

# **Computing Curriculum Overview**

	Autumn 1st	Autumn 2nd	Spring 1st	Spring 2nd	Summer 1st	Summer 2nd
Nursery	Children to use a range of applications on the computer e.g 2simple.  Children to use bee bots independently.  Children to use and know how to operate a range of technology in their indoor and outdoor learning environment.	Children to understand Self-image and identity online.  To understand Online relationships and being safe online.  To understand and know the importance of being kind online.  To understand and know the how to find information online.	Children will grow in confidence to take turns, understand how to be successful with technology, use technology to share their feelings, drive and become DJs.	Children will use technology to exercise, stay healthy, listen and understand instructions, as well as talk and understand messages shared.	Digital Communications  Children will learn to become a digital reader, email, blog, use technology to count and to design.	Creating and using Digital Content  Children will learn how to become a shape- maker. They will understand how technology enables them to become a community member. This will allow them opportunities to observe, become a game player, create digital content, including sound tracks and recording films.
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Year 1	Children work collaboratively with teacher to establish a set of rules for staying safe online. They will gain a deeper understanding of why it is important to treat people with kindness online. They will learn the basic principles of what the internet is and its positives and negatives. Children discuss personal information and why it is important to protect. They will be taught how to be a 'digital citizen' – being respectful. Children will learn how to play safely and why it's important.	We are Treasure Hunters (Coding)  Children explore how to create an algorithm using a treasure hunt. They will then record these instructions clearly and in writing whilst continuing to explore whether they are clear and concise. Children will be taught to programme and manoeuvre Bee-Bots accurately. They will them work to debug a Bee-Bot that has been programmed incorrectly	We are Digital Artists  In this unit pupils use iPads to create paintings inspired by the work of famous artists. They will learn to select colours and brushes, create a range of artwork and learn to use the undo function if they make a mistake. Children will also use multiple layers in their art and transform those layers.	Children will use Book Creator to create a multimedia eBook about what they enjoy and have achieved. They will decide what content to include, add titles to their book, add images and record audio commentary for it. The children will learn to copy images from elsewhere and will change colour and font too.	Pupils will use Scratch Jr and GarageBand to create patterns of sounds. They will record audio on a digital device, program sprites to playback recorded audio and create repeating rhythms. The children will explore different effects that can be applied to audio and will create repeating percussion using a virtual drum machine.	Pupils will work with a set of data on pirates and will learn how data is structured as records with fields for information. They will understand how data can be organised into groups and subgroups and how data can be structured as a tree or organised into a table. Then how that data in a table can be filtered and searched.
Year 2	Online Safety  Children to review the rules their learning from	We are Astronauts (Coding)	We are Researchers  Children will learn to safely and effectively	We are Zoologists  Children will classify and sort bugs. The children	We are Game Testers (Coding)	We are Photographers  Pupils will be taught how to use technology

year 1 to establish how to remain safe online. There is a greater focus on the term antibullving. Children learn to research responsibility and how to protect personal information. Children learn about that how we use technology is impacts those around them and also about the age-related suitability of different games and why they are given.

Children will learn how to plan a sequence of instructions to move sprites in Scratch Jr.
They will create, test and debug programs from sprites in Scratch Jr.
Children will work with input and output, use repetition in their programs and design costumes for sprites.

use search engines to research information on a chosen topic. They will focus on filtering necessary information in order to select that of which is relevant. The children will learn how to prepare and present the information collected in the form of a multimedia presentation.

will use cameras to take photos of bugs and will learn to upload and store these images, followed by learning to edit them. Children will sort the data they have collected by creating charts in Excel – learning how to alter the different features of a chart e.g. titles or colour changes. Children will then learn to use Google Maps/ Earth to pinpoint where they found the bugs they studied.

Children will play Scratch games to understand how algorithms work and how they link to everyday instructions. The children will learn to make sensible predictions about what is going to happen next in a game and will be able to recognise simple improvements needed. They will solve problems and will learn to accurately follow the rules of a game.

purposefully to create, organise, store, manipulate and retrieve digital content.

The children will learn the features that make a good photo and then will work to take some using cameras. The children will then sort these and edit/ enhance them to improve and change their quality.

### Year 3 Online Safety

Children review learning from Year 2 on how to remain safe online and respond to incidents. They focus on the consequences to online bullying. The children study the trustworthiness of website and develop skills of how to spot untrustworthy websites. They learn to understand that things on the internet can leave a digital trail and may last forever. Children focus on the term netiquette and why it's important and discover

#### We are Presenters

Pupils develop webbased research skills, preparing and delivering a talk on a given topic they've researched. They will record a piece to camera, edit a movie using static images and green scene footage. Once completed, children will give constructive feedback on presentations.

### Coding We are Programmers / We are Bug Fixers

Children plan and create an algorithm for an animated scene, write a program in Scratch to create the animation and review programs, correcting any mistakes.

Pupils develop strategies for finding errors in programs, build up resilience and strategies for problem solving & increase knowledge of understanding Scratch. They will also recognise a number of common bugs in software.

### We are Who We Are

Pupils create a set of presentations for different audiences and discuss issues of online trust and privacy. They will learn to create a number of structured presentations, create a narrated presentation and consider issues of trust and privacy when sharing information.

## We are Opinion Pollsters

Pupils understand some elements of survey design. They understand some ethical and legal aspects of online data collection. Use the internet to facilitate data collection. Use charts to analyse data and interpret results.

	that internet identities					
	can be misleading.					
Year 4	Online Safety	We are Musicians	We are Artists	We are Meteorologists	Coding We are Software	We are bloggers
	Children revisit rules made in Year 3 and think of strategies to stay safe online. They learn about positive and negative peer pressure and ways to report related concerns. Children learn about the speed that information can travel and how information may not always be accurate. Children learn about hacking, how it puts personal information at risk and ways to protect this. They develop a positive understanding of how to respect digital rights and how to virtual friendships differ from those in real life.	Pupils create repeating percussion rhythm, play music using virtual instruments. They compose and edits tunes (pitch and duration). Children will perform electronic music using pre-recorded loops and create their own loops. They will create multitrack composition or performance using multiple instruments and will give feedback to others	Children develop an appreciation of the links between geometry and art. They become familiar with the tools and techniques of a vector graphics package. They develop an understanding of turtle graphic. They experiment with the tools available. They learnt to refine and develop their work as they apply their own criteria to evaluate it, and receive feedback from their peers.	Children understand different measures of weather, use computer-based data logging to automate recordings and use spreadsheets to create charts. Children then analyse data, explore inconsistencies & make predictions. Practice using presentation and video software.	Pupils develop educational computer game using selection and repetition, understand and use variables, begin to debug programs and recognise the importance of interface design, including consideration of input and output.	Children become familiar with blogs Create a sequence of blog posts and incorporate multimedia Comment on posts of others and develop a critical, reflective view of a range of media.
Year 5	Online Safety  Children recall prior learning on how to stay	We are Adventure Gamers  Pupils will learn to plan a	We are Game Developers (Coding)	We are Web Developers  Pupils will learn how the school network and the	We are VR Designers  Pupils consider privacy issues in real world	We are Cryptographers  Children will investigate early methods of
	safe online. They learn the importance of taking responsibility for online actions. Children are exposed to paid endorsements and how content creators may not always be	non-linear presentation, creating text and adding and editing images. They use hyperlinks to navigate between slides within their presentation and record and add audio narration to it.	The children plan their own simple computer game. They have autonomy over designing the characters and backgrounds, and will work to create a prototype. The children	internet work. They will the explore HTML used to create websites and edit their own website about online safety using Google Sites. The children will know what the source code for a	contexts. They will also be able to experiment with complex 'fractal' landscapes to create their own geometric imagery.	communicating over distances, learn about two early ciphers and encrypt and decrypt messages in various ciphers. They will be familiar with semaphore

	trustworthy. A focus on how inappropriate content online lasts forever, can ruin reputations and may last forever. Children learn about how copyright protects original content and review the responsibilities they have when being online. Children focus on the business model for online games and understand accounts for devices can be linked to bank-accounts and cost money.	Children work to give feedback, editing as appropriate.	then gather research and use the data to alter their designs.	web page looks like and how it can be edited, how a website can be structured and how to add content to a web page.		and Morse code, understand the need for private information to be encrypted and have some understanding of how encryption works on the internet. Pupils will also appreciate the need for complex passwords and why to keep them secure.
Year 6	Children to recall prior learning and develop new strategies based on their experiences online. They learn the risks of being online in regards to indecent imagery and their legal notions. The children will understand the restrictions of networking sites and why they're in place. Children learn about others privacy and the right to refuse permission of images and videos being uploaded as it can last forever. Children develop knowledge of	We are Advertisers  Children work in small groups to create a short video advert with a specific purpose and audience in mind. Pupils will learn to use filmmaking and editing skills focusing on their uses, shooting a promotional video and the pros and cons of search engines.	We are Toy Makers  In this unit, pupils design and develop a BBC micro:bit powered modification to a soft toy to make the toy interactive.	We are Toy Makers  In this unit, pupils design and develop a BBC micro:bit powered modification to a soft toy to make the toy interactive.	Children will use the school's blogging platform to explore issues related to social media. They will learn about appropriate rules and guidelines for a civil online discussion, how to search results are selected and ranked and how to argue their points effectively, supporting these with sources. The children will learn how to counter someone's argument while showing respect and tolerance and will be able to judge the reliability of an online	We are Publishers  In this unit children will produce a class yearbook using desktop publishing tools. They will manage and contribute to a large collaborative project, using online tools. The children will learn to write and review content, source digital media safely, respectfully and responsibly and will also design and produce a high-quality print document.

how act appropriately online. They will understand the risks of online gaming and how to safely protect themselves whilst playing.		source. Whilst also learning strategies for dealing with online bullying.	
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