

Our Curriculum for Computing

Aims

At Totley All Saints, we aim 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
- are responsible, competent, confident and creative users of information and communication technology.

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Year	Autumn I	Autumn II	Spring I	Spring II	Summer I	Summer II	
FS2	We Control Technology 1a - What is a Computer? 1b - We Control Technology 1c - Tinkering: Bee-Bots		Communication: Multimedia 2a - Digital Art 2b - Sound & Music 2c - Photographs 2d - Films & Animation 2e - eBooks		Communication: Data 3a - Counting 3b — Sorting		
	Strand 0 Key Skills	Strand 1 Communicating: Text and Images	Strand 4 Programming A	Strand 2 Communicating: Multimedia	Strand 5 Programming B	Strand 3 Understanding and sharing data	
Y1	 What is a computer? Mouse and Keyboard skills Logging on Opening & saving work Organising files Searching for information 	How do I use the school computer independently?	What is an algorithm?	How do I record sounds and pictures?	What is a program?	How do I present data using pictures?	



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Y2	 What is a computer? Mouse and Keyboard skills Logging on Opening & saving work Organising files Searching for information 	How do I use a computer as a writer?	How do I improve my algorithms?	How do I create a multimedia story?	How do I improve my programs?	What is a branching database?
	Strand 0	Strand 1	Strand 4	Strand 2	Strand 5	Strand 3
	Key Skills	Communicating: Text and Images	Programming A	Communicating: Multimedia	Programming B	Understanding and sharing data
Y3	 What is a computer? Mouse and Keyboard skills Logging on Opening & saving work Organising files Searching for information 	How do I use a computer as an artist?	How do I use repetition in programs?	How do I use a computer as a musician?	How do I use forever loops in programs?	How do we use databases to find out information?
Y4	 What is a computer? Mouse and Keyboard skills Logging on Opening & saving work Organising files Searching for information 	How do I use a computer as an artist?	How do I write efficient programs?	What makes and excellent multimedia story?	How do I use selection in a program?	How is data shared online?



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	Strand 0 Key Skills	Strand 1 Communicating: Text and Images	Strand 4 Programming A	Strand 2 Communicating: Multimedia	Strand 5 Programming B	Strand 3 Understanding and sharing data
Y 5	 What is a computer? Mouse and Keyboard skills Logging on Opening & saving work Organising files Searching for information 	How do we collaborate online?	How do I program physical systems?	How do I create a radio advert?	How do I use variables in programs?	How do I find and share data safely and responsibly?
Y6	 What is a computer? Mouse and Keyboard skills Logging on Opening & saving work Organising files Searching for information 	How do I use a computer as a designer?	How do I build complex physical systems?	What makes an excellent film?	How do I design complex programs?	Why do we use spreadsheets?