 1900, 150)
print(ans4)

#5.
ans5 = norm.ppf(0.25, 1900, 150)
print(ans5)
```

0.2524925375469229 0.09121121972586788 0.6562962427272092 2092.23273483169 1798.8265374705877

## **Question 4**

Based on the Ages of Death during the Spanish Flu, 1918.

Demonstration of the central limit theorem, using the distribution of sample mean age at death in samples from a highly non-normal distribution: the frequency distribution of age at death in Switzerland in 1918 during the Spanish flu epidemic.

#### In [21]:

```
## Question 4
import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
%matplotlib inline

path="http://whitlockschluter.zoology.ubc.ca/wp-content/data/chapter10/chap10e6AgesAtDearflu = pd.read_csv(path)
flu
```

#### Out[21]:

	age
0	0
1	0
2	0
3	0
4	0
75029	98
75030	99
75031	99
75032	99
75033	100

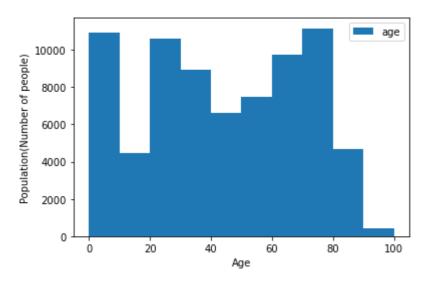
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Histogram showing the frequency distribution of ages at death in Switzerland in 1918 during the Spanish flu epidemic.

### In [3]:

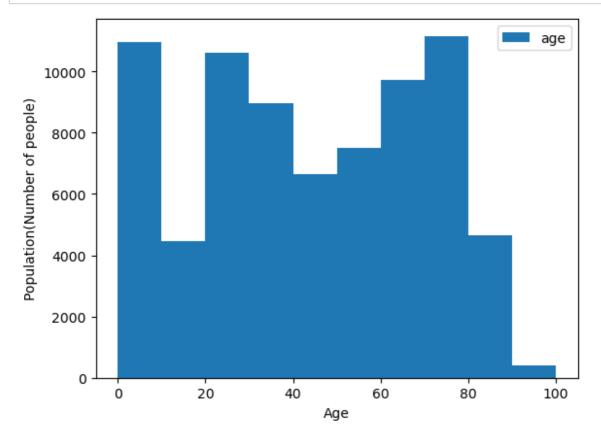
#### Out[3]:

Text(0, 0.5, 'Population(Number of people)')



## In [26]:

```
flu.plot.hist()
plt.ylabel("Population(Number of people)")
plt.xlabel("Age")
plt.show()
```



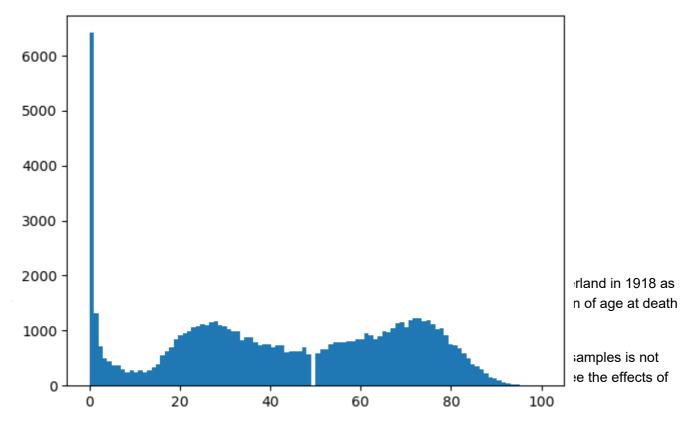
Histogram with better binning (0,102,2) and axis labels

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In [29]:
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plt.hist(flu['age'], bins=102)
```

#### Out[29]:

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        8.490e+02, 8.480e+02, 9.470e+02, 9.090e+02, 8.390e+02, 8.910e+02,
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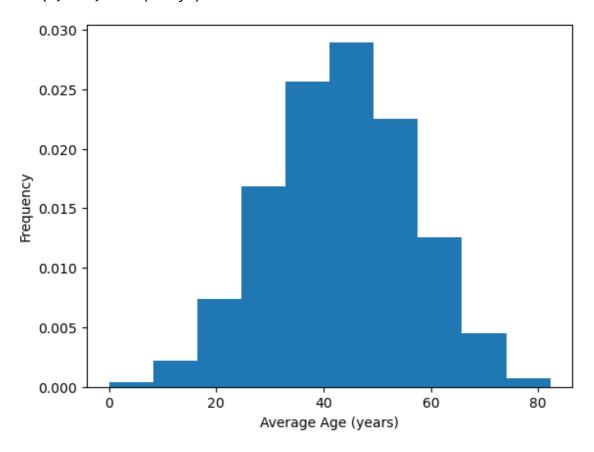
Write a loop to sample 10000 times from 'Age'. Each time, collect 4 samples. Store the average age in a new variable, age1 . Plot the histogram for age1 .

#### In [44]:

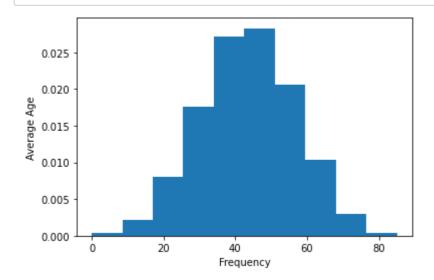
```
# import numpy as np
# samle_means = []
# sample_size = 10
# num_samples = 10000
# for _ in range(num_samples):
#
      sample = flu['age'].sample(n=sample_size)
#
      sample_mean = sample.mean()
#
      sample_means.append(sample_mean)
# plt.hist(sample_means, bins=10)
# plt.xlabel('Frequency')
# plt.ylabel('Average Age')
# plt.show()
import random
random.seed(1234)
age1 = []
for x in range(10000):
    sample_list = flu.sample(n=4)
    age1.append(sample_list['age'].mean())
plt.hist(age1, density = True, bins = 10)
plt.xlabel('Average Age (years)')
plt.ylabel('Frequency')
```

#### Out[44]:

#### Text(0, 0.5, 'Frequency')



#### In [6]:



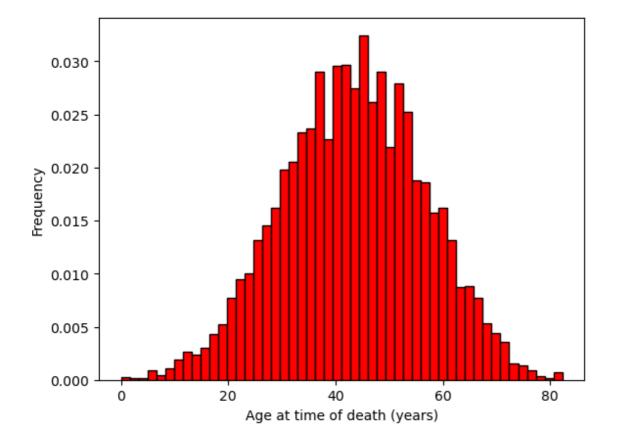
Histogram of the sample means with more options

### In [45]:

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plt.hist(age1, density = True, bins = 50, edgecolor = 'black', color = 'red')
plt.xlabel('Age at time of death (years)')
plt.ylabel('Frequency')
```

#### Out[45]:

Text(0, 0.5, 'Frequency')



# In [7]:

