

## Lesson plan for 2<sup>nd</sup> lesson visit

Target: Class 3A / 3B / 3C / 3D

Length: 2 periods (70 mins)

Date:

Venue:

Objective:

1. To explore the graphs of linear equations [ $y = mx + c$ ].
2. To understand the concept of best-fit lines.
3. To create suitable statistics chart and find the slope best-fit lines using Google Sheet.
4. To discover ways to improve the design and data analysis.

Lesson flow:

Time	Content	Teaching aids
15 mins	<p>Exploration:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Explore the graphs of linear equations [<math>y = mx + c</math>] on Desmos.</li> <li>- By changing the unknowns <math>m</math> and <math>c</math>, students observe the effects on the graph.</li> <li>- Conclude that <math>m</math> and <math>c</math> are the slope and vertical intercept respectively.</li> </ul>	<p>MacBook Desmos</p>
10 mins	<p>Demonstration by students:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Create statistics chart and find best-fit line for the data in a certain range using Google Sheet's functions.</li> <li>- Understand that best-fit line may give a better slope and a common skill to describe the relation of quantity or make prediction.</li> </ul>	<p>MacBook Google Sheet</p>
20 mins	<p>Whole Class Discussion: Description about different parts of the graph from teacher's trials</p> <p>Data analysis:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Task 0 : Remove data with mistakes</li> <li>- Task 1 : Plot the broken-line graph</li> <li>- Task 2 : Select a suitable part of the data and plot another graph. Hence, find the slope of the best-fit line.</li> </ul>	<p>Presentation Slide MacBook Google Sheet</p>
10 mins	<p>Presentation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Graphs and results of the data analysis are collected.</li> <li>- Teacher shows curves of all groups' data on the same graph to make comparison. Students write down specific slopes on the board and a comparison can be done among groups.</li> <li>- A few groups are selected to present their design and findings from data analysis.</li> </ul>	<p>MacBook Google Sheet</p>
5 mins	<p>Conclusion:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Slope can be used to describe rate of increase or decrease.</li> <li>- Besides using two points, slope of best-fit line can also be found with the aid of computer software or online apps.</li> </ul>	<p>MacBook Google Sheet</p>
10 mins	<p>Within group Discussion: Conclude whether the shelter can successfully reduce the rate of temperature increase</p>	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Discuss ways of improvement of the designs, data collection and data analysis.</li><li>- Complete the related parts of the log-book</li></ul> <p>Cross-group discussion: (if time is allowed)</p>	
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