PROGRESSION OF SKILLS IN COMPUTING

Key Stage 1

Disciplines	NC Statement	KS1
Computer Science	Understand what algorithms are; how they are implemented as programs on digital devices; and that programs execute by following precise and unambiguous instructions	Understand what algorithms are (1.1, 1.2, 1.5, 2.1, 2.2) Understand that algorithms are implemented as programs on digital devices (1.1, 1.2, 1.5, 2.1, 2.2) Understand that programs execute by following precise and unambiguous instructions (1.1, 1.2, 1.5, 2.1, 2.2)
	Create and debug simple programs	Create simple programs (1.1, 1.5, 2.1) Debug simple programs (1.1, 1.5, 2.1)
	Use logical reasoning to predict the behaviour of simple program	Use logical reasoning to predict the behaviour of own programs (1.1, 2.1, 2.2)
Information Technology	Use technology purposefully to create, organise, store, manipulate and retrieve digital content	Use technology purposefully to create digital content (1.2, 1.3, 1.4, 1.5, 1.6, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5, 2.6)
		Use technology purposefully to store digital content (1.2, 1.3, 1.4, 1.5, 1.6, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5, 2.6)
		Use technology purposefully to retrieve digital content (1.2, 1.3, 1.4, 1.5, 1.6, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5, 2.6)
		Use technology purposefully to organise digital content (1.2, 1.3, 1.4, 1.5, 1.6, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5, 2.6)
		Use technology purposefully to manipulate digital content (1.2, 1.3, 1.4, 1.5, 1.6, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5, 2.6)
Digital Literacy	Recognise common uses of information technology beyond school	Recognise common uses of information technology at home (1.2, 1.3, 1.4, 1.5, 1.6, 2.2, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5, 2.6)
		Recognise common uses of information technology outdoors (1.2, 1.3, 1.4, 1.5, 1.6, 2.2, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5, 2.6)
	Use technology safely and respectfully, keeping personal information private; identify where to go for help and support when they have concerns about content or contact on the Internet or other online technologies	

	Use technology safely (1.4, 1.6, 2.2, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5, 2.6)
	Keep personal information private (1.4, 1.6, 2.2, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5, 2.6)
	Use technology respectfully (1.4, 1.6, 2.2, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5, 2.6)
	Identify where to go for help and support when they have concerns about content or contact on the Internet or other online technologies (1.4,
	they have concerns about content or contact

Key Stage 2

Disciplines	NC Statement	KS2
Computer	Design, write and debug	Write programs that accomplish specific goals (3.1, 4.1, 4.2, 5.1,
Science	programs that accomplish	5.6, 6.1, 6.2, 6.6)
	specific goals, including	
	controlling or simulating	Design programs that accomplish specific goals (3.1, 4.1, 4.2, 5.1,
	physical systems; solve	5.6, 6.1, 6.2, 6.6)
	problems by decomposing	
	them into smaller parts	Debug programs that accomplish specific goals (3.1, 3.2, 4.1, 4.2, 5.1, 5.6, 6.1, 6.2, 6.6)
		Control or simulate physical systems (3.1, 3.2, 4.2, 5.1, 5.6, 6.1, 6.6)
		Solve problems by decomposing them into smaller parts (3.1, 4.1, 4.2, 4.6, 5.1, 5.3, 5.6, 6.1, 6.6)
	Use sequence, selection, and repetition in programs; work with variables and various	Use sequence in programs (3.1, 3.2, 4.1, 4.2, 4.3, 4.5, 5.1, 5.6, 6.1, 6.2)
	forms of input and output	Use selection in programs (3.2, 4.1, 4.2, 4.5, 5.1, 5.6, 6.1, 6.2)
		Use repetition in programs (3.2, 4.1, 4.2, 4.3, 4.5, 5.1, 5.6, 6.1, 6.2)
		Work with variables (3.1, 3.2, 4.1, 4.2, 4.5, 4.6, 5.1, 5.6, 6.2)
		Work with various forms of input and output (3.1, 3.2, 4.1, 4.2, 4.3 4.5, 4.6, 5.1, 5.6, 6.1, 6.2)
	Use logical reasoning to explain how some simple algorithms work and to	Use logical reasoning to detect and correct errors in programs (3.1, 3.2, 4.1, 5.1, 5.2, 6.1, 6.2)
	detect and correct errors in	Use logical reasoning to explain how some simple algorithms work
	algorithms and programs	(3.2, 4.1, 4.6, 5.1, 5.2, 6.1, 6.2)
		Use logical reasoning to detect and correct errors in algorithms (3.1, 3.2, 4.1, 5.1, 5.2, 6.1, 6.2)
	Understand computer	Understand how computer networks can provide multiple
	networks including the	services, such as the World Wide Web (3.5, 3.6, 4.4, 5.2, 5.4, 6.3,
	Internet; how they can	6.4)

	provide multiple services,	
	such as the World Wide Web;	Understand computer networks, including the Internet (3.5, 3.6,
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	and the opportunities they	4.4, 5.2, 5.4, 6.3, 6.4)
	offer for communication and	
	collaboration	
Information	Use search technologies	Use search technologies effectively (3.5, 4.6, 5.3, 5.5, 6.3, 6.4, 6.5)
Technology	effectively, appreciate how	
	results are selected and	Appreciate how search results are selected (3.5, 4.6, 5.3, 6.3, 6.4,
	ranked, and be discerning in	6.5)
	evaluating digital content	
		Appreciate how search results are ranked (3.5, 4.6, 5.3, 6.3, 6.4,
		6.5)
		Select, use and combine software (3.3, 3.4, 3.6, 4.3, 4.5, 4.6, 5.3,
	Select, use and combine a	5.4, 5.6, 6.3, 6.5, 6.6)
	variety of software (including	
	Internet services) on a range	Design and create content (3.3, 3.4, 3.6, 4.3, 4.4, 4.5, 4.6, 5.3, 5.4,
	of digital devices to design	5.5, 5.6, 6.3, 6.5, 6.6)
	and create a range of	
	programs, systems and	Design and create systems (3.3, 3.6, 4.6, 5.3, 5.4, 5.6, 6.3, 6.5, 6.6)
	content that accomplish given	
	goals, including collecting,	Collect, analyse, evaluate and present data (3.6, 4.6, 5.4, 6.5, 6.6)
	analysing, evaluating and	,,,
	presenting data and	Collect, analyse, evaluate and present information (3.3, 3.4, 4.4,
	information	5.3, 5.4, 5.5, 5.6, 6.3, 6.5, 6.6)
Digital Literacy	Understand computer	Understand the opportunities computer networks offer for
,	networks including the	communication (3.5, 3.6, 4.4, 5.2, 5.4, 6.3, 6.4)
	Internet; how they can	
	provide multiple services,	Understand the opportunities computer networks offer for
	such as the World Wide Web;	collaboration (3.5, 3.6, 4.4, 5.2, 5.4, 6.3, 6.4)
	and the opportunities they	
	offer for communication and	
	collaboration	
	Use search technologies	Be discerning in evaluating digital content (3.5, 4.3, 4.6, 5.3, 5.4,
	effectively, appreciate how	6.3, 6.4, 6.5)
	results are selected and	0.0, 0.1, 0.0,
	ranked, and be discerning in	
	evaluating digital content	
	evaluating digital content	
	Use technology safely,	Use technology responsibly (3.3, 3.4, 3.5, 3.6, 4.3, 4.4, 5.2, 5.4, 5.5,
	respectfully and responsibly;	6.3, 6.4, 6.5)
	recognise	0.5, 0.1, 0.5
		Identify a range of ways to report concerns about contact (3.5,
	acceptable/unacceptable	
	behaviour; identify a range of	3.6, 4.3, 4.4, 5.2, 5.4, 6.5)
	ways to report concerns	Identify a range of ways to report concerns about content (3.5,
	about content and contact	3.6, 4.3, 4.4, 5.2, 5.4, 6.4, 6.5)
		Recognise acceptable (unsupportable helps://www.42.5.3.6.4.3.4.4
		Recognise acceptable/unacceptable behaviour (3.5, 3.6, 4.3, 4.4,
		5.2, 5.4, 6.4, 6.5)