



## Year 2 Questioning

### Key Learning

- To understand how data can be used to help answer a question.
- To ask an appropriate question, gather data using a tally chart and present it using digital tools.
- To begin to explore how yes or no questions can be used to sort data.
- To understand how branching databases work and practise navigating them to find answers.

### Key Images

Question	Yes	No
Is this a cat?	1	
Does it purr?	12	
Does it meow?	5	
Is it a dog?		1

Tally Chart



Pictogram



Yes or No Questions



Branching Database

### Key Vocabulary

#### Branching Database

A type of database that uses yes or no questions to help sort and identify objects.

#### Pictogram

A diagram that uses pictures to represent data.

#### Closed Question

A question that offers a set of answers or options for a person to choose from.

#### Sorting

The process or operation of ordering items and data in a certain way.

#### Data

A collection of information, used to help answer questions.

#### Tally Chart

A table used to record and count data using tally marks.

#### Open Question

A question that can't be answered with yes or no and requires extra detail.

#### Yes or No Question

A type of closed question that is answered using the words 'Yes' or 'No'.

### Key Questions

**Why does a question need to be asked to gather data?**  
Asking a question allows a person to collect meaningful data instead of random facts and figures.

**How is asking yes or no questions different to asking a regular question?**  
A yes or no question is a closed question. It only gives two possible answers.

**Why are yes or no questions useful?**  
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