

VITAL INFORMATION

Subject(s): Careers, Computer Fundamentals 1-2

Topic or Unit of

Study:

Integrated Unit

Grade/Level: 9-12

Objective: At the conclusion of this lesson students will be able to:

1. Add a LinkLabel to another control.

2. Name the LinkLabel and assign text to it.

3. Write code to handle the mouse click event on the LinkLabel.

Summary: Students add and configure LinkLabels for use in their Computer

Integration project. The labels react to mouse click events, most likely by directing another control to display information associated with a URL related to the link. Links should demonstrate or document student

findings about computer integration. In adding and editing the

controls, students learn how they work.

IMPLEMENTATION

Learning Context:

Students have just completed code for the Schedule tab of their application and are now adding the controls which will allow them to present their Computer Integration findings. Depending on their plans, they may add controls in any order. The LinkLabel is straightforward and likely to be programmed first. A PictureBox or WebBrowser (covered in the Hello World Wide Web activity) is likely to follow.

Procedure:

- 1. The activity is written up in fairly fine detail on a web page which is printed and attached to this lesson plan. It specifies where to find the LinkLabel, how to name it and add text, and how to deal with mouse click events. It does not review the big picture, so the stage should be reset using some of the learning context from the introduction to the integrated unit.
- 2. Ensure that students can find the web page, ask for questions, and have students start.
- 3. Since this is a long, sequential unit, more attention needs to be paid to holding it all together and keeping it synchronized. Visit students early and often to ensure that they are keeping up. It may be a good idea to have students demonstrate their progress beginning five minutes before the bell rings.

Differentiated Instruction:

There is little differentiation in instruction, but an expectation that the products are differentiated because of differing courses, schedules, and

research findings.

Sample Student Products:

The attached printout of a web page shows an example of how the

program might look with one of these controls.

Collaboration: Students will work individually.

Time Allotment: 1 class period. 55 Min. per class.

Author's Comments & Reflections:

Reflections will follow in a diary entry.

MATERIALS AND RESOURCES

Instructional Materials:

The activity page from the class web site is printed and attached. Students will edit their programs both in Design View and Code View.

Attachments

1. LinkLabel

Resources:

Technology resources:
Visual Basic

STANDARDS & ASSESSMENT

Standards:

AZ- Career and Technical Education Programs

- Level: Career Preparation (Grades 10 12)
 - Program: Information Technology CIP No. 15.1200
 - Option : Software Development Option C
 - Competency: *3.0 DEVELOP APPROPRIATE WORK HABITS FOR SUCCESSFUL EMPLOYMENT IN INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
 - Indicator: 3.3 Complete tasks accurately
 - **Indicator**: 3.4 Complete tasks with minimal supervision
 - Competency: 27.C DEMONSTRATE PROGRAM ANALYSIS AND DESIGN
 - Indicator: 27.6c Use stepwise refinement to improve design
 - Competency: 28.C USE SOFTWARE TO CREATE PROGRAMS
 - Indicator: 28.1c Enter and modify code using a program editor
 - Competency: 29.C TEST AND DEBUG TO VERIFY PROGRAM OPERATION
 - Indicator: 29.1c Test individual program modules
 - Competency: 28.C USE SOFTWARE TO CREATE PROGRAMS
 - Indicator: 28.2c Compile and execute programs
 - Indicator: 28.5c Use recognized conventions for naming identifiers and formatting code
 - Competency: 34.C USE SIMPLE DATA TYPES AND STRINGS
 - Indicator: 34.4c Write assignment statements for initializing and modifying

Assessment/Rubrics:

By the end of the class period, students should have added, named, texted, and programmed one or more LinkLabels. Each activity contributes a few criteria to the larger rubric. This activity adds points

for the name, text, and click handler as described by the LinkLabel rubric.

Rubrics

1. LinkLabel