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Topic Title: Logic and Languages	
Keyword	Definition
Boolean Functions	AND, OR and NOT are Boolean
	operators
	A computer can calculate the
	results of A AND B,
	A OR B, or NOT A
Truth Tables	A truth table shows the output
	from all possible combinations of
	inputs from a Boolean expression
Logic Gates	A logic gate is a device that acts as
	a building block for digital circuits.
	They perform basic logical
	functions that are fundamental to
	digital circuits.
Logic Diagrams	Diagrams to represent digital
	circuits and logic gates.
Truth Table	It shows all possible combinations
	of inputs and
	the outputs they create.
Input validation	Checking input meets certain
	rules, e.g. the type of data
Anticipating misuse	Preventing too many entries of a
	password to make it harder for
	hackers to guess
Authentication	Entering data twice or checking
	from an alternative source
Syntax errors	A syntax error is one where the
	code written doesn't conform to
	the rules of the language

Logic Error	The program will run, but it won't work as the programmer intended
Machine Code	Instructions that computers can understand e.g. binary
Assembly language	Allows a programmer to create programs more easily that writing in machine code
High level languages	High-level languages – programming language such as Python that generally have statements that look a bit like English or Maths.