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YEAR 1	<p><u>We are treasure hunters</u> Solving problems using programmable toys</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • that a programmable robot can be controlled by inputting a sequence of instructions • to develop and record sequences of instructions as an algorithm • to program a robot to follow their algorithm • to debug programs • to predict how their programs will work.. 	<p><u>We are TV chefs</u> Filming the steps of a recipe</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Break down a process into simple, clear steps, as in an algorithm. • Use different features of a video camera. • Use a video camera to capture moving images. • Develop collaboration skills. • Discuss their work and think about how it could be improved. 	<p><u>We are digital artists</u> Creating work inspired by great artists</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • how to select and set brushes and colours • to create artwork in a range of styles on iPad • to use the undo function if they make mistakes, and to encourage experimentation • to use multiple layers in their art • to transform layers • to paint on top of photographs 	<p><u>We are publishers</u> Creating a multimedia eBook about our achievements</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • plan a small multimedia eBook • choose and import images • record audio commentary • add and format titles and other text • think carefully about protecting their privacy • respect other people's copyright • revise and improve their work. 	<p><u>We are rhythmic</u> Creating sound patterns in ScratchJr and GarageBand</p> <p>record audio on an iPad</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • program sprites to playback recorded audio in ScratchJr • program ScratchJr to create repeating rhythms using recorded audio • explore different effects that can be applied to audio • create a repeating percussion pattern using a virtual drum machine • experiment with a range of virtual instruments. 	<p><u>We are detectives</u> Using data to solve clues</p> <p>how data can be structured as records with fields for information</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • how data can be organised into groups and subgroups • how data can be structured as a tree • how data can be organised into a table • how data in a table can be filtered and searched.
YEAR 2	<p><u>We are astronauts</u> Programming on screen in ScratchJr</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • plan a sequence of instructions to move sprites in ScratchJr • create, test and debug programs for sprites in ScratchJr • work with input and output in ScratchJr • use repetition in their programs • design costumes for sprites. 	<p><u>We are games testers</u> Working out the rules for games</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • observe and describe carefully what happens in computer games • use logical reasoning to make predictions of what a program will do and test these predictions • think critically about computer games and their use • create sequences of instructions for a virtual robot to solve a problem • work out strategies for playing a game well • be aware of how to use games safely and in balance with other activities. 	<p><u>We are photographers</u> Taking, selecting and editing digital images</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • consider the technical and artistic merits of photographs • use the iPad camera app • take digital photographs • review, reject or pick the images they take • edit and enhance their photographs 	<p><u>We are safe researchers</u> Researching a topic</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • develop collaboration skills through working as part of a group • develop research skills through searching for information on the Internet • think through privacy implications of their use of search engines • be more discerning in evaluating online information • improve note-taking skills through the use of mind mapping • develop presentation skills through creating and delivering a short multimedia presentation. 	<p><u>We are animators</u> Creating a stop-motion animation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • understand how animation works • use storyboards to plan an animation • create their own original characters, props and backgrounds for an animation • film, review and edit a stop-motion animation • record audio to accompany their animation • provide constructively critical feedback to their peers. 	<p><u>We are zoologists</u> Collecting data about bugs</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • sort and classify a group of items by answering questions • collect data using tick charts or tally charts • take, edit and enhance photographs • use Google Sheets or Microsoft Excel to produce basic charts • record information on a digital map • summarise what they have learned in a presentation.

YEAR 3	<p><u>We are programmers</u> Programming an animation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • plan and create an algorithm for an animated scene in the form of a storyboard • write a program in Scratch to create the animation, including characters, dialogue, costumes, backdrops and sound • review their animation programs and correct mistakes 	<p><u>We are bug fixers</u> Finding and correcting bugs</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • develop a number of strategies for finding errors in programs • build up resilience and strategies for problem solving • increase their knowledge and understanding of Scratch • recognise a number of common types of bugs in software 	<p><u>We are presenters</u> Videoing a presentation against a green screen</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • develop their web-based research skills • structure, prepare and deliver a talk about a given topic or subtopic studied in another curriculum area • record a piece to camera • edit a movie using static images and green screen footage • give constructive, critical feedback on recorded presentations. 	<p><u>We are who we are</u> Creating presentations about ourselves</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • create a number of structured presentations • narrate presentations • consider issues of trust and privacy when sharing information. 	<p><u>We are co-author</u> Producing a wiki</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • understand the conventions for collaborative online work, particularly in wikis • be aware of their responsibilities when editing other people's work • become familiar with Wikipedia, including potential problems associated with its use • practise research skills • write for a target audience using a wiki tool • develop collaboration skills • develop proofreading skills. 	<p><u>We are opinion pollsters</u> Collecting and analysing data</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • understand some elements of survey design • understand some ethical and legal aspects of online data collection • use the Internet to facilitate data collection • use charts to analyse data • interpret results.
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YEAR 4	<p><u>We are software developers</u> Developing a simple educational game</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Develop an educational computer game using selection and repetition. • Understand and use variables. • Start to debug computer programs. • Recognise the importance of user interface design, including consideration of input and output. 	<p><u>We are makers</u> Coding for micro:bit</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • about the input – process – output model of computation • about the inputs and outputs available on a BBC micro:bit • to program using the MakeCode block- based environment • to test and debug programs they write, using an on-screen simulator and the micro:bit • how to convert and transfer a program written on screen to the micro:bit. 	<p><u>We are musicians</u> Creating a piece of music in GarageBand</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • create a repeating percussion rhythm • play music using virtual instruments • compose or edit tunes using the piano roll (pitch and duration) tool • perform electronic music using pre-recorded loops, and create their own loops • create a multi-track composition or performance using multiple instruments • give feedback to others on their compositions and performances 	<p><u>We are bloggers</u> Sharing experiences and opinions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • become familiar with blogs as a medium and a genre of writing • create a sequence of blog posts on a theme • incorporate additional media • comment on the posts of others • develop a critical, reflective view of a range of media, including text.. 	<p><u>We are artists</u> Fusing geometry and art</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • develop an appreciation of the links between geometry and art • become familiar with the tools and techniques of a vector graphics package • develop an understanding of turtle graphics • experiment with the tools available, refining and developing their work as they apply their own criteria to evaluate it and receive feedback from their peers • develop some awareness of computer-generated art. 	<p><u>We are meteorologists</u> Presenting the weather</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • understand different measurement techniques for weather – both analogue and digital • use computer-based data logging to automate the recording of some weather data • use spreadsheets to create charts • analyse data, explore inconsistencies in data and make predictions • practise using presentation and video software.
YEAR 5	<p><u>We are game developers</u> Developing an interactive game</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Create original artwork and sound for a game. • Design and create a computer program for a computer game, which uses sequence, selection, repetition and variables. • Detect and correct errors in their computer game. • Use iterative development techniques (making and testing a series of small changes) to improve their game. 	<p><u>We are cryptographers</u> Cracking codes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be familiar with semaphore and Morse code. • Understand the need for private information to be encrypted. • Encrypt and decrypt messages in simple ciphers. • Appreciate the need to use complex passwords and to keep them secure. • Have some understanding of how encryption works on the web. 	<p><u>We are architects</u> Creating a virtual space</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • understand the work of architects, designers and engineers working in 3-D • develop familiarity with a simple CAD (computer-aided design) tool • develop spatial awareness by exploring and experimenting with a 3-D virtual environment • develop greater aesthetic awareness 	<p><u>We are web developers</u> Making sense of the Internet and building a website</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the name and function of components making up the school's network • how information is passed between the components that make up the Internet • what the source code for a web page looks like, and how it can be edited • how a website can be structured • how to add content to a web page. 	<p><u>We are adventure gamers</u> Creating an interactive adventure using presentation software</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • how to plan a non-linear presentation • to create text as part of a presentation • to add and edit images in a presentation • to use hyperlinks for navigation between the slides of a presentation • to record and add audio narration to a presentation • to use commenting tools to give feedback on a presentation. 	<p><u>We are VR designers</u> Experimenting with virtual and augmented reality</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • explore real-world and imagined locations in VR (if possible) • create 360° photosphere images • link physical objects to digital content using QR codes • create their own VR scene • program objects and interactions in VR

YEAR 6	<p><u>We are toy makers</u> Coding and physical computing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • how computers use stored programs to connect input to output • how to generate and evaluate designs in response to a brief • to plan a complex project by decomposing it into smaller parts • to work with physical components of a system • how to design and write a program for an embedded system • to use criteria to provide others with feedback on their work. 	<p><u>We are computational thinkers</u> Mastering algorithms for searching, sorting and mathematics</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • develop the ability to reason logically about algorithms • understand how some key algorithms can be expressed as programs • understand that some algorithms are more efficient than others for the same problem • understand common algorithms for searching and sorting a list. 	<p><u>We are publishers</u> Creating a yearbook or magazine</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • manage or contribute to large collaborative projects, facilitated using online tools • write and review content • source digital media while demonstrating safe, respectful and responsible use • design and produce a high-quality print document. 	<p><u>We are connected</u> Developing skills for social media</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • about appropriate rules or guidelines for a civil online discussion • how search results are selected and ranked • how to argue their point effectively, supporting their views with sources • how to counter someone else's argument while showing respect and tolerance • how to judge the reliability of an online source • some strategies for dealing with online bullying. 	<p><u>We are advertisers</u> Creating a short television advert</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • think critically about how video is used to promote a cause • storyboard an effective advert for a cause • work collaboratively to shoot original footage and source additional content • acknowledge intellectual property rights • work collaboratively to edit the assembled content to make an effective advert. 	<p><u>We are AI developers</u> Learning about artificial intelligence and machine learning</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • how decision trees can be trained automatically to classify data • how speech recognition works • how a neural net recognises images • to train a neural net to classify images • to train a machine learning system to identify sentiments • to consider some ethical principles in designing AI systems.
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