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Video/Speaker Observation Form

Video Title/Speaker: Tyler Martinez

Subject summary: He discussed the real world usage of skills gained through the course of Dr. Neat's classes. He showed how he used Microsoft Excel with a couple of simple codes (if-then, toggle switches, plugging equations, base x counting) to project data for the margins of profit/deficit several years in the future.

Coollest thing you learned: The range of usage that Excel has in terms of recording and manipulating data.

What you disliked: There could be a bit more class interaction in the form of having us get onto excel and typing simple versions of what was being shown.

ex: Everyone (including yourself) opens up a new excel file. Then you give us a simple problem, (finding if a certain day has passed or not, etc.) and guide (read as show) us through the process of writing an equation and designating specific rows/columns to be inputs/outputs.