

KIDS & TEENS FREELANCING TRAINING INSTITUTE

Data Science Course Outline

Module 1: Introduction to Data Science

- What is Data Science?
- How Data is All Around Us (Real-life Examples)
- Meet a Data Scientist (Role & Responsibilities)
- Data in Games, Social Media & Apps

Module 2: Understanding Data

- What is Data? (Types: Text, Numbers, Images)
- How to Collect Data (Surveys, Sensors, Web)
- Good vs Bad Data (Clean vs Messy Data)
- Fun Activity: Collect Data from Your Class or Family

Module 3: Organizing & Sorting Data

- Tables, Rows & Columns Intro to Spreadsheets
- How to Use Google Sheets or Excel
- Sorting & Filtering Data
- Mini-Project: Organize Your Favorite Games or Movies

Module 4: Visualizing Data

- What is Data Visualization?
- Types of Charts: Bar, Line, Pie, Scatter
- Tools: Google Sheets / Chart Toolkits
- Activity: Turn Survey Data into Cool Charts

Module 5: Intro to Programming for Data

What is Python? (Basic Explanation)

- Using Python to Read and Analyze Data (Very Basic)
- Activity: Use a Block-Based Tool or Simple Python Code to Play with Numbers

Module 6: Patterns, Predictions & Machine Learning (Intro)

- What is a Pattern? What is a Trend?
- Intro to AI & Machine Learning (Kid-friendly Examples)
- Real-Life Applications (Netflix, YouTube, Games)
- Fun Activity: Predict What Happens Next with Data!

Module 7: Data & Ethics

- How Companies Use Your Data
- Why Privacy Matters
- Being a Responsible Data User
- Activity: Discuss "What Would You Do?" Scenarios

Module 8: Final Project

- Choose a Topic (Sports, Games, Food, etc.)
- Collect, Organize & Visualize Your Own Data
- Present Your Mini Data Science Project

Bonus: Tools & Platforms for Kids

- Google Sheets
- Scratch + Data Extensions
- Data Games & Simulations
- (Optional) Python Notebooks for Beginners