

FLORENCE MELLY COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL COMPUTING CURRICULUM MAP IF YOU CAN DREAM IT, YOU CAN DO IT!



Computing Long-Term Sequence Content Progression with our BIG IDEAS (Substantive Concepts)

	Nursery	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	
			COMPUTER SCIENCE	COMPUTER SCIENCE	
Autumn 1	DIGITAL LITERACY Using technology safely Pupils learn to recognise who we can trust with information and how that links to the online world.	I am a super surfer! Pupils learn to recognise on and offline technology and how to use it safely with the help of trusted adults.	Basic computing skills	What is a computer?	
			Pupils learn how to log in and shut down a computer accurately and begin to understand the importance of a password.	Pupils learn how to identify a computer's different parts and talk about the role computers play in our society.	
Autumn 2			DIGITAL LITERACY	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	
			Using text-based programs to process and format text and images	Unplugged algorithms	
			Pupils learn how to use a word processing program to write and format text. They add digital images and consider the audience for their work.	Pupils build on their knowledge of what an algorithm is and how we can program computers to use algorithms.	
	COMPUTER SCIENCE Understanding the parts of a computer Pupils learn to recognise the different parts of a computer	COMPUTER SCIENCE Look what I can do Pupils learn that information can be used and created using technology.	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	
Spring 1			Unplugged algorithms	Programming using Scratch Jr.	
			Pupils learn what an unplugged algorithm is and create and apply them to an on-screen program.	Pupils use the Scratch Jr app to write their own block code for several different projects.	
Spring 2			INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	DIGITAL LITERACY	
			Programming, coding and robotics	Storing and presenting data	
			Pupils explore how to control both physical and virtual robots with a sequence of commands.	Pupils are taught what data is, and how we store that data in different ways. Storing data on a computer allows us to quickly sort and present it as information in graphs and charts.	
	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY Using programming devices Pupils use different types of devices & to give and follow instructions.	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY I am a computer scientist Pupils learn cause and effect in computing.	COMPUTER SCIENCE	COMPUTER SCIENCE	
Summer 1			Data collection and representation using Pictograms	Modifying text and images	
			Pupils explore how to transfer physical data from a tally chart into a digital pictogram. They compare the difference with creating a physical pictogram.	Pupils look at software they can use to present their work. They will expansion previous skills such as using a keyboard, formatting text and how to use images in their work.	
			COMPUTER SCIENCE		
Summer 2			Presenting information	Presenting information	
			Pupils consider a variety of ways to present cross-curricular information digitally, and compare the advantages and disadvantages with paper-based content.	Pupils explore and learn how to present information to an audience using technology.	



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	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Autumn 1	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
	Composing emails	Branching databases	Create and search databases	Creating formula in Excel
	Pupils explore the different advanced features of Microsoft Word. They will also use these skills to compose an email.	Pupils learn about the concept of a branching database and create their own using presentation software.	Pupils use Excel to create and search a database.	Pupils learn how to organise data and make calculat using the application Microsoft Excel.
Autumn 2	COMPUTER SCIENCE	COMPUTER SCIENCE	COMPUTER SCIENCE	COMPUTER SCIENCE
	Introduction to Scratch	Repetition and forever loops	Using variables	Edublocks - Introduction to Python
	Pupils learn how to program sprites using a range of blocks to add animation, sound and other effects	Pupils learn to use repetition and loops when coding.	Pupils identify different types of variables, what conditionals are and understand how variables are used in computer programming.	Pupils learn how block-based programming compare written code. Pupils will be introduced to Python a text-based method of programming.
Spring 1	COMPUTER SCIENCE	COMPUTER SCIENCE	COMPUTER SCIENCE	COMPUTER SCIENCE
	Prediction and debugging	Designing a game	Coding using Micro:Bits	Programming a game
	Pupils learn how to use prediction when coding to test and debug written programs.	Pupils use their knowledge of Scratch to create a Formula One style game.	Pupils program Micro:Bit to make a variety of practical and usable devices.	Using the application Scratch, pupils will create a interactive, playable game using conditionals, varial and operators.
Spring 2	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
	Altering media	Making a special effects movie	Stop motion animation	Creating a podcast
	Pupils look at the skills behind taking a good photograph and how these photos can be edited in various ways.	Pupils create their own videos and apply special effects to them.	Pupils learn about all aspects of stop frame animation. They storyboard their own story before using a software package to create their own stop frame animation.	Pupils will produce a podcast based on a piece of writing from another curriculum area or aspect of school life.
Summer 1	COMPUTER SCIENCE	DIGITAL LITERACY	COMPUTER SCIENCE	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
	Inside a computer	Smarter searching and online safety	The Internet and the World Wide Web	HTML
	Pupils identify the different parts of a computer and explore how computers have evolved over the last 100 years.	Pupils gain awareness of the best ways to use a search engine and to continue to develop awareness of online dangers.	Pupils learn the difference between the WWW and the internet. They also explore what is meant by IP address.	Pupils will learn how to design a multi-page informational website, considering the layout, user experience and key features including home page, links and images.
Summer 2	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	Social media and being safe online
	Publishing online content		3D modelling	Pupils will learn about the purpose of social media
	Pupils are introduced to graphic design, marketing, and will develop their publishing skills.	Pixel art Pupils create a piece of pixel artwork using a grid format.	Children learn to design models using online CAD software.	different aspects of social media and how to use safely