Aims

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
- responsible, competent, confident and creative

Attainment targets

By the end of each key stage, pupils are expected to know, apply and understand the matters, skills and processes specified in the relevant programme of study.

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

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.

Inclusion

Information taken from the Teacher Handbook: SEND – Embedding inclusive practice pg 109

Planning inclusive lessons

Tasks – Incorporate learning materials that are accessible for learners of all abilities using specific resources or approaches that allow everyone to access the curriculum. Scaffold learning so that learners benefit from support in the initial stages of learning.

Problem Solving – Encourage learners to take ownership of their own learning. If the learner struggles with a multi-step problem, allow for additional support at the beginnings and slowly remove support as their skill set grows.

High Expectations – Challenge learners (and yourself) to keep high expectations and look for opportunities to connect learning to personal experience, meaning learning is relatable and purposeful.

Vocabulary – Find opportunities for learners to encounter tier 2 words. This will empower them to access their learning and communicate and understand ideas across the curriculum.

Vision impairment – Consider the use of braille where necessary, consider colours of resources, using screen readers and magnifier aids.

Space – Arrange the workspace so that children can fully engage with their learning, including children who need support with mobility.

Reception – See curriculum – EYFS Computing curriculum 23-24

Curriculum strand	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Digital Literacy Information Technology PowerPoint	Turning the device on and off Logging onto the device Loading PowerPoint Insert an image Enter text into a text box Open folders	Turning the device on and off Logging onto the device Loading PowerPoint Change font size and style Add pages/slides Open folders Insert an image Manipulate a text box and enter text	Computing systems and networks. Children to develop their understanding of digital devices, with an initial focus on inputs, processes, and outputs. Also compare digital and non-digital devices.	Open and save files Cut and paste images Create and manipulate a text box Change font size and style Add pages/slides Add transitions and effects to images and text. Change background Change themes	Open and save files Cut and paste images Create and manipulate a text box Change font size and style Add pages/slides Add transitions and effects to images and text. Change background Add sound/movie Change themes Add buttons and page links Add animations/ transitions from slide to slide.	Use skills learned from previous years to create a presentation.
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				expectation that Year 5 to complete additional	have the opportunity points	
Vocabulary	Cut, Paste, PowerPoint	Cut, Paste, PowerPoint ,Font, Edit	Cut, Paste, PowerPoint ,Font, Edit, Input, Output, Process, Digital device	Cut, Paste, PowerPoint ,Font, Edit, Input, Output, Process, Digital device, theme	Cut, Paste, PowerPoint ,Font, Edit, Input, Output, Process, Digital device, theme, Animations, Transitions, Links, Buttons	Cut, Paste, PowerPoint ,Font, Edit, Input, Output, Process, Digital device, theme, Animations, Transitions, Links, Buttons
Assessment Questions	How do you insert an image? How do you enter text into a text box?	Can you explain how to open folders? How do you manipulate a text box? How do you add slides to a PowerPoint presentation?	What is an input? What is a process? What is an output?	How do you add animations to your PowerPoint? How do you add transitions? How do you add a theme to your presentation?	How do you add buttons and page links? How do you add transitions between slides?	How do previous skills leant help you to create an effective presentation?
Knowledge	I know that I need a password and username to log	I know that I need a password and username to log	I can explain that digital devices accept inputs	I know that to add animations I need to select the add animation button and	I know that to add buttons and links I need to add an action button and assign a	I know how to use all previous skills and knowledge to create a

	onto a device I know that I need to double click to open a folder I know that I need to click inside a text box before I am able to enter text	onto a device I know that I need to right click to copy and image and right click again to paste To be able to navigate to 'change font style' and to then select the desired font and style of the text I know that to add a slide I need to click the add slide button	I can explain that digital devices produce outputs I can recognise different connections I can demonstrate how information can be passed between devices	apply my chosen animation to my text/image I know that to change the background I need to select the design tab and select my preferred background	specific action to that button I know that to add animations I need to select the add animation button and apply my chosen animation to my text/image I know that to add transitions I need to select the animations tab and select my desired transition I know that to add sound I must select insert – sound – and select a clip art sound or a sound file I have saved	presentation on a topic of my choice
Digital Literacy	Turning the device on and off	Logging onto the device	Learners will become familiar with the terms 'text' and 'images' and	Use a safe search for images	Use a safe search for images	Use a safe search for images
Research	Logging onto the device Using the user interface (mouse	Using the user interface (mouse pad and keyboard) to navigate dashboard/internet	understand that they can be used to communicate messages. They will use desktop publishing software and consider	Use a safe search to locate specific information on a given topic	Use a safe search to locate specific information on a given topic	Use a safe search to locate specific information on a given topic

pad and keyboard) to navigate dashboard Scrolling up and down Clicking left and right buttons Become familiar with the keyboard (enter/space/caps lock)	Scrolling up and down Clicking left and right buttons Become familiar with the keyboard (enter/space/caps lock) Use a safe search for images Use a safe search to locate specific information on a given topic	careful choices of font size, colour and type to edit and improve premade documents. Learners will be introduced to the terms 'templates', 'orientation', and 'placeholders' and begin to understand how these can support them in making their own template for a magazine front cover. They will start to add text and images to create their own pieces of work using desktop publishing software. Learners will look at a range of page layouts thinking carefully about the purpose of these and evaluate how and why desktop publishing is used in the real world.	Use a safe search to answer a given question. How to spot a reliable source Use a safe search to find information to support a subject area	Use a safe search to answer a given question. How to spot a reliable source Use a safe search to find information to support a subject area How to filter and use certain words to support to develop an efficient search	Use a safe search to answer a given question. How to spot a reliable source Use a safe search to find information to support a subject area How to filter a search How to use certain words to support to develop an efficient search Cross reference information found to determine validity
			Children to be taught al expectation that Year 5	l points with the have the opportunity	

				to complete additional	points	
Vocabulary	Click, Screen Mouse pad, Space bar, Computer, world wide web	Interface, Navigate, Safe, Click, Screen , Mouse pad, Screen, Shift, Space bar Computer Technology, world wide web	Interface, Navigate, Safe, Click, Screen, Mouse pad, Screen, Shift, Space bar Computer Technology, Password, personal information, private. World wide web	Interface, Navigate, Safe, Click, Screen , Mouse pad, Screen, Shift, Space bar Computer Technology, Password, personal information, private. World wide web, command, evaluating	Interface, Navigate, Safe, Click, Screen , Mouse pad, Screen, Shift, Space bar Computer Technology, Password, personal information, private. World wide web, command, evaluating, acceptable/unaccept able behaviours	Interface, Navigate, Safe, Click, Screen, Mouse pad, Screen, Shift, Space bar Computer Technology, Password, personal information, private. World wide web, command, evaluating, acceptable/unacce ptable behaviours, encryption
Assessment Questions	How do you log onto a device? How do you turn on caps lock?	How do you log onto a device? How do you search the internet for something specific? How do you know if a search is safe?	How can text and images be used to communicate messages? Why is size, font type, colour important when creating a document for a specific purpose? How do 'templates', 'orientation', and 'placeholders' support	How do you ensure you use a safe search for specific information? What can you do to ensure your searches are relevant to your subject areas? (E.G. searching for key words etc.)	How do you ensure you use a safe search for specific information? How do you filter a search? How can you use key words to support an effective search?	How could you help to determine validity of information found? (Cross referencing) Do you know how to filter a search? How can you use key words to support an

			you in making your own template for a magazine front cover?			effective search?
Knowledge	To navigate using the keyboard and mouse pad I must use the tips of my fingers gently I understand when and why to use the left and right click buttons To ensure I search safely for images I must use a safe search engine, such as Kiddle	I know that I can use 2 fingers on the mouse pad to scroll up and down or I can use the scroll bar I understand when and why to use the left and right click buttons I know that I need to use key words to find information about a certain topic	I know that size,, font and colour are important because it helps to make the document reach a specific target audience depending on the way it is designed	To spot a reliable source I must cross- reference with other sources and check the author is trustworthy I know that to ensure my search is relevant I need to include key words in my search	To spot a reliable source I must cross- reference with other sources and check the author is trustworthy To filter a search I must select the options most relevant to me and use key words most relevant to my search	To spot a reliable source I must cross-reference with other sources and check the author/URL is trustworthy/valid
Computer Science	Coding on Scratch Junior	Coding on Scratch Junior	Sequencing in programming through Scratch. It begins with	Code for life Levels 44-60	Code for life Levels 61-79	Code for life Levels 80 – 109
Coding	Grab and move the 'move blocks' and click them to run them	Using blockly write a sequence of code for a sprite to follow (create and	an introduction to the programming environment, which will be new to most learners. They will be	Understand what algorithms are; how they are implemented as programs on digital	Understand what algorithms are; how they are implemented as	levels) Understand what algorithms are;

	debug simple	introduced to a	devices: and that	programs on digital	how they are
Follow the 'get	nrograms)	selection of motion	programs execute by	devices: and that	implemented as
started' tutorial	programs).	sound and event	following precise and	programs execute by	nrograms on
to learn the basics	Add and animate a	blocks which they will		following precise and	digital devices.
of scratch junior	sprite (tutorial	use to create their	instructions		and that programs
	videos)	own programs	mstructions	instructions	execute by
	,	featuring sequences	Design write and		following precise
		The final project is to	debug programs that	Design write and	and unambiguous
		make a representation	accomplish specific	dobug programs that	instructions
		of a piano. The unit is	accomplian specific	accomplish specific	Instructions
		naced to focus on all	goals, including		Docian write and
		paced to focus of all	controlling of	goals, including	debug programs
		aspects of sequences,	simulating	controlling of	that accomplish
		knowledge is built in a	physical systems,	simulating	
		structured menner	solve problems by	physical systems;	specific goals,
		structured manner.	into smaller parts use	solve problems by	including
		Learners also apply	into smaller parts use	aecomposing them	controlling or
		stages of program	sequence, selection,	into smaller parts use	simulating
		design through this	and	sequence, selection,	physical systems;
			repetition in	and	solve problems by
		This unit explores the	programs; work with	repetition in	decomposing
		links between events	variables and various	programs; work with	them into smaller
		and actions, while	forms of input and	variables and various	parts use
		consolidating prior	output	forms of input and	sequence,
		learning relating to		output	selection, and
		sequencing Learners	Use logical reasoning		repetition in
		basis humaving c	to explain	Use logical reasoning	programs; work
		begin by moving a	how some simple	to explain	with variables and
		sprite in four	algorithms work and	how some simple	various forms of
		directions (up, down,	to detect and correct	algorithms work and	input and output
		left, and right). They	errors in algorithms	to detect and correct	
		then explore	and programs	errors in algorithms	Use logical
		movement within the		and programs	reasoning to
		movement within the			explain

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			context of a maze,			how some simple
			using design to choose			algorithms work
			an appropriately sized			and to detect and
			sprite. This unit also			correct errors in
			introduces			algorithms and
			programming			programs
			extensions, through			
			the use of Pen blocks.			
			Learners are given the			
			opportunity to draw			
			lines with sprites and			
			change the size and			
			colour of lines. The			
			unit concludes with			
			learners designing and			
			coding their own			
			maze-tracing program.			
				Year4/5		
				Children to be taught a	ll points with the	
				expectation that Year 5	have the opportunity	
				to complete additional	points	
Vocabulary	Algorithm, create, command.	Algorithm, blocks, command, debug, execute.	Algorithm, block language, command, debug execute	Algorithm, block language, command.	Algorithm, block language,	Algorithm, block language, command.
	organise, sequence, software, store,	manipulate, organise, scripted, sequence	input, output, loops, manipulate organise, program, repetition,	collaboration, debug, encrypted, execute, HTTP,	collaboration, debug, decomposition,	control, collaboration, debug, decomposition
	program	sequence,	sonpieu, sequence,	input, output, ioops,	encrypied, execute,	decomposition,

		sonware, sprite, store, predict, program, retrieve, reverse, engineer	simulation, sprite, software, store program, physical system, repetition, retrieve, reverse, engineer	manipulate, organise, program, repetition ,scripted, selection, sequence, simulation, sprite, software, store, packets of data, program, physical system, repetition, retrieve, reverse engineer, URL	In TP, input, output loops, manipulate, organise, program, repetition, scripted, selection, sequence, simulation, sprite, software, store, packets of data, program, physical system, repetition, retrieve, reverse, engineer ,URL, variables	encrypted, execute, hardware, HTTP input, IP address, output, loops, manipulate, organise, program, repetition, scripted, selection, sequence, simulation, sprite, software, store, packets of data, program, physical system, repetition, retrieve, reverse, engineer, URL, variables
Assessment Questions	What are the move blocks for?	What is coding? What does it mean to debug a programme?	What is technology? What are some of the common uses of technology outside of school? Can you design, write and debug programmes? How?	What is an algorithm? How do algorithms work? How do you know if there is an error within an algorithm?	What is an algorithm? How do algorithms work? How do you know if there is an error within an algorithm?	What is an algorithm? How do algorithms work? How do you know if there is an error within an algorithm? How do you fix

						that error?
Knowledge	I know that I have to enter and order instructions to move the sprite	I know that I have to enter and order instructions to move the sprite I know when I need to debug my programme and how to do it	I know what technology can be used for To solve problems I need to ensure I break them into smaller, more manageable parts	I know that to execute a programme, precise and unambiguous instructions need to be followed To solve problems I need to ensure I break them into smaller, more manageable parts I know how simple algorithms work To detect errors in my algorithms and programmes I need to test and evaluate my work	I know that to execute a programme, precise and unambiguous instructions need to be followed To solve problems I need to ensure I break them into smaller, more manageable parts I know how simple algorithms work To detect errors in my algorithms and programmes I need to test and evaluate my work	I know that to execute a programme, precise and unambiguous instructions need to be followed To solve problems I need to ensure I break them into smaller, more manageable parts I know how simple algorithms work To detect errors in my algorithms and programmes I need to test and evaluate my work To create my own, challenging levels on code4life I must use previous knowledge to

Information Technology Spreadsheets	Explore spreadsheets in paper form Using Textease CT create a 5 x 5 grid Enter titles Enter information	Explore spreadsheets in paper form Using Textease CT create a 5 x 5 grid Enter titles Enter information	Branching databases. Develop their understanding of what a branching database is and how to create one. They will gain an understanding of what attributes are and how to use them to sort groups of objects by using ves/no	Excel Create a table of information Enter titles for rows and columns Enter information	Excel Create a table of information Enter titles for rows and columns Enter information	challenge my understanding Create a table of information Enter titles for rows and columns Enter information Use a formula to calculate
		Add and remove rows and columns Edit information on spreadsheet	questions. Create physical and on-screen branching databases. Finally, they will evaluate the effectiveness of branching databases and will decide what types of data should be presented as a branching database.	Ose a formula to calculate Create a graphical representation of the data.	Use a formula to calculate Use an 'if' query Create a graphical representation of the data.	Use an 'if' query Answering a question using excel Create a graphical representation of the data.
				Year4/5 Children to be taught a expectation that Year 5 to complete additional	ll points with the have the opportunity points	

Vocabulary	digital content, digital devices, computer, network	Data, digital content, digital devices, network	Data, digital content, digital devices, network, safe search, mode search, technologies, software	Cached, collecting data, digital content, digital devices, network, safe search, mode search, technologies, server, software	Cached, collecting data, digital content, digital devices, evaluating, network ,safe search, mode search, technologies, server, software	Cached, collecting data, digital content, digital devices, evaluating, network ,safe search, mode search, technologies, server, software
Assessment Questions	What is a spreadsheet used for? Why do you need to use titles?	How do you create a grid using Textease? How do you enter information into your Textease table?	How to do convert your table of information into a graphical representation? How do yes/no questions help with the organising of data?	How do you create a table of information? How do you use a formula to calculate	How do you create a table of information? What is an 'if' query?	How do you create a table of information? What is an 'if' query? How do you answer a question using excel?
Knowledge	I know that a spreadsheet is used for displaying information I know that to create a grid using Textease I	I know that to enter information, I need to select the appropriate cell before adding the desired text I know that to add rows and columns	To create questions with yes/no answers To identify the object attributes needed to collect relevant data	I know that to create a table of information I need to create a table and enter the information into the desired cells	I know that an 'if' query is used to run a logical test, and reacts differently depending on whether the result is TRUE or FALSE and I use it to test for a specific condition	I know that an 'if' query is used to run a logical test, and reacts differently depending on whether the result is TRUE or FALSE and I use it to test

	need to	I need to				for a specific condition
Digital Literacy Photo/Video	Taking photos using learn pads and navigate to the gallery to view them	Taking photos and sending them to a shared area (class cloud)	Creating media – animation. Children will use a range of techniques to create a stop-frame animation using tablets. Next, they will apply those skills to create a story- based animation. This unit will conclude with learners adding other types of media to their animation, such as music and text	Taking photos/videos and reviewing them Video an interview and send it via a class cloud Adding stickers and effects to the photo and video Use a photo editing package to alter a photo.	Taking photos/videos and reviewing them Video an interview and send it via a class cloud Adding stickers and effects to the photo and video Edit the video using Moviemaker	Taking photos/videos and reviewing them Video an interview and send it via a class cloud Adding stickers and effects to the photo and video Edit the video using Moviemaker
						Split and snip video on Moviemaker
				Year4/5 Children to be taught all points with the expectation that Year 5 have the opportunity to complete additional points		
Vocabulary	Review, Device, camera, photograph, capture, image, digital	Review, Device, camera, photograph, capture, image, digital	Review, Device, camera, photograph, capture, image, digital Software, Animation	Review, Device, camera, photograph, capture, image, digital Software, Animation, Effects, Image, search, save, copyright,	Review, Device, camera, photograph, capture, image, digital Software, Animation, Effects, Image, search, save, copyright,	Review, Device, camera, photograph, capture, image, digital Software, Animation, Effects,

				composition, edit, save, pixels, crop, rotate, flip Video, audio, recording, capture, zoom, storage, digital, tape	composition, edit, save, pixels, crop, rotate, flip Video, audio, recording, capture, zoom, storage, digital, tape	Image, search, save, copyright, composition, edit, save, pixels, crop, rotate, flip Video, audio, recording, capture, zoom, storage, digital, tape, split and snip
Assessment Questions	How do you take a photo? How do you view your photos?	How do you share that photo to a shared area such as class cloud? How do you access the class cloud?	What is an animation? How do you plan an animation?	How do you share that photo or video to a shared area such as class cloud? How do add stickers and effects to your photo and video? What effect does this have on the video?	How do add stickers and effects to your photo and video? Why would someone need to edit a video? What affect does different video editing software have on the ability to edit a video?	What affect does different video editing software have on the ability to edit a video? How do you cut and snip a video? Why would you need to do this?
Knowledge	I know that to take a photo I need to select the camera option on my device I know that to	I know that to upload my photo to class cloud, I need to	To explain that animation is a sequence of drawings or photographs To relate animated movement with a sequence of images	To upload my photo or video to a shared drive I need to I know that to adding effects to my photo or video can help	I know that to adding effects to my photo or video can help improve the quality of the photo or video	I know that to cut and snip I video I need to upload it to a video editing software and chose appropriate sections of the

view need 'galle devic	r photos I I to select ery' on my ce	To plan an animation To identify the need to work consistently and carefully To review and improve an animation	improve the quality of the photo or video		video to cut out that are not needed
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Year 7 Expectations

- design, use and evaluate computational abstractions that model the state and behaviour of real-world problems and physical systems
- understand several key algorithms that reflect computational thinking [for example, ones for sorting and searching; use logical reasoning to compare the utility of alternative algorithms for the same problem
- use 2 or more programming languages, at least one of which is textual, to solve a variety of computational problems; make appropriate use of data structures [for example, lists, tables or arrays]; design and develop modular programs that use procedures or functions
- understand simple Boolean logic [for example, AND, OR and NOT] and some of its uses in circuits and
 programming; understand how numbers can be represented in binary, and be able to carry out simple
 operations on binary numbers [for example, binary addition, and conversion between binary and decimal]
- understand the hardware and software components that make up computer systems, and how they communicate with one another and with other systems
- understand how instructions are stored and executed within a computer system; understand how data of
 various types (including text, sounds and pictures) can be represented and manipulated digitally, in the form

of binary digits

- undertake creative projects that involve selecting, using, and combining multiple applications, preferably
 across a range of devices, to achieve challenging goals, including collecting and analysing data and meeting
 the needs of known users
- create, reuse, revise and repurpose digital artefacts for a given audience, with attention to trustworthiness, design and usability
- understand a range of ways to use technology safely, respectfully, responsibly and securely, including
 protecting their online identity and privacy; recognise inappropriate content, contact and conduct, and know
 how to report concerns