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Unit

WORKSHEET 6B

What Is a Database?

Directions: Complete the following sentences in your own words.

1. A database is a software program that is used to _____

2. Most cell phones include a type of database that stores _____

3. The building blocks of databases are tables. A table is composed of

4. The data type is the kind of information displayed in a field. The four most common data types are

5. A record is all of the information about one person or event, stored in an individual row. A field is

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6. A primary key is _____ 7. A relational database is used to _____ 8. Many companies uses databases to _____ 9. An automated report card database probably contains some of the following fields: _____

10. A database and spreadsheet are similar, but it would be better to use a database when _____