

Task 1 — Your data

Data about you is stored on many different computer systems.

In pairs, using the Internet, try and find as many examples as you can of the information that is stored on your partner and complete the table below showing what information about your partner is stored, and why you think that data is needed.

For example, your name will be stored by social media this will enable them to link you with anyone who is looking for you.

Data	Why is it needed?
Email Address	Account verification
Biometric identification	Login details and keep the account safe
Public Records	This could be used to check the medical records of the required person
Website Cookies	These can be used to show relevant products to the user
Location	This can be used by maps applications like apple maps or google maps for an easier experience when finding the destination.
Username & passwords	These can be held to login to websites at a faster speed and make sure that only the user has access to the account.
Transaction history	This could be held in a banking app making it easier for the user to track their daily spending instead of going to a bank branch.

