



SHERRIER CE PRIMARY COMPUTING NATIONAL CURRICULUM VOCABULARY PROGRESSION

Progression in computing vocabulary

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Year 1	Computing systems	Creating media	Programming A	Data and information	Creating media	Programming B
	and networks.					
		Digital painting.	Moving a robot	Grouping data	Digital writing	Introduction to
	Technology around			Online safety	Online safety	animation.
	us and online safety.	Paint program, tool,	Forwards, backwards,			
		paintbrush, erase, fill,	turn, clear, go,	Object, label, group,	Word processor,	ScratchJr, Bee-Bot,
	Technology,	undo, Piet Mondrian,	commands,	search, image, colour,	keyboard, keys,	command, sprite,
	computer, mouse,	primary colours,	instructions,	shape, property,	letters, Microsoft	compare,
	trackpad, keyboard,	shape tool, line tool,	directions, left, right,	value, data set, less,	Word, letters,	programming,
	screen, click, drag,	fill tool, undo tool,	plan, algorithm,	most, fewest, the	numbers, space,	programming area,
	input, device, shift,	Henri Matisse,	route, program.	same.	backspace, text	block, joining, start,
	spacebar, capital	Wassily Kandinsky,			cursor, toolbar, bold,	program,
	letter, full stop,	feelings, colour, brush			italics, underling,	background, delete,
	safely, responsibly.	style, George Seurat,			undo, font, toolbar	reset, algorithm,
		Pointillism, prefer,				predict, change,
		dislike, like.				value, block,
						instructions
						appropriate, design.
Year 2	Computing system and network.	Creating media	Programming A	Data and information	Creating media	Programming B
		Digital photography	Robot algorithms	Pictograms	Making music	Introduction to
	Information			Online safety	Online safety	quizzes
	technology around us	Device, camera,	Instructions,			•
	Online safety	photograph, capture,	sequence, clear	More than, less than,	Music, planets, Mars,	Sequence, command,
		image, digital,	unambiguous,	most, least, organise,	Venus, war, peace,	program, run, start,
	Information	landscape, portrait,	algorithm, program,	data, object, tally	quiet, loud, feelings,	predict, blocks,
	technology (IT),	horizontal, vertical,	order, commands,	chart, votes, total,	emotions, pattern,	actions, sprite,
	computer, barcode,	field of view, narrow,	prediction, artwork,	pictogram, enter,	rhythm, pulse,	modify, match,
	scanner/scan	wide, format,	design, route, mat,	data, compare, count,	Neptune, pitch,	debug, features,
		framing, focal point,	debugging.	explain, attribute,	tempo, notes,	evaluate.
		subject, matter, flash,		group, same,	instrument, create	
		focus, background,		different, most	open, edit.	
		foreground, editing,		popular, least		
		filter, Pixl, changed,		popular.		
		real.				

Year 3	Computing systems and networks	Creating media	Programming A	Data and information	Creating media	Programming B
		Stop frame	Sequence in music	Branching databases	Desktop publishing	Events and actions
	Connecting	animation			Online safety	
	computers	Online safety	Scratch,	Attribute, value,		Motion, event, sprite,
			programming, blocks,	questions, table,	Text, images,	algorithm, logic,
	Digital devices, input,	Animation, flip book,	commands, code,	objects, branching,	advantages,	move, resize,
	output, process,	stop frame,	sprite, costume,	databases, objects,	disadvantages,	extension block, pen
	program, connection,	sequence, image,	stage, backdrop,	equal, even, separate,	communicate, font,	up, set up, design,
	network, network	photograph, setting,	motion, turn, point in	order, organise,	style, template,	action, debugging,
	switch, server,	character, events,	direction, go to, glide,	j2data, selecting,	desktop, publishing,	errors, setup, test
	wireless access point	onion skinning,	event, task, design,	pictogram,	copy, paste, layout,	
	(WAP)	consistency, delete,	code, run the code,	information, decision	purpose, benefits.	
		frame, media, import,	order, note, chord,	tree, questions.		
		transition.	algorithm, bug,			
			debug.			
Year 4	Computing systems	Creating media	Programming A	Data and information	Creating media	Programming B
	and networks					
		Audio editing	Repetition in shapes	Data logging	Photo editing	Repetition in games
	The internet	Online safety			Online safety	
			Program, turtle,	Data, table (layout),		Scratch,
	Internet, network,	Audio, record,	commands, code,	input, device, sensor,	Image, edit, arrange,	programming, sprite,
	router, network	playback,	snippet, algorithm,	data logger, logging,	select, digital, crop,	blocks, code, loop,
	security, network	microphone, speaker,	design, debug, logo	data point, interval,	undo, save, search,	repeat, value,
	switch, wireless	headphones, input,	commands, pattern,	analyse, import,	copyright <i>,</i>	forever, infinite loop,
	access point (WAP),	output, start, stop,	repeat, repetition,	export, logged,	composition, save,	count-controlled
	router, website, web	podcast, save, file,	count-controlled	collection, review,	pixels, rotate, flip,	loop, animate,
	page, web address,	selection, edit,	loop, value,	conclusion.	adjustments, effects,	costume, even block,
	router, routing, route	mixing, time shift,	decompose,		colours,	duplicate, modify,
	tracing, browser,	export, MP3,	procedure.		hue/saturation, sepia,	debug, refine,
	World Wide Web,	evaluate, feedback.			version, illustrator,	evaluate, algorithm.
	content, links, files,				clone, recolour, magic	
	use, download,				wand, sharpen,	
	sharing, ownership,				brighten, fake, real,	
	permission, accurate,				composite,	
	honest, adverts.				background,	
					foreground, retouch,	
					paste, alter,	
					publication,	
					elements, original,	
					font style, border,	
					layer.	

Year 5	Computing systems	Creating media	Programming A	Data and information	Creating media	Programming B
	and networks	Video oditing	Coloction in physical	Flat file databases	Vector drowing	Coloction in quizzos
	Sharing information	Video editing Online safety	Selection in physical computing	Flat-file databases	Vector drawing Online safety	Selection in quizzes.
	Online safety	Online Salety	computing	Database, data,	Online Salety	Selection, condition,
	onine survey	Video audio,	Microcontroller,	information, record,	Vector, drawing tools,	true, false, count-
	System, connection,	recording,	crumble controller,	field, sort, order,	shapes, object, icons,	controlled loop,
	digital, input, process,	storyboard, script,	components, LED,	group, search,	toolbar, move, resize,	outcomes,
	output, protocol,	soundtrack, dialogue,	Sparkle, crocodile	criteria, value, graph,	colour, rotate,	conditional statement
	address, packet, chat,	tape, AV (audio	clips, connect, battery	chart, axis, compare,	duplicate/copy,	 the linking together
	explore, slide click,	vision), videographer,	box, program,	filter, presentation.	zoom, select,	of a condition and
	reuse, remix,	video techniques,	repetition, infinite		alignment grid,	outcome, algorithm,
	collaboration.	zoon, pan, tilt, angle,	loop, condition, true,		handles, consistency,	program, debug,
		YouTuber, content,	false, input, action,		modify, layers, front,	implement, question,
		camera, colour, export, trip/clip,	selection, motor, switch, algorithm,		back, copy, paste,	answer, task, input, outcomes, test, run,
		titles, end credits,	debug, evaluate.		group, ungroup, reuse, improvement,	setup, share,
		timeline, transitions,	debug, evaluate.		evaluate,	evaluate,
		soundtrack,			alternatives.	constructive.
		retake/reshoot,				
		special effects,				
		constructive				
		feedback.				
Year 6	Computing systems	Creating medica	Programming A	Data and information	Creating media	Programming B
	and networks					
		Web page creation	Variables in games	Spreadsheets	3D modelling	Sensing
	Communication	Online safety	Veriable change	Careedahaat data	Online safety	Miero hit MakeCada
	Online safety	Website, web page,	Variable, change, name, value, set,	Spreadsheet, data, data handling, data	2D, 3D, 3D object, 3D	Micro-bit, MakeCode, input, process,
	Search, search	browser, media,	design, algorithm,	set, cells, columns	space, view, resize,	output, flashing, USB,
	engine, Google, Bing,	Hypertext Markup	code, task, artwork,	and rows, data item,	colour, lift, rotate,	selection, condition,
	Yahoo, Swisscows,	Language (HTML),	program, project,	format, common	position, select,	ifthenelse,
	DuckDuckGo, refine,	layout, header,	code, test, debug,	attribute, formula,	duplicate,	variable, random,
	index, crawler, bot,	media, purpose,	improve, evaluate,	calculation, cell	dimensions,	navigation, design,
	optimisation, links,	copyright, fair use,	share.	reference, sigma,	placeholder, hole,	task, step counter,
	web crawlers,	evaluate, preview,		graph, evaluate,	group, ungroup,	plan, create, code,
	content creator,	device, breadcrumb,		results, comparisons,	modify, evaluate,	test, debue.
	ranking,	trail, navigation,		questions, software,	improve.	
	communication,	hyperlink, subpage,		tools, data, purpose.		
	internet, public,	implication, external				
	private, one-way, two-way, one-to-one,	link, embed.				
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one-to-many, SMS,			
email, WhatsApp,			
blog, YouTube,			
Twitter, BBC			
Newsround.			