



Computing Knowledge and Skills Progression

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| | Year 3 | Year 4 | Year 5 | Year 6 |
| Autumn 1 | <p><u>Connecting Computers</u> Use sequence, selection, and repetition in programs; work with variables and various forms of input and output.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>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.</p> | <p><u>The internet</u> 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.</p> <p>Use search technologies effectively, appreciate how results are selected and ranked, and be discerning in evaluating digital content.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>Use technology safely, respectfully and responsibly; recognise acceptable/unacceptable behaviour; identify a range of ways to report concerns about content and contact.</p> | <p><u>Sharing information</u> 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.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>Use technology safely, respectfully and responsibly; recognise acceptable/unacceptable behaviour; identify a range of ways to report concerns about content and contact.</p> | <p><u>Internet communication</u> Design, write and debug programs that accomplish specific goals, including controlling or simulating physical systems; solve problems by decomposing them into smaller parts.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>Use technology safely, respectfully and responsibly; recognise acceptable/unacceptable behaviour; identify a range of ways to report concerns about content and contact.</p> |
| Autumn 2 | <p><u>Stop-frame animation</u> 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.</p> | <p><u>Audio production</u> Use search technologies effectively, appreciate how results are selected and ranked, and be discerning in evaluating digital content.</p> <p>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,</p> | <p><u>Video production</u> Use search technologies effectively, appreciate how results are selected and ranked, and be discerning in evaluating digital content.</p> <p>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,</p> | <p><u>Webpage creation</u> Use search technologies effectively, appreciate how results are selected and ranked, and be discerning in evaluating digital content.</p> <p>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,</p> |



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| Spring 1 | <p><u>Sequencing sounds</u> Design, write and debug programs that accomplish specific goals, including controlling or simulating physical systems; solve problems by decomposing them into smaller parts.</p> <p>Use sequence, selection, and repetition in programs; work with variables and various forms of input and output.</p> <p>Use logical reasoning to explain how some simple algorithms work and to detect and correct errors in algorithms and programs.</p> <p>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.</p> | <p><u>Repetition in shapes</u> Design, write and debug programs that accomplish specific goals, including controlling or simulating physical systems; solve problems by decomposing them into smaller parts.</p> <p>Use sequence, selection, and repetition in programs; work with variables and various forms of input and output.</p> <p>Use logical reasoning to explain how some simple algorithms work and to detect and correct errors in algorithms and programs.</p> <p>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.</p> | <p><u>Selection in physical computing</u> Design, write and debug programs that accomplish specific goals, including controlling or simulating physical systems; solve problems by decomposing them into smaller parts.</p> <p>Use sequence, selection, and repetition in programs; work with variables and various forms of input and output.</p> <p>Use logical reasoning to explain how some simple algorithms work and to detect and correct errors in algorithms and programs.</p> <p>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.</p> | <p><u>Variables in games</u> Design, write and debug programs that accomplish specific goals, including controlling or simulating physical systems; solve problems by decomposing them into smaller parts.</p> <p>Use sequence, selection, and repetition in programs; work with variables and various forms of input and output.</p> <p>Use logical reasoning to explain how some simple algorithms work and to detect and correct errors in algorithms and programs.</p> <p>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.</p> |
| Spring 2 | <p><u>Branching databases</u> 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.</p> | <p><u>Data Logging</u> Use sequence, selection, and repetition in programs; work with variables and various forms of input and output. 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,</p> | <p><u>Flat-file databases</u> 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,</p> | <p><u>Introduction to spreadsheets</u> 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.</p> |



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| Summer 1 | <p>Desktop publishing Use search technologies effectively, appreciate how results are selected and ranked, and be discerning in evaluating digital content.</p> <p>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.</p> | <p>Photo editing Use search technologies effectively, appreciate how results are selected and ranked, and be discerning in evaluating digital content.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>Use technology safely, respectfully and responsibly; recognise acceptable/unacceptable behaviour; identify a range of ways to report concerns about content and contact.</p> | <p>Vector drawing 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.</p> | <p>3D Modelling 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.</p> <p>Use technology safely, respectfully and responsibly; recognise acceptable/unacceptable behaviour; identify a range of ways to report concerns about content and contact.</p> |
| Summer 2 | <p>Events and actions in programs Design, write and debug programs that accomplish specific goals, including controlling or simulating physical systems; solve problems by decomposing them into smaller parts.</p> <p>Use sequence, selection, and repetition in programs; work with variables and various forms of input and output.</p> <p>Use logical reasoning to explain how some simple algorithms work and to detect and correct errors in algorithms and programs.</p> <p>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</p> | <p>Repetition in games Design, write and debug programs that accomplish specific goals, including controlling or simulating physical systems; solve problems by decomposing them into smaller parts.</p> <p>Use sequence, selection, and repetition in programs; work with variables and various forms of input and output.</p> <p>Use logical reasoning to explain how some simple algorithms work and to detect and correct errors in algorithms and programs.</p> <p>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</p> | <p>Selection in quizzes Use sequence, selection, and repetition in programs; work with variables and various forms of input and output.</p> <p>Use logical reasoning to explain how some simple algorithms work and to detect and correct errors in algorithms and programs.</p> <p>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.</p> | <p>Sensing Design, write and debug programs that accomplish specific goals, including controlling or simulating physical systems; solve problems by decomposing them into smaller parts.</p> <p>Use sequence, selection, and repetition in programs; work with variables and various forms of input and output.</p> <p>Use logical reasoning to explain how some simple algorithms work and to detect and correct errors in algorithms and programs.</p> <p>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</p> |



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| Autumn 1 | <p>To explain how digital devices function</p> <p>I can explain that digital devices accept inputs</p> <p>I can explain that digital devices produce outputs</p> <p>I can follow a process</p> <p>To identify input and output devices</p> <p>I can classify input and output devices</p> <p>I can describe a simple process</p> <p>I can design a digital device</p> <p>To recognise how digital devices can change the way that we work</p> <p>I can explain how I use digital devices for different activities</p> <p>I can recognise similarities between using digital devices and using non-digital tools</p> <p>I can suggest differences between using digital devices and using non-digital tools</p> <p>To explain how a computer network can be used to share information</p> <p>I can recognise different connections</p> <p>I can explain how messages are passed through multiple connections</p> <p>I can discuss why we need a network switch</p> <p>To explore how digital devices can be connected</p> <p>I can recognise that a computer network is made up of a number of devices</p> <p>I can demonstrate how information can be passed between devices</p> <p>I can explain the role of a switch, server, and wireless access point in a network</p> | <p>To describe how networks physically connect to other networks</p> <p>I can describe the internet as a network of networks</p> <p>I can demonstrate how information is shared across the internet</p> <p>I can discuss why a network needs protecting</p> <p>To recognise how networked devices make up the internet</p> <p>I can describe networked devices and how they connect</p> <p>I can explain that the internet is used to provide many services</p> <p>I can recognise that the World Wide Web contains websites and web pages</p> <p>To outline how websites can be shared via the World Wide Web (WWW)</p> <p>I can explain the types of media that can be shared on the WWW</p> <p>I can describe where websites are stored when uploaded to the WWW</p> <p>I can describe how to access websites on the WWW</p> <p>To describe how content can be added and accessed on the World Wide Web (WWW)</p> <p>I can explain what media can be found on websites</p> <p>I can recognise that I can add content to the WWW</p> | <p>To explain that computers can be connected together to form systems</p> <p>I can explain that systems are built using a number of parts</p> <p>I can describe the input, process, and output of a digital system</p> <p>I can explain that computer systems communicate with other devices</p> <p>To recognise the role of computer systems in our lives</p> <p>I can identify tasks that are managed by computer systems</p> <p>I can identify the human elements of a computer system</p> <p>I can explain the benefits of a given computer system</p> <p>To identify how to use a search engine</p> <p>I can make use of a web search to find specific information</p> <p>I can refine my web search</p> <p>I can compare results from different search engines</p> <p>To describe how search engines select results</p> <p>I can explain why we need tools to find things online</p> <p>I can recognise the role of web crawlers in creating an index</p> <p>I can relate a search term to the search engine's index</p> <p>To explain how search results are ranked</p> <p>I can order a list by rank</p> <p>I can explain that a search engine follows rules to rank results</p> | <p>To identify how to use a search engine</p> <p>I can complete a web search to find specific information</p> <p>I can refine my search</p> <p>I can compare results from different search engines</p> <p>To describe how search engines select results</p> <p>I can explain why we need tools to find things online</p> <p>I can recognise the role of web crawlers in creating an index</p> <p>I can relate a search term to the search engine's index</p> <p>To explain how search results are ranked</p> <p>I can explain that search results are ordered</p> <p>I can explain that a search engine follows rules to rank relevant pages</p> <p>I can suggest some of the criteria that a search engine checks to decide on the order of results</p> <p>To recognise why the order of results is important, and to whom</p> <p>I can describe some of the ways that search results can be influenced</p> <p>I can recognise some of the limitations of search engines</p> <p>I can explain how search engines make money</p> <p>To recognise how we communicate using technology</p> |



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| | <p>To recognise the physical components of a network</p> <p>I can identify how devices in a network are connected together</p> <p>I can identify networked devices around me</p> <p>I can identify the benefits of computer networks</p> | <p>I can explain that internet services can be used to create content online</p> <p>To recognise how the content of the WWW is created by people</p> <p>I can explain that websites and their content are created by people</p> <p>I can suggest who owns the content on websites</p> <p>I can explain that there are rules to protect content</p> <p>To evaluate the consequences of unreliable content</p> <p>I can explain that not everything on the World Wide Web is true</p> <p>I can explain why some information I find online may not be honest, accurate, or legal</p> <p>I can explain why I need to think carefully before I share or reshare content</p> | <p>I can give examples of criteria used by search engines to rank results</p> <p>To recognise why the order of results is important, and to whom</p> <p>I can describe some of the ways that search results can be influenced</p> <p>I can recognise some of the limitations of search engines</p> <p>I can explain how search engines make money</p> | <p>I can explain the different ways in which people communicate</p> <p>I can identify that there are a variety of ways of communicating over the internet</p> <p>I can choose methods of communication to suit particular purposes</p> <p>To evaluate different methods of online communication</p> <p>I can compare different methods of communicating on the internet</p> <p>I can decide when I should and should not share</p> <p>I can explain that communication on the internet may not be private</p> |
| Autumn 2 | <p>To explain that animation is a sequence of drawings or photographs</p> <p>I can draw a sequence of pictures</p> <p>I can create an effective flipbook—style animation</p> <p>I can explain how an animation/flip book works</p> <p>To relate animated movement with a sequence of images</p> <p>I can predict what an animation will look like</p> <p>I can explain why little changes are needed for each frame</p> <p>I can create an effective stop-frame animation</p> <p>To plan an animation</p> <p>I can break down a story into settings, characters and events</p> <p>I can describe an animation that is achievable on screen</p> <p>I can create a storyboard</p> <p>To identify the need to work consistently and carefully</p> <p>I can use onion skinning to help me make small changes between frames</p> | <p>To identify that sound can be recorded</p> <p>I can identify the input and output devices used to record and play sound</p> <p>I can use a computer to record audio</p> <p>I can explain that the person who records the sound can say who is allowed to use it</p> <p>To explain that audio recordings can be edited</p> <p>I can re-record my voice to improve my recording</p> <p>I can inspect the soundwave view to know where to trim my recording</p> <p>I can discuss what sounds can be added to a podcast</p> <p>To recognise the different parts of creating a podcast project</p> <p>I can explain how sounds can be combined to make a podcast more engaging</p> <p>I can save my project so the different parts remain editable</p> <p>I can plan appropriate content for a podcast</p> | <p>To identify that drawing tools can be used to produce different outcomes</p> <p>I can recognise that vector drawings are made using shapes</p> <p>I can experiment with the shape and line tools</p> <p>I can discuss how vector drawings are different from paper-based drawings</p> <p>To create a vector drawing by combining shapes</p> <p>I can identify the shapes used to make a vector drawing</p> <p>I can explain that each element added to a vector drawing is an object</p> <p>I can move, resize, and rotate objects I have duplicated</p> <p>To use tools to achieve a desired effect</p> <p>I can use the zoom tool to help me add detail to my drawings</p> <p>I can explain how alignment grids and resize handles can be used to improve consistency</p> <p>I can modify objects to create a new image</p> | <p>To recognise that you can work in three dimensions on a computer</p> <p>I can add 3D shapes to a project</p> <p>I can view 3D shapes from different perspectives</p> <p>I can move 3D shapes relative to one another</p> <p>To identify that digital 3D objects can be modified</p> <p>I can resize an object in three dimensions</p> <p>I can lift/lower 3D objects</p> <p>I can recolour a 3D object</p> <p>To recognise that objects can be combined in a 3D model</p> <p>I can rotate objects in three dimensions</p> <p>I can duplicate 3D objects</p> <p>I can group 3D objects</p> <p>To create a 3D model for a given purpose</p> <p>I can accurately size 3D objects</p> <p>I can show that placeholders can create holes in 3D objects</p> <p>I can combine a number of 3D objects</p> <p>To plan my own 3D model</p> <p>I can analyse a 3D model</p> |



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| | <p>I can review a sequence of frames to check my work</p> <p>I can evaluate the quality of my animation</p> <p>To review and improve an animation</p> <p>I can explain ways to make my animation better</p> <p>I can evaluate another learner's animation</p> <p>I can improve my animation based on feedback</p> <p>To evaluate the impact of adding other media to an animation</p> <p>I can add other media to my animation</p> <p>I can explain why I added other media to my animation</p> <p>I can evaluate my final film</p> | <p>To apply audio editing skills independently</p> <p>I can record content following my plan</p> <p>I can review the quality of my recordings</p> <p>I can improve my voice recordings</p> <p>To combine audio to enhance my podcast project</p> <p>I can open my project to continue working on it</p> <p>I can arrange multiple sounds to create the effect I want</p> <p>I can explain the difference between saving a project and exporting an audio file</p> <p>To evaluate the effective use of audio</p> <p>I can listen to an audio recording to identify its strengths</p> <p>I can suggest improvements to an audio recording</p> <p>I can choose appropriate edits to improve my podcast</p> | <p>To recognise that vector drawings consist of layers</p> <p>I can identify that each added object creates a new layer in the drawing</p> <p>I can change the order of layers in a vector drawing</p> <p>I can use layering to create an image</p> <p>To group objects to make them easier to work with</p> <p>I can copy part of a drawing by duplicating several objects</p> <p>I can recognise when I need to group and ungroup objects</p> <p>I can reuse a group of objects to further develop my vector drawing</p> <p>To apply what I have learned about vector drawings</p> <p>I can create a vector drawing for a specific purpose</p> <p>I can reflect on the skills I have used and why I have used them</p> <p>I can compare vector drawings to freehand paint drawings</p> | <p>I can choose objects to use in a 3D model</p> <p>I can combine objects in a design</p> <p>To create my own digital 3D model</p> <p>I can construct a 3D model based on a design</p> <p>I can explain how my 3D model could be improved</p> <p>I can modify my 3D model to improve it</p> |
| Spring 1 | <p>To recognise how text and images convey information</p> <p>I can explain the difference between text and images</p> <p>I can recognise that text and images can communicate messages clearly</p> <p>I can identify the advantages and disadvantages of using text and images</p> <p>To recognise that text and layout can be edited</p> <p>I can change font style, size, and colours for a given purpose</p> <p>I can edit text</p> <p>I can explain that text can be changed to communicate more clearly</p> <p>To choose appropriate page settings</p> <p>I can explain what 'page orientation' means</p> <p>I can recognise placeholders and say why they are important</p> | <p>To explain that the composition of digital images can be changed</p> <p>I can improve an image by rotating it</p> <p>I can explain why I might crop an image</p> <p>I can use photo editing software to crop an image</p> <p>To explain that colours can be changed in digital images</p> <p>I can explain that different colour effects make you think and feel different things</p> <p>I can experiment with different colour effects</p> <p>I can explain why I chose certain colour effects</p> | <p>To explain what makes a video effective</p> <p>I can explain that video is a visual media format</p> <p>I can identify features of videos</p> <p>I can compare features in different videos</p> <p>To use a digital device to record video</p> <p>I can identify and find features on a digital video recording device</p> <p>I can experiment with different camera angles</p> <p>I can make use of a microphone</p> <p>To capture video using a range of techniques</p> <p>I can suggest filming techniques for a given purpose</p> <p>I can capture video using a range of filming techniques</p> <p>I can review how effective my video is</p> <p>To create a storyboard</p> | <p>To review an existing website and consider its structure</p> <p>I can explore a website</p> <p>I can discuss the different types of media used on websites</p> <p>I know that websites are written in HTML</p> <p>To plan the features of a web page</p> <p>I can recognise the common features of a web page</p> <p>I can suggest media to include on my page</p> <p>I can draw a web page layout that suits my purpose</p> <p>To consider the ownership and use of images (copyright)</p> <p>I can say why I should use copyright-free images</p> <p>I can find copyright-free images</p> <p>I can describe what is meant by the term 'fair use'</p> |



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| | <p>I can create a template for a particular purpose</p> <p>To add content to a desktop publishing publication</p> <p>I can choose the best locations for my content</p> <p>I can paste text and images to create a magazine cover</p> <p>I can make changes to content after I've added it</p> <p>To consider how different layouts can suit different purposes</p> <p>I can identify different layouts</p> <p>I can match a layout to a purpose</p> <p>I can choose a suitable layout for a given purpose</p> <p>To consider the benefits of desktop publishing</p> <p>I can identify the uses of desktop publishing in the real world</p> <p>I can say why desktop publishing might be helpful</p> <p>I can compare work made on desktop publishing to work created by hand</p> | <p>To explain how cloning can be used in photo editing</p> <p>I can add to the composition of an image by cloning</p> <p>I can identify how a photo edit can be improved</p> <p>I can remove parts of an image using cloning</p> <p>To explain that images can be combined</p> <p>I can experiment with tools to select and copy part of an image</p> <p>I can use a range of tools to copy between images</p> <p>I can explain why photos might be edited</p> <p>To combine images for a purpose</p> <p>I can describe the image I want to create</p> <p>I can choose suitable images for my project</p> <p>I can create a project that is a combination of other images</p> <p>To evaluate how changes can improve an image</p> <p>I can review images against a given criteria</p> <p>I can use feedback to guide making changes</p> <p>I can combine text and my image to complete the project</p> | <p>I can outline the scenes of my video</p> <p>I can decide which filming techniques I will use</p> <p>I can create and save video content</p> <p>To identify that video can be improved through reshooting and editing</p> <p>I can store, retrieve, and export my recording to a computer</p> <p>I can explain how to improve a video by reshooting and editing</p> <p>I can select the correct tools to make edits to my video</p> <p>To consider the impact of the choices made when making and sharing a video</p> <p>I can make edits to my video and improve the final outcome</p> <p>I can recognise that my choices when making a video will impact the quality of the final outcome</p> <p>I can evaluate my video and share my opinions</p> | <p>To recognise the need to preview pages</p> <p>I can add content to my own web page</p> <p>I can preview what my web page looks like</p> <p>I can evaluate what my web page looks like on different devices and suggest/make edits.</p> <p>To outline the need for a navigation path</p> <p>I can explain what a navigation path is</p> <p>I can describe why navigation paths are useful</p> <p>I can make multiple web pages and link them using hyperlinks</p> <p>To recognise the implications of linking to content owned by other people</p> <p>I can explain the implication of linking to content owned by others</p> <p>I can create hyperlinks to link to other people's work</p> <p>I can evaluate the user experience of a website</p> |
| Spring 2 | <p>To create questions with yes/no answers</p> <p>I can investigate questions with yes/no answers</p> <p>I can make up a yes/no question about a collection of objects</p> <p>I can create two groups of objects separated by one attribute</p> | <p>To explain that data gathered over time can be used to answer questions</p> <p>I can choose a data set to answer a given question</p> <p>I can suggest questions that can be answered using a given data set</p> <p>I can identify data that can be gathered over time</p> | <p>To use a form to record information</p> <p>I can create a database using cards</p> <p>I can explain how information can be recorded</p> <p>I can order, sort, and group my data cards</p> <p>To compare paper and computer-based databases</p> | <p>To create a data set in a spreadsheet</p> <p>I can collect data</p> <p>I can suggest how to structure my data</p> <p>I can enter data into a spreadsheet</p> <p>To build a data set in a spreadsheet</p> <p>I can explain what an item of data is</p> |



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| | <p>To identify the attributes needed to collect data about an object I can select an attribute to separate objects into groups I can create a group of objects within an existing group I can arrange objects into a tree structure To create a branching database I can select objects to arrange in a branching database I can group objects using my own yes/no questions I can test my branching database to see if it works To explain why it is helpful for a database to be well structured I can create yes/no questions using given attributes I can compare two branching database structures I can explain that questions need to be ordered carefully to split objects into similarly sized groups To plan the structure of a branching database I can independently create questions to use in a branching database I can create questions that will enable objects to be uniquely identified I can create a physical version of a branching database To independently create an identification tool I can create a branching database that reflects my plan I can work with a partner to test my identification tool I can suggest real-world uses for branching databases</p> | <p>To use a digital device to collect data automatically I can explain what data can be collected using sensors I can use data from a sensor to answer a given question I can identify that data from sensors can be recorded To explain that a data logger collects 'data points' from sensors over time I can recognise that a data logger collects data at given points I can identify the intervals used to collect data I can talk about the data that I have captured To recognise how a computer can help us analyse data I can view data at different levels of detail I can sort data to find information I can explain that there are different ways to view data To identify the data needed to answer questions I can propose a question that can be answered using logged data I can plan how to collect data using a data logger I can use a data logger to collect data To use data from sensors to answer questions I can interpret data that has been collected using a data logger I can draw conclusions from the data that I have collected I can explain the benefits of using a data logger</p> | <p>I can explain what a field and a record is in a database I can navigate a flat-file database to compare different views of information I can choose which field to sort data by to answer a given question To outline how you can answer questions by grouping and then sorting data I can explain that data can be grouped using chosen values I can group information using a database I can combine grouping and sorting to answer specific questions To explain that tools can be used to select specific data I can choose which field and value are required to answer a given question I can outline how 'AND' and 'OR' can be used to refine data selection I can choose multiple criteria to answer a given question To explain that computer programs can be used to compare data visually I can select an appropriate chart to visually compare data I can refine a chart by selecting a particular filter I can explain the benefits of using a computer to create charts To use a real-world database to answer questions I can ask questions that will need more than one field to answer I can refine a search in a real-world context I can present my findings to a group</p> | <p>I can choose an appropriate format for a cell I can apply an appropriate format to a cell To explain that formulas can be used to produce calculated data I can explain which data types can be used in calculations I can construct a formula in a spreadsheet I can identify that changing inputs changes outputs To apply formulas to data I can calculate data using different operations I can create a formula which includes a range of cells I can apply a formula to multiple cells by duplicating it To create a spreadsheet to plan an event I can use a spreadsheet to answer questions I can explain why data should be organised I can apply a formula to calculate the data I need to answer questions To choose suitable ways to present data I can produce a chart I can use a chart to show the answer to a question I can suggest when to use a table or chart</p> |
| <p>Summer 1</p> | <p>To explore a new programming environment I can identify the objects in a Scratch project (sprites, backdrops)</p> | <p>To identify that accuracy in programming is important I can program a computer by typing commands</p> | <p>To control a simple circuit connected to a computer I can create a simple circuit and connect it to a microcontroller</p> | <p>To define a 'variable' as something that is changeable I can identify examples of information that is variable</p> |



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| | <p>I can explain that objects in Scratch have attributes (linked to)</p> <p>I can recognise that commands in Scratch are represented as blocks</p> <p>To identify that commands have an outcome</p> <p>I can identify that each sprite is controlled by the commands I choose</p> <p>I can choose a word which describes an on-screen action for my plan</p> <p>I can create a program following a design</p> <p>To explain that a program has a start</p> <p>I can start a program in different ways</p> <p>I can create a sequence of connected commands</p> <p>I can explain that the objects in my project will respond exactly to the code</p> <p>To recognise that a sequence of commands can have an order</p> <p>I can explain what a sequence is</p> <p>I can combine sound commands</p> <p>I can order notes into a sequence</p> <p>To change the appearance of my project</p> <p>I can build a sequence of commands</p> <p>I can decide the actions for each sprite in a program</p> <p>I can make design choices for my artwork</p> <p>To create a project from a task description</p> <p>I can identify and name the objects I will need for a project</p> <p>I can relate a task description to a design</p> <p>I can implement my algorithm as code</p> | <p>I can explain the effect of changing a value of a command</p> <p>I can create a code snippet for a given purpose</p> <p>To create a program in a text-based language</p> <p>I can use a template to draw what I want my program to do</p> <p>I can write an algorithm to produce a given outcome</p> <p>I can test my algorithm in a text-based language</p> <p>To explain what 'repeat' means</p> <p>I can identify repetition in everyday tasks</p> <p>I can identify patterns in a sequence</p> <p>I can use a count-controlled loop to produce a given outcome</p> <p>To modify a count-controlled loop to produce a given outcome</p> <p>I can identify the effect of changing the number of times a task is repeated</p> <p>I can predict the outcome of a program containing a count-controlled loop</p> <p>I can choose which values to change in a loop</p> <p>To decompose a task into small steps</p> <p>I can identify 'chunks' of actions in the real world</p> <p>I can use a procedure in a program</p> <p>I can explain that a computer can repeatedly call a procedure</p> <p>To create a program that uses count-controlled loops to produce a given outcome</p> <p>I can design a program that includes count-controlled loops</p> <p>I can make use of my design to write a program</p> <p>I can develop my program by debugging it</p> | <p>I can program a microcontroller to make an LED switch on</p> <p>I can explain what an infinite loop does</p> <p>To write a program that includes count-controlled loops</p> <p>I can connect more than one output component to a microcontroller</p> <p>I can use a count-controlled loop to control outputs</p> <p>I can design sequences that use count-controlled loops</p> <p>To explain that a loop can stop when a condition is met</p> <p>I can explain that a condition is either true or false</p> <p>I can design a conditional loop</p> <p>I can program a microcontroller to respond to an input</p> <p>To explain that a loop can be used to repeatedly check whether a condition has been met</p> <p>I can explain that a condition being met can start an action</p> <p>I can identify a condition and an action in my project</p> <p>I can use selection (an 'if...then...' statement) to direct the flow of a program</p> <p>To design a physical project that includes selection</p> <p>I can identify a real-world example of a condition starting an action</p> <p>I can describe what my project will do</p> <p>I can create a detailed drawing of my project</p> <p>To create a program that controls a physical computing project</p> <p>I can write an algorithm that describes what my model will do</p> <p>I can use selection to produce an intended outcome</p> <p>I can test and debug my project</p> | <p>I can explain that the way a variable changes can be defined</p> <p>I can identify that variables can hold numbers or letters</p> <p>To explain why a variable is used in a program</p> <p>I can identify a program variable as a placeholder in memory for a single value</p> <p>I can explain that a variable has a name and a value</p> <p>I can recognise that the value of a variable can be changed</p> <p>To choose how to improve a game by using variables</p> <p>I can decide where in a program to change a variable</p> <p>I can make use of an event in a program to set a variable</p> <p>I can recognise that the value of a variable can be used by a program</p> <p>To design a project that builds on a given example</p> <p>I can choose the artwork for my project</p> <p>I can create algorithms for my project</p> <p>I can explain my design choices</p> <p>To use my design to create a project</p> <p>I can create the artwork for my project</p> <p>I can choose a name that identifies the role of a variable</p> <p>I can test the code that I have written</p> <p>To evaluate my project</p> <p>I can identify ways that my game could be improved</p> <p>I can use variables to extend my game</p> <p>I can share my game with others</p> |
| <p>Summer 2</p> | <p>To explain how a sprite moves in an existing project</p> | <p>To develop the use of count-controlled loops in a different programming environment</p> | <p>To explain how selection is used in computer programs</p> | <p>To create a program to run on a controllable device</p> |



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| | <p>I can explain the relationship between an event and an action</p> <p>I can choose which keys to use for actions and explain my choices</p> <p>I can identify a way to improve a program</p> <p>To create a program to move a sprite in four directions</p> <p>I can choose a character for my project</p> <p>I can choose a suitable size for a character in a maze</p> <p>I can program movement</p> <p>To adapt a program to a new context</p> <p>I can use a programming extension</p> <p>I can consider the real world when making design choices</p> <p>I can choose blocks to set up my program</p> <p>To develop my program by adding features</p> <p>I can identify additional features (from a given set of blocks)</p> <p>I can choose suitable keys to turn on additional features</p> <p>I can build more sequences of commands to make my design work</p> <p>To identify and fix bugs in a program</p> <p>I can test a program against a given design</p> <p>I can match a piece of code to an outcome</p> <p>I can modify a program using a design</p> <p>To design and create a maze-based challenge</p> <p>I can make design choices and justify them</p> <p>I can implement my design</p> <p>I can evaluate my project</p> | <p>I can list an everyday task as a set of instructions including repetition</p> <p>I can predict the outcome of a snippet of code</p> <p>I can modify a snippet of code to create a given outcome</p> <p>To explain that in programming there are infinite loops and count-controlled loops</p> <p>I can modify loops to produce a given outcome</p> <p>I can choose when to use a count-controlled and an infinite loop</p> <p>I can recognise that some programming languages enable more than one process to be run at once</p> <p>To develop a design that includes two or more loops which run at the same time</p> <p>I can choose which action will be repeated for each object</p> <p>I can explain what the outcome of the repeated action should be</p> <p>I can evaluate the effectiveness of the repeated sequences used in my program</p> <p>To modify an infinite loop in a given program</p> <p>I can identify which parts of a loop can be changed</p> <p>I can explain the effect of my changes</p> <p>I can re-use existing code snippets on new sprites</p> <p>To design a project that includes repetition</p> <p>I can evaluate the use of repetition in a project</p> <p>I can select key parts of a given project to use in my own design</p> <p>I can develop my own design explaining what my project will do</p> <p>To create a project that includes repetition</p> <p>I can refine the algorithm in my design</p> <p>I can build a program that follows my design</p> | <p>I can recall how conditions are used in selection</p> <p>I can identify conditions in a program</p> <p>I can modify a condition in a program</p> <p>To relate that a conditional statement connects a condition to an outcome</p> <p>I can use selection in an infinite loop to check a condition</p> <p>I can identify the condition and outcomes in an 'if... then... else... ' statement</p> <p>I can create a program that uses selection to produce different outcomes</p> <p>To explain how selection directs the flow of a program</p> <p>I can explain that program flow can branch according to a condition</p> <p>I can design the flow of a program that contains 'if... then... else... '</p> <p>I can show that a condition can direct program flow in one of two ways</p> <p>To design a program that uses selection</p> <p>I can outline a given task</p> <p>I can use a design format to outline my project</p> <p>I can identify the outcome of user input in an algorithm</p> <p>To create a program that uses selection</p> <p>I can implement my algorithm to create the first section of my program</p> <p>I can test my program</p> <p>I can share my program with others</p> <p>To evaluate my program</p> <p>I can identify ways the program could be improved</p> <p>I can identify the setup code I need in my program</p> <p>I can extend my program further</p> | <p>I can apply my knowledge of programming to a new environment</p> <p>I can test my program on an emulator</p> <p>I can transfer my program to a controllable device</p> <p>To explain that selection can control the flow of a program</p> <p>I can identify examples of conditions in the real world</p> <p>I can use a variable in an if, then, else statement to select the flow of a program</p> <p>I can determine the flow of a program using selection</p> <p>To update a variable with a user input</p> <p>I can use a condition to change a variable</p> <p>I can experiment with different physical inputs</p> <p>I can explain that checking a variable doesn't change its value</p> <p>To use an conditional statement to compare a variable to a value</p> <p>I can use an operand (e.g. <=>) in an if, then statement</p> <p>I can explain the importance of the order of conditions in else, if statements</p> <p>I can modify a program to achieve a different outcome</p> <p>To design a project that uses inputs and outputs on a controllable device</p> <p>I can decide what variables to include in a project</p> <p>I can design the algorithm for my project</p> <p>I can design the program flow for my project</p> <p>To develop a program to use inputs and outputs on a controllable device</p> <p>I can create a program based on my design</p> <p>I can test my program against my design</p> <p>I can use a range of approaches to find and fix bugs</p> |
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