



#### Early Years Foundation Stage

Pupils are taught to:

- Recognise a range of technology used in places such as home and school.
- Select and use technology for particular purposes.
- Use technology and the internet safely.

#### The national curriculum for computing aims to ensure that all pupils:

- can understand and apply the fundamental principles and concepts of computer science, including abstraction, logic, algorithms and data representation
- can analyse problems in computational terms, and have repeated practical experience of writing computer programs in order to solve such problems
- can evaluate and apply information technology, including new or unfamiliar technologies, analytically to solve problems
- are responsible, competent, confident and creative users of information and communication technology.

#### Key Stage 1

Pupils should be taught to:

- Understand what algorithms are; how they are implemented as programs on digital devices; and that programs execute by following precise and unambiguous instructions
- Create and debug simple programs
- Use logical reasoning to predict the behaviour of simple programs
- Use technology purposefully to create, organise, store, manipulate and retrieve digital content
- Recognise common uses of information technology beyond school
- Use technology safely and respectfully, keeping personal information private; identify where to go for help and support when they have concerns about content or contact on the internet or other online technologies.

#### Key Stage 2

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Pupils should be taught to:

- Design, write and debug programs that accomplish specific goals, including controlling or simulating physical systems; solve problems by decomposing them into smaller parts
- Use sequence, selection, and repetition in programs; work with variables and various forms of input and output
- Use logical reasoning to explain how some simple algorithms work and to detect and correct errors in algorithms and programs
- Understand computer networks including the internet; how they can provide multiple services, such as the world wide web; and the opportunities they offer for communication and collaboration
- Use search technologies effectively, appreciate how results are selected and ranked, and be discerning in evaluating digital content
- Select, use and combine a variety of software (including internet services) on a range of digital devices to design and create a range of programs, systems and content that accomplish given goals, including collecting, analysing, evaluating and presenting data and information
- Use technology safely, respectfully and responsibly; recognise acceptable/unacceptable behaviour; identify a range of ways to report concerns about content and contact.









	Nursery Computer User	Reception Computer User	Year 1 Computer User	Year 2 Computer User
Progression and Assessment Criteria		Information technology Photography 10. Know how to take photos using a device. 11. Know how to crop photos. Technology around us 12. Know the technology used in the home. 13. Identify how technology is used outdoors. Interactive games (including drawing) Know how to: 14. Choose and open an app. 15. Play simple games. 16. Purposefully mark make on the screen. 17. Draw using a touch screen. 18. Erase ports of pictures.	<ol> <li>23. Know how to contribute to a class pictogram.</li> <li>24. Know how to use a software to record results into a pictogram format.</li> <li>Spreadsheets</li> <li>25. Know what a spreadsheet program environment looks like including cells, rows and columns.</li> <li>26. Know how to enter data into spreadsheet cells.</li> <li>27. Know how to add images to cells.</li> <li>28. Know how to use some tools within spreadsheets e.g. lock cell, move cell and count.</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>Information technology Questioning and Databases</li> <li>23. Know that there are other data handling tools that can give more information than pictograms.</li> <li>24. Know how to use yes/no questions to separate information.</li> <li>25. Know how to use a binary tree database to answer questions.</li> <li>26. Know how to use a database to answer more complex search questions.</li> <li>27. Know that digital content can be presented in many different forms e.g. stories.</li> <li>28. Know that data can be structured in tables to make it useful for an audience.</li> <li>29. Know how to collect, organise and present data and information in digital format.</li> <li>21. Know the purpose and benefits of painting software tools e.g. 2Paint a Picture.</li> <li>31. Know the purpose and benefits of painting software tools e.g. 2Paint a Picture.</li> <li>32. Know how to reproduce the style of an artist e.g. William Morris by using repeating patterns, manipulating patterns and adding multiple effects in painting software.</li> <li>33. Know how to use prior learning to perform composite task of e.g. creating a counting machine.</li> <li>34. Know how to use prior learning to perform composite task of e.g. creating a counting machine.</li> <li>35. Know what totalling tools are and how to use them.</li> <li>36. Know how to use a spreadsheet to perform calculations for purpose e.g. adding and totalling money.</li> <li>37. Know how to use a spreadsheet to perform calculations for purpose e.g. adding and totalling money.</li> <li>37. Know how to create a manual block graph within a spreadsheet from data.</li> </ul>





Sound, movement, safe, directions	Route, instructions, technology, safe, unsafe, internet	<ul> <li>Online Safety and Introduction to Purple Mash: Device, file name, login, log out, password, private, saving</li> <li>Pictograms: data, pictogram</li> <li>Lego Builders: algorithm, code, computer, debugging, program, sequence</li> <li>Coding: algorithm, code, code blocks, command, debug, object</li> <li>Spreadsheets: cell, data, spreadsheet</li> <li>Tech outside school: computer, technology</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Coding: algorithm, bug, collision, command, debug, execute, object, run, sequence</li> <li>Online safety: digital footprint, internet, personal/private information, search</li> <li>Spreadsheets: cell, data</li> <li>Questioning: data, database, information, sort</li> <li>Searching: device, digital footprint, internet, network, search engine, web address/page/site, world wide web.</li> </ul>
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Year 3 Computer User	Year 4 Computer User	Year 5 Computer User	Year 6 Computer User
<ul> <li>Computer science</li> <li>Coding</li> <li>1. Know what a flowchart is and how to use a flowchart to create a computer program.</li> <li>2. Know that there are different types of timers used in coding environments and which timer should be used for a given purpose.</li> <li>3. Know what a repeat command is and how to use it.</li> <li>4. Know how to create a range of programs using coding knowledge.</li> <li>5. Know how to crun, test and debug their own programs.</li> <li>6. Know what nesting is and that this should be considered when debugging.</li> <li>7. Know how to change attributes/properties of any objects in a program they have made.</li> <li>Pro-Bots</li> <li>10. Know how to plan and input a programme into a floor robot with increasing complexity e.g. multiples of a single command (forward 5).</li> <li>11. Create algorithms using a series of commands to follow a specified route e.g. draw a line, corner or N shape.</li> <li>12. Use the 'repeat' command to follow a specified route.</li> <li>13. Identify solutions to debug a program with increasing complexity.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Computer science</li> <li>Coding</li> <li>Begin to know what selection is in computer programming.</li> <li>Know how to interpret an IF statement and therefore know how to create a program that includes an IF statement.</li> <li>Know how to use co-ordinates in computer programming.</li> <li>Know what the 'repeat until' command is.</li> <li>Know how to use variable is in programming.</li> <li>Know how to use variables within their programs.</li> <li>Know how to create a playable game using a block coding environment.</li> </ul> Pro-Bots <ol> <li>Pro-Bots</li> <li>Pro-Bots</li> <li>Create algorithms to follow a specified route e.g. draw regular polygons using 'repeat' and Logo to calculate angles.</li> <li>Identify solutions to debug a program with increasing complexity.</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>Computer science Coding</li> <li>Begin to know how to simplify code in order to make programming more efficient.</li> <li>Know how to create a simple simulation e.g. a traffic light sequence.</li> <li>Know what decomposition and abstraction are in computer science.</li> <li>Know the need to start coding at a basic level of abstraction to remove superfluous details from own programs.</li> <li>Know how to use decomposition to make a plan of a real-life situation.</li> <li>Know what a function is in coding and know how to use a function in own programs.</li> <li>Know what a function is in coding and know how to use a function in own programs.</li> <li>Know what different variable types are.</li> <li>Know how to set and change variable values in code.</li> <li>Know and use concatenation in own programs.</li> <li>Micro:bits</li> <li>Understand the micro:bit is a tiny computer which needs instructions in code to make it work.</li> <li>Create instructions in code and transfer them to the micro:bit.</li> <li>Understand that animations create an illusion of movement by showing a sequence of still images and that sequence and timing is important.</li> <li>Code the micro:bit to show simple animations on its LED display output.</li> <li>Use loops to make animations run longer using fewer instructions.</li> <li>Understand that inputs and outputs involve the flow of data in and out of computers and apply this to the micro:bit.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Computer science Coding <ol> <li>Know how to create a game with timers and a score.</li> <li>Know how to arrange code in multiple tabs.</li> <li>Know the different options of generating user input in a coding programme.</li> <li>Know how to attribute variables to user input.</li> <li>Know the need to code for all possibilities.</li> <li>Building on existing knowledge of debugging, know how to debug more effectively.</li> </ol> </li> <li>Networks <ol> <li>Know the difference between the World Wide Web and the Internet.</li> <li>Know what a WAN and LAN is and the key differences between them.</li> <li>Know what a WAN and LAN is and the key differences between them.</li> <li>Know what a code for all possibilities.</li> </ol> </li> <li>Know the difference between the World Wide Web and the Internet.</li> <li>Know what a WAN and LAN is and the key differences between them.</li> <li>Know the history of the Internet.</li> <li>Know some of the major changes in technology which have taken place in their lifetime.</li>  Text Adventures <ol> <li>Know what a text based adventure and how to convert a simple story with 2 or 3 levels of decision making into a logical design.</li> <li>Know how to use written plans to code a map based adventure</li> <li>Use computing knowledge to support coding and debugging a map-based adventure game e.g. using functions, two-way selection (IF/ELSE statements) and repetition. Utilising Micro:bits <ol> <li>Create a program to run on a controllable device.</li> <li>Explain that selection can control the flow of a program.</li> <li>Update a variable with a user input.</li> <li>Use a conditional statement to compare a variable to a value.</li> <li>Develop a program to use inputs and outputs on a controllable device.</li> <li>Evaluate the success of the program.</li> </ol></li></ol></ul>





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<page-header></page-header>	<ul> <li>Digital literacy</li> <li>Online Safety</li> <li>10. Know that information put online leaves a digital footprint or trail.</li> <li>11. Know some of the ways children can protect themselves from online identity theft.</li> <li>12. Know that information put online by users could be used for identity theft.</li> <li>13. Know the main risks and benefits of installing software and applications.</li> <li>14. Know that copying work of others and presenting it as their own is plagiarism (which has consequences).</li> <li>15. Knows appropriate behaviour when participating or contributing to collaborative online projects for learning.</li> <li>16. Know some of the main positive and negative influences technology has on health and the environment.</li> <li>17. Knows the importance of balancing screen time with non-screen time.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>share online.</li> <li>19. Know responsibilities they have for themselves and others regarding online behaviour.</li> <li>20. Develop knowledge of maintaining secure passwords.</li> <li>21. Know about image manipulation using software and the advantages or disadvantages of this when shared online.</li> <li>22. Know what is meant by appropriate and inappropriate text, photographs and videos.</li> <li>23. Know about the impact of sharing media such as photographs and videos online.</li> <li>24. Know about the importance of citing content online from others and know how to do this.</li> <li>25. Know how to select keywords and search techniques to find relevant information to increase reliability.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Digital literacy</li> <li>Blogging</li> <li>23. Know the purpose and features of successful blog writing, including how information is presented.</li> <li>24. Know how to plan and write a blog post and how to contribute to others' blogs.</li> <li>25. Know the importance of having an approval process when creating blog content or modifying it.</li> <li>26. Know from Online Safety knowledge that content within blogs applies e.g. know the issues surrounding inappropriate posts and cyberbullying.</li> <li>Online Safety</li> <li>27. Know the benefits and risks of mobile devices broadcasting the location of the user/device, e.g., apps accessing location.</li> <li>28. Know what secure sites are and that secure sites will have industry standard seals of approval.</li> <li>29. Build on knowledge of Digital Footprints e.g. know how and why people use their information.</li> <li>30. Build on knowledge of appropriate online behaviours and how this can protect themselves and others from possible online dangers e.g. the dangers of promoting inappropriate content online.</li> <li>31. Know the effects on individual health when having too much screen time and how to make more informed choices of how free time is used.</li> </ul>





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<ul> <li>Information technology</li> <li>Spreadsheets</li> <li>21. Know how to create tables of data within a spreadsheet.</li> <li>22. Know how to use a spreadsheet program to create charts and graphs from data.</li> <li>23. Know how to use various features within a spreadsheet to support solutions to calculations e.g. 'more than', 'less than', and 'equals'.</li> <li>24. Know how to describe a cell location in a spreadsheet.</li> <li>25. Know how to find specified locations in a spreadsheet.</li> <li>26. Know how to sort objects using just YES/NO.</li> <li>27. Know how to sort objects using just YES/NO.</li> <li>27. Know how to complete a branching database, including debugging.</li> <li>29. Know how to edit and adapt a branching database.</li> <li>Email</li> <li>30. Know the different methods of communication including strengths and weaknesses.</li> <li>31. Know how to use an anddress book to write an email.</li> <li>32. Know how to set up a graph with a given number of fields using graphing software.</li> <li>36. Know how to set up a graph with a given number of fields using graphing software.</li> <li>38. Know how to select the most appropriate chart type for their data and explain reasoning.</li> <li>38. Know how to select the most appropriate chart type for their data in graphing software to enable easier analysis.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Information technology</li> <li>Spreadsheets</li> <li>18. Know what cell formatting is and how to format cells as currency, percentage, decimal or fraction.</li> <li>19. Know how to use formula wizard tools.</li> <li>20. Know how to combine spreadsheet tools to create a purposeful spreadsheet e.g. x times table test.</li> <li>21. Know how to use a spreadsheet to model a real-life situation e.g. budget planner.</li> <li>22. Know how to add a formula to a cell</li> <li>Effective Searching</li> <li>23. Know how to find information from a search results page.</li> <li>24. Know how to search effectively to find out information.</li> <li>25. Know how to identify if an information source is true and reliable.</li> <li>Animation</li> <li>26. Know how animations are created by hand.</li> <li>27. Know how animations are created using computers.</li> <li>28. Know what onion skinning is when referring to animation.</li> <li>29. Know that animations can be enhanced using features in software such as background and sounds.</li> <li>30. Know what 'stop motion' animation is</li> <li>Artificial Intelligence</li> <li>31. Know the basic concept of what artificial intelligence is.</li> <li>32. Know that to tritically about artificial intelligence is.</li> <li>33. Know to to think critically about artificial intelligence is.</li> <li>34. Know how to thilk critically about artificial intelligence is.</li> <li>35. Know how to thilk critically about artificial intelligence is.</li> <li>36. Know how to thilk critically about artificial intelligence is.</li> <li>37. Know the to utilize artificial intelligence to create media such as images and music.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Information technology</li> <li>Spreadsheets</li> <li>26. Know how to use formulae within a spreadsheet e.g. to convert measurements of length.</li> <li>27. Know how to use more advanced formulae effectively e.g. to calculate area/perimeter of shape.</li> <li>28. Know how to use tools within a spreadsheet e.g. the count tool to answer hypotheses. For example, to answer hypotheses about common letters in use.</li> <li>Databases</li> <li>29. Know the different ways to search for information in a database.</li> <li>30. Know how to add information into a shared database.</li> <li>31. Know how to create own database and create new records.</li> <li>32. Know what fields are and know how to correctly add information.</li> <li>33. Know how to aphrase questions so they can be correctly answered using a search of database.</li> <li>Word Processing</li> <li>34. Know what a word processing tool is for.</li> <li>35. Know how to alter the look of text and navigate around a document.</li> <li>36. Know how to add and edit images.</li> <li>37. Know how to add features to enhance look and usability within a document e.g. textboxes, hyperlinks, contents pages.</li> <li>39. Know how to use tables to present information.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Information technology</li> <li>Spreadsheets</li> <li>32. Know the spreadsheet environment including key vocabulary e.g. cells, columns, rows, cell names, sheets, workbooks.</li> <li>33. Know the uses of spreadsheets and how they can be used to carry out basic calculations including addition, subtraction, multiplication and division formulae.</li> <li>34. Know that using formulae allows the data to change and the calculations to update automatically.</li> <li>35. Know how to use the SUM function and how to create formulae that deals with percentages, averages, max and min.</li> <li>36. Know that there are ways to present data graphically.</li> <li>37. Know how to use charting features to create charts from data in cells.</li> <li>38. Know how to use sparklines and data bars to illustrate data.</li> </ul>





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Vocabulary	<ul> <li>Coding: algorithm, code, command, debugging, input, output, object, repeat, run</li> <li>Online safety: appropriate/inappropriate, internet, password, personal information, website</li> <li>Spreadsheets: cell address, data</li> <li>Email: email, inbox, password, trusted contact</li> <li>Databases: branching database, data, debugging,</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Coding: algorithm, code blocks, command, debugging, event, 'if' statement, 'if/else' statement, input, object, run, selection, sequence, variable</li> <li>Online safety: copyright, digital footprint, malware, plagiarism, SMART rules, software, virus</li> <li>Spreadsheets: data, formula</li> <li>Animation: animation, frame, stop motion</li> <li>Searching: internet, key words, results page, search engine</li> <li>Al: artificial intelligence, algorithm, data</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Coding: algorithm, command, debug, event, input, object, output, random, repeat, sequence, simulation, variable</li> <li>Online safety: appropriate, copyright, digital footprint, malware, secure password, personal information, SMART rules</li> <li>Spreadsheets: data, formula</li> <li>Databases: data, databases, field, search</li> <li>Microsoft Word: copy and paste, document, hyperlink</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Coding: action, algorithm, command, debugging, event, execute, function, input, object, output, procedure, repeat until, selection, sequence, simulation, text object, variable</li> <li>Online safety: digital footprint, inappropriate, secure password</li> <li>Blogging: blog, blog post, vlog</li> <li>Text adventures: debug, function, repeat, selection, text adventures; variables</li> <li>Networks: data, , hub/switch, IP address, network, router, search engine, web page/server/site, wi-fi</li> <li>Excel: cell, cell reference, data, formatting, formula bar, spreadsheet, workbook</li> </ul>