

Disciplinary Knowledge: Computing



	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Autumn 1	<p>Technology around us</p> <p>Develop understanding of technology and how it can help them.</p>	<p>IT around us</p> <p>Explore how IT benefits society in places such as shops, libraries, and hospitals.</p>	<p>Connecting computers</p> <p>Recognise computer networks that include network infrastructure devices like routers and switches.</p>	<p>The internet</p> <p>Explore the World Wide Web, to learn about who owns content and what they can access, add, and create.</p>	<p>Sharing information</p> <p><i>Explain the input, output and process of a system</i></p>	<p>Communication</p> <p>Complete shared projects online and evaluate different methods of communication.</p>
Autumn 2	<p>Moving a robot</p> <p>Identify what each command for the floor robot does and predict the outcome of a program,</p>	<p>Robot algorithms</p> <p>Design algorithms and then test those algorithms.</p>	<p>Sequence in music</p> <p>Explore the concept of sequencing in programming through Scratch and introduced to a selection of motion, sound, and event blocks.</p>	<p>Photo editing</p> <p>Understand how digital images can be changed and edited.</p>	<p>Vector drawing</p> <p>Learn to create vector drawings with shape and line tools which are grouped and layered together.</p>	<p>Variables in games</p> <p>Explore the concept of variables in programming through games in Scratch.</p>
Spring 1	<p>Digital painting</p> <p>Explore a range of creative tools and consider preferences when painting with or without digital devices.</p>	<p>Making music</p> <p>Make music with both percussion instruments and digital tools.</p>	<p>Branching databases</p> <p>Learn to use tools within a database to order and answer questions about data.</p>	<p>Data logging</p> <p>Learn how computers can use special input devices called sensors to monitor the environment.</p>	<p>Selection in physical computing</p> <p>Learn to use a microcontroller (Crumble controller) and learn how to connect and program components.</p>	<p>3D modelling</p> <p>Produce 3D models and learn to work in a 3D space, moving, resizing, and duplicating objects.</p>
Spring 2	<p>Grouping data</p> <p>Discover data and information using labels to put objects into groups.</p>	<p>Pictograms</p> <p>Learn the term 'attribute' and use this to help them organise data and present in a pictogram.</p>	<p>Animation</p> <p>Use a range of techniques to create a stop-frame animation using a digital device.</p>	<p>Audio editing</p> <p>Record audio themselves which will include editing their work and learn to add multiple tracks and open and save audio files.</p>	<p>Selection in quizzes</p> <p>Develop knowledge of 'selection' and use selection to control outcomes to design a quiz in response to a given task.</p>	<p>Spreadsheets</p> <p>Introduced to spreadsheets and the use of cells, formulas and data formatting.</p>
Summer 1	<p>Introduction to animation</p> <p>Understanding to on-screen programming through Scratch Jr using sprites and backgrounds.</p>	<p>Digital photography</p> <p>Gain experience capturing, editing, and improving photos using digital devices.</p>	<p>Events and actions</p> <p>Explore the links between events and actions with a program.</p>	<p>Repetition in shapes</p> <p>Understand repetition and loops within programming.</p>	<p>Video editing</p> <p>Develop the skills of capturing, editing, and manipulating video.</p>	<p>Sensing</p> <p>Combine previous programming knowledge to build and test a micro:bit.</p>
Summer 2	<p>Digital writing</p> <p>Develop skills typing on a keyboard and begin using tools to change the look of their writing.</p>	<p>Introduction to quizzes</p> <p>Begin to understand that sequences of commands have an outcome and make predictions.</p>	<p>Desktop publishing</p> <p>Use desktop publishing software and consider careful choices of font size, colour and type to edit and improve documents.</p>	<p>Repetition in games</p> <p>Explore the concept of repetition in programming using the Scratch environment.</p>	<p>Flat file databases</p> <p>Learn what a branching database is and how to create one and understand what attributes are and how to use them to sort groups of objects.</p>	<p>Webpage creation</p> <p>Identify what makes a good webpage and use this information to design and evaluate a website.</p>