


Handout - Observation

W₁ → } females
W₂ }

M₁ } males
M₂ }
M₃ }

 Computa.

Setting

There are around 5 people listening to the presentation. (2 others sitting at the end of the lab - not listening, think they have come with the 5 teachers)

There are not enough computers for each person hence 2 people are sharing on computer.

When I entered the room, Adam had just finished with Audit and is starting on the U-check. W₁ asks 'why'

At one point and Adam explains it. W₂ is looking bored. She is working on the case only when Adam looks at the screen, otherwise she looks impatient and doesn't seem to be paying

Attention.

W₁ has dozed off after closing her eyes. She opens her eyes for a second & again goes back to sleeping.

M_1 & M_2 are ~~both~~ listening very intently. M_1 keeps nodding at what Adam says & he looks like he is following the presentation. M_2 also is working and listening to the presentation.

M_3 → does not have a computer so he starts at the ~~screen~~ presentation slides and looks like he is following it.

M_1 & M_2 keep muttering 'mmm' 'yeah' and to seem like they are getting what Adam says. W_2 totally stops working. [my thoughts: think people are impatient with Adam's speed, since he takes time to form his sentence and explain]

The session gets over. Adams asks the audience if they have questions. M_1 asks a question about applying Ur-check in a physics class.

M_3 now gets a free computer since W_2 (his partner) walks away. He starts working on it bying out what he has learnt. ~~Other~~ W_1, W_2 leave and then rest of them disperse.