

Whole School Computing Yearly Overview



	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
EYFS	iPad introduction – unlocking the iPad and using the keyboard.		Media – Using an iPad to take photos and videos		Moving a robot – Introduction to Bee-Bot	
	Computing Systems and Networks	Creating Media	Programming A	Data and Information	Creating Media	Programming B
Year 1	Technology around us Recognising technology in school and using it responsibly Paintz app	Digital painting Choosing appropriate tools in a program to create art, and making comparisons with working non-digitally Microsoft paint or similar	Moving a robot Writing short algorithms and programs for floor robots, and predicting program outcomes. Bee-Bot	Gathering data Exploring object labels, then using them to sort and group objects by properties. Google slides or PowerPoint	Digital writing Using a computer to create and format text, before comparing to writing non-digitally. Google Docs or Word	Programming animations. Designing and programming the movement of a character on screen to tell stories. ScratchJr
Year 2	Information technology around us. Identifying IT and how its responsible use improves our world in school and beyond. Google slides or PowerPoint	Digital photography Capturing and changing digital photographs for different purposes. Digital Camera	Robot algorithms Creating and debugging programs, and using logical reasoning to make predictions. Bee-Bot	Pictograms Collecting data in tally charts and using attributes to organise and present data on a computer. J2data Pictogram	Digital music Using a computer as a tool to explore rhythms and melodies, before creating a musical composition. Chrome Music Lab	Programming quizzes Designing algorithms and programs that use events to trigger sequences of code to make an interactive quiz. ScratchJr
Year 3	Connecting computers Identifying that digital devices have inputs, processes, and outputs, and how devices can be connected to make networks Painting Program - any	Stop-frame animation Capturing and editing digital still images to produce a stop-frame animation that tells a story iMotion - App	Sequencing sounds Creating sequences in a block-based programming language to make music Scratch	Branching databases Building and using branching databases to group objects using yes/no questions. J2data Branch and Pictogram	Desktop publishing Creating documents by modifying text, images, and page layouts for a specified purpose. Canva.com	Events and actions in programs Writing algorithms and programs that use a range of events to trigger sequences of actions. Scratch
Year 4	The internet Recognising the internet as a network of networks including the	Audio production Capturing and editing audio to produce a	Repetition in shapes Using a text-based programming language to explore count-	Data logging Recognising how and why data is collected over time, before using	Photo editing Manipulating digital images, and reflecting on the impact of	Repetition in games Using a block-based programming language to explore count-



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	WWW, and why we should evaluate online content Various Website	podcast, ensuring that copyright is considered. Audacity	controlled loops when drawing shapes FMSLogo	data loggers to carry out an investigation. Data logger and associated software	changes and whether the required purpose is fulfilled. Paint.NET or Microsoft Windows	controlled and infinite loops when creating a game. Scratch
Year 5	Systems and searching Recognising IT systems in the world and how some can enable searching on the internet Google slides	Video production Planning, capturing, and editing video to produce a short film. Microsoft Photos	Selection in physical computing Exploring conditions and selection using a programmable microcontroller. Crumble controller + starter kit + motor	Flat-file databases Using a database to order data and create charts to answer questions. J2data Database	Introduction to vector graphics Creating images in a drawing program by using layers and groups of objects Google drawings	Selection in quizzes Exploring selection in programming to design and code an interactive quiz Scratch
Year 6	Communication and collaboration Exploring how data is transferred by working collaboratively online. Google Slides	Webpage creation Designing and creating webpages, giving consideration to copyright, aesthetics, and navigation Google Slides	Variables in games Exploring variables when designing and coding a game. Scratch	Introduction to spreadsheets Answering questions by using spreadsheets to organise and calculate data Google Sheets or Excel	3D modelling Planning, developing, and evaluating 3D computer models of physical objects. Tinkercad	Sensing movement Designing and coding a project that captures inputs from a physical device. Micro:bit and Microsoft MakeCode