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PHDR, Charity fundraising website

An organisation, PHDR, has a website. The website raises money for different charities in a coordinated approach.

The website raises money for a range of humanitarian causes across the world. Causes that money has been raised for include hunger, drought and natural disasters such as earthquakes and tsunamis.

Each charity involved with PHDR has a different specialism in humanitarian causes, such as search and rescue following a natural disaster.

The money donated goes into a central fund. When a disaster occurs, the money is distributed to the charities whose specialisms are most needed. Donations can be used by charities to buy vital resources for use after a humanitarian disaster.

People can choose to give a one-off donation or through a monthly subscription. When people donate, they need to provide their name, and email address. For each donation people can choose to use the Gift Aid facility. This enables PHDR to claim back 20% of the donation from the UK Government. To allow PHDR to access Gift Aid a box is ticked on the donation page.

If people are giving a one-off donation, then debit or credit card details are needed. If people choose to give a monthly subscription, then bank account details need to be input. Payment details are submitted through a link to a secure webpage on the website.

Details of donations are stored in a database. Information stored included the name and contact details of donors, if Gift Aid is used and whether the donation is a one-off or monthly donation. The amount of money and the Gift Aid claimed is also stored. An excerpt from the donations data base is shown in **Figure 1**.

Figure 1

ID	Given Name	Family Name	Email Address	Donation	Monthly Subscription	Gift Aid	Gift Aid Amount	Total Donation
10	Alex	James	AJ78@hotmail.co.uk	£50.00	☐	☒	£10.00	£60.00
11	Li	Riley	Li@Riley.uk.co.uk	£35.00	☐	☐	£0.00	£35.00
12	Beth	Taylor	BTay@GG.co.uk	£10.00	☒	☒	£2.00	£12.00
13	Kai	Jamal	Kjam@12UK.com	£100.00	☐	☒	£20.00	£120.00

The website includes blogs. The blogs provide information about humanitarian work that has been carried out by each of the charities. It also provides information about how the donations have been used, for example, a donation of £30 has provided blankets for 6 people or £100 provided portable emergency shelters for 5 families.

Some of the blogs have been written by the charity workers in countries where the money has been spent. These blogs can include images taken by the charity workers and the people they are helping.

PHDR has recently introduced podcasts on the website to demonstrate how each charity is helping in countries. Many of these podcasts include video clips submitted by in country charity workers. Charity workers can use a tablet to record and send these videos. The podcast commentary is in the English language, but subtitles are available for a range of different languages. An online translating service translates the commentary into different languages.

Pre-release Research Brief

To prepare for the exam, you should research the following themes:

- The types of information formats, including the advantages and disadvantages, used by PHDR.
- The information styles, sources and data types used by PHDR.
- How the principles of information security, including the risks and impacts, and legislation, including the actions and consequences, should be considered by PHDR.
- The categories of information used by PHDR.
- The types of information access and storage devices, including the characteristics, purposes, advantages and disadvantages, used by PHDR.

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