Hartford Primary School

Respect, Aspiration, Responsibility, Pride



Computing Curriculum Whole school

EYFS	Technology : children recognise that a range of technology is used in places such as homes and schools. They select and use technology for particular purposes Completes a simple program on a computer. •Uses ICT hardware to interact with age-appropriate computer software. Early Learning Goal Children recognise that a range of technology is used in places such as homes and schools. They select and use technology for particular purposes. •Encourage children to speculate on the reasons why things happen or how things work. •Support children to coordinate actions to use technology, for example, call a telephone number. •Teach and encourage children to click on different icons to cause things to happen in a computer program. •Provide a range of materials and objects to play with that work in different ways for different purposes, for									
	example, egg whisk, torch, other household implements, pulleys, construction kits and tape recorder. •Provide a range of programmable toys, as well as equipment involving ICT, such as computer.									
Year 1	Technology around us	Digital painting	Moving a robot	Grouping data	Digital writing	nmer Programming animations				
	Recognising technology in school and using it responsibly.	Choosing appropriate tools in a program to create art, and making comparisons with working non-digitally.	Writing short algorithms and programs for floor robots, and predicting program outcomes.	Exploring object labels, then using them to sort and group objects by properties.	Using a computer to create and format text, before comparing to writing non-digitally.	Designing and programming the movement of a character on screen to tell stories.				
Year2	Information technology around us Identifying IT and how its responsible use improves our world in school and beyond.	Digital photography Capturing and changing digital photographs for different purposes	Robot algorithms Creating and debugging programs, and using logical reasoning to make predictions.	Pictograms Collecting data in tally charts and using attributes to organise and present data on a computer.	Making music Using a computer as a tool to explore rhythms and melodies, before creating a musical composition.	Programming quizzes Designing algorithms and programs that use events to trigger sequences of code to make an interactive quiz.				

	Autumn		Spring		Summer	
Year 3	Connecting computers Identifying that digital devices have inputs, processes, and outputs, and how devices can be connected to make networks.	Stop-frame animation Capturing and editing digital still images to produce a stop-frame animation that tells a story.	Sequencing sounds Creating sequences in a block-based programming language to make music.	Branching databases Building and using branching databases to group objects using yes/no questions	Desktop publishing Creating documents by modifying text, images, and page layouts for a specified purpose.	Events and actions in programs Writing algorithms and programs that use a range of events to trigger sequences of actions.
Year 4	The internet Recognising the internet as a network of networks including the WWW, and why we should evaluate online content.	Audio production Capturing and editing audio to produce a podcast, ensuring that copyright is considered	Repetition in shapes Using a text-based programming language to explore count- controlled loops when drawing shapes.	Data logging Recognising how and why data is collected over time, before using data loggers to carry out an investigation.	Photo editing Manipulating digital images, and reflecting on the impact of changes and whether the required purpose is fulfilled.	Repetition in games Using a block-based programming language to explore count- controlled and infinite loops when creating a game.
Year 5	Systems and searching Recognising IT systems around us and how they allow us to search the internet.	Video production Planning, capturing, and editing video to produce a short film.	Selection in physical computing Exploring conditions and selection using a programmable microcontroller.	Flat-file databases Using a database to order data and create charts to answer questions.	Vector drawing Creating images in a drawing program by using layers and groups of objects. 3D modelling	Selection in quizzes Exploring selection in programming to design and code an interactive quiz.
Year 6	Communication and collaboration Identifying and exploring how data is transferred and information is shared online.	Webpage creation Designing and creating webpages, giving consideration to copyright, aesthetics, and navigation.	Variables in games Exploring variables when designing and coding a game.	Introduction to spreadsheets Answering questions by using spreadsheets to organise and calculate data	3D modelling Planning, developing, and evaluating 3D computer models of physical objects.	Sensing Designing and coding a project that captures inputs from a physical device