 

**Advanced Placement Computer Science**

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**Unit 1: Comp Sys - Numeric String Rep Num Sys**

**Lesson: Review Vars, Loops, Arrays, FILLED OUT**

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Lesson: Parameter Passing Mechanisms

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1. **Computer Variables:**  
   As a review: describe what computer variables do during the running of a program  
   variables store the state of the program  
     
   What types are built into java?  
   int, short, byte, long, float, double, boolean, char  
     
   How are phrases represented in java?  
   String  
     
   Declare a String to hold a name. Assign into it the company who runs java.  
     
   String coName = “Oracle”;
2. **Loops** are useful for repeating commands a certain number of times
   1. **Looping a fixed number of times;**Write a loop to print the numbers from 1-1000 on separate lines, after every 12th number, print \*\*\* on a line by themselves  
      for(int i=1; i<=1000; i++){  
       System.out.println(i);  
       //Check for div by 12  
       if(i % 12 == 0)  
       System.out.println(“\*\*\*”);  
      }
   2. **Looping an unknown number of times**  
      We also can loop until something occurs. Write a loop to accept words until someone types in “stop”. Add each word into a sentence. Then print the sentence at the end with a \* between each word.  
      **Example:  
      Type in a word, type stop to quit:** *Hello***Type in a word, type stop to quit:** *I***Type in a word, type stop to quit:** *am***Type in a word, type stop to quit:** *here***Type in a word, type stop to quit:** *stop*Hello\*I\*am\*here\*

String inWord=””, phrase = “”;  
Scanner input = new Scanner(System.in);  
while(true){ //infinite loop…  
 System.out.println(“Please enter in a word, type \”stop\” to quit”);

inWord = input.nextLine(); //includes spaces  
 if(inWord.equals(“stop”)){  
 break;  
 }  
 phrase = phrase + inWord + “\*”;  
}  
System.out.println(phrase);

1. **Arrays:** Arrays allow for the storage of \_\_multiple variables under a single name.  
     
   Examples,  
   int[]schedule = new int[24];   
   //Assign the first element the value 8  
   schedule[22]=schedule[23]=0;  
   for(int i =0; i<6;i++)  
    schedule[i]=0; //I am asleep  
   for(i =6; i<22;i++)  
    schedule[i]=1; //I am awake

What are methods?  
methods are sub programs within programs  
they should have a specific task

methods can have parameters or inputs

methods have a local scope

methods can have 1 return value