

Computing: Progression of skills

Intent : At Davington, we aim to prepare our learners for their future by giving them the opportunities to gain knowledge and develop skills that will equip them for an ever changing digital world.

Our Computing curriculum focuses on a progression of skills in digital literacy, computer science, information technology and online safety to ensure that children become competent in safely using, as well as understanding, technology.

These strands are revisited repeatedly through a range of themes during children's time in school to ensure the learning is embedded and skills are successfully developed. Our intention is that Computing also supports children's creativity and cross-curricular learning to engage children and enrich their experiences in school.

Key Stage I National Curriculum Expectations	Key Stage 2 National Curriculum Expectations
 Pupils should be taught to: understand what algorithms are; how they are implemented as programs on digital devices; and that programs execute by following precise and unambiguous instructions; create and debug simple programs; use logical reasoning to predict the behaviour of simple programs; use technology purposefully to create, organise, store, manipulate and retrieve digital content; recognise common uses of information technology beyond school; 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. 	 Pupils should be taught to: design, write and debug programs that accomplish specific goals, including controllingor simulating physical systems; solve problems by decomposing them into smaller parts; use sequence, selection, and repetition in programs; work with variables and variousforms of input and output; use logical reasoning to explain how some simple algorithms work and to detect and correct errors in algorithms and programs; understand computer networks including the internet; how they can provide multiple services, such as the world wide web, and the opportunities they offer for communication and collaboration; use search technologies effectively, appreciate how results are selected and ranked, and be discerning in evaluating digital content; select, use and combine a variety of software (including internet services) on a range of digital devices to design and create a range of programs, systems and content that accomplish given goals, including collecting, analysing, evaluating and presenting data and information; use technology safely, respectfully and responsibly; recognise acceptable/unacceptable behaviour; identify a range of ways to report concerns about content and contact.

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P au te SS K C O O C	objects and images, manipulating the features; use various tools, such as brushes, pens, eraser, stamps and shapes, and set the size, colour and shape; use applications and devices in order to communicate ideas, work, messages and demonstrate control; save, retrieve and organise work;	 Children develop their skills of formatting using keyboard commands, organising their work to demonstrate effect. In LKS2, they will have the opportunity to express themselves more through digital technology, art, PowerPoint and posters. Children should continue to demonstrate control when operating tools as in KS1. KS2 Computing National Curriculum Children understand computer networks, including the internet; how they can provide multiple services, such as the world wide web, and the opportunities they offer for communication and collaboration. They select, use and combine a variety of software (including internet services) on a range of digital devices to design and create a range of programs, systems and content that accomplish given goals, including collecting, analysing, evaluating and presenting data and information. Children can: a create different effects with different technological tools, demonstrating control; b use appropriate keyboard commands to amend text on a device; c use applications and devices in order to communicate ideas, work, and messages; d save, retrieve and evaluate work, making amendments; e insert a picture/text/graph/hyperlink from the internet or a personal file; f use key vocabulary to demonstrate knowledge and understanding in this strand: draw, object, shape, line, line colour, fill colour, group, ungroup, font, size, text box, format, image, wrap text, plan, link, image, object, link, hyperlink, minimise, restore, size, move, screen, split, create, organise, file, folder, close, exit, search, print, password, screenshot, snipping tool, shift, undo, redo, menu, dictionary, highlight, cursor, 	 Children begin to look at new software, creating 3D models and learning how to orbit, zoom and develop their editing skills further. They become more confident in inserting links, images and formatting text to create effect. KS2 Computing National Curriculum Children select, use and combine a variety of software (including internet services) on a range of digital devices to design and create a range of programs, systems and content that accomplish given goals, including collecting, analysing, evaluating and presenting data and information. Children can: a use the skills already developed to create content using unfamiliar technology; b select, use and combine the appropriate technology tools to create effect; c review and improve their own work and support others to improve their work; d save, retrieve and evaluate their work, making amendments; e insert a picture/text/graph/hyperlink from the internet or personal file; f use key vocabulary to demonstrate knowledge and understanding in this strand: window, layout, text, font, colour, format, heading, hyperlink, 2D shape, 3D shape, orbit, pan, zoom, eraser, dimension, measurement, guide.

Children begin to explore expressing information in tables, sorting and organising information for others to be able to understand. **KS2 Computing National Curriculum** Children select, use and combine a variety of software (including internet services) on a range of digital devices to design and create a range of programs, systems and content that accomplish given goals, including collecting, analysing, evaluating and presenting data and information. Children can:

- a talk about the different ways data can be organised;
- sort and organize information to use in other ways;
- search a ready-made database to answer questions;
- d use key vocabulary to demonstrate knowledge and understanding in this strand: Google Docs, insert, table.

Data Handling in UKS2 focuses on selecting the correct method to display data and using software such as spreadsheets. Children also learn how to check the accuracy of data and compare data for a specific purpose.

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Children can:

- e construct data on the most appropriate application;
- f know how to interpret data, including spotting inaccurate data and comparing data;
- g use keyboard shortcuts and functions to input data on spreadsheets and create formulas for spreadsheets;
- h add data to an existing database;
- use key vocabulary to demonstrate knowledge and understanding in this strand: Google Docs, insert, table, spreadsheet, cell, row, column, formula/formulas, calculate, format, edit, insert, ascending, descending.

Children begin to make links to how they use	Children refer to online safety rules when discussing	Children can use safe search terms on trusted
technology outside of the classroom. They	technology in their lives. They are able to navigate	search engines, and evaluate websites based on
begin to think about the benefits of using	between websites and use safe search terms on	layout and information. They become more
technology in their lives, making links to	trusted search engines. They become more confident	confident in understanding Google rankings, adverts
learning about online safety.	in using email for communication, including attaching	and the reliability of websites.
KSI Computing National Curriculum	and saving files from emails.	KS2 Computing National Curriculum
Children recognise common uses of technology	KS2 Computing National Curriculum	Children understand computer networks, including
beyond school. They use technology safely and	Children understand computer networks, including	the internet; how they can provide multiple services,
respectfully, keeping personal information private;	the internet; how they can provide multiple services,	such as the world wide web, and the opportunities
they identify where to go for help and support when	such as the world wide web, and the opportunities	they offer for communication and collaboration.
they have concerns about content or contact on the	they offer for communication and collaboration.	They use search technologies effectively, appreciate
internet or other online technologies.	They use search technologies effectively, appreciate	how results are selected and ranked, and are
Children can:	how results are selected and ranked, and are	discerning in evaluating digital content.
a recognise ways that technology is used in the	discerning in evaluating digital content.	Children can:
home and community, e.g. taking photos,	Children can:	a search for information using appropriate
blogs, shopping;	a explain ways to communicate with others online;	websites and advanced search functions
b use links to websites to find information;	b describe the world wide web as the part of	within Google;
e recognise age-appropriate websites;	the internet that contains websites;	b use strategies to check the reliability of
d use safe search filters;	e add websites to a favourites list;	information (cross-check with another
e use key vocabulary to demonstrate knowledge	d use search tools to find and use an	source such as books);
and understanding in this strand: filter, Google,	appropriate website and content;	e talk about the way search results are selected and
search engine, image, keyboard, email, internet,	e use strategies to improve results when searching	ranked;
subject, address, communicate, sender, safe,	online;	d check the reliability of a website, including the
secure.	f use key vocabulary to demonstrate knowledge	photos
	and understanding in this strand: filter, Google,	on site;
	search engine, image, keyboard, email, subject,	e tell you about copyright and acknowledge the
	address, communicate, sender, safe, secure,	sources of information;
	internet, world wide web, social media.	f use key vocabulary to demonstrate knowledge
		and understanding in this strand: world wide
		web, search, search engine, advanced search,
		results, Google, browser, terms of use, bias,
		authority, citation, plagiarism, source, website,
		secure, https, site, domain, website, browser,
		address bar.

Children begin to understand their influence on technology by developing their programming skills to determine output. They begin to understand that an algorithm is a series of steps for solving problems and a code is a series of steps that machines can execute. They begin to explore debugging, predicting when codes may not work and changing them. **KSI Computing National Curriculum** Children understand what algorithms are, how they are implemented as programs on digital devices, and that programs execute by following precise and unambiguous instructions. They create, debug and use logical reasoning to predict the

Children can:

behaviour of simple programs.

- a give commands one at a time to control direction and movement, including straight, forwards, backwards, turn;
- b control the nature of events: repeat, loops, single events and add and delete features;
- e give a set of instructions to follow and predict what

will happen;

- d improve/change their sequence of commands
 by debugging;
- use key vocabulary to demonstrate knowledge and understanding in this strand: algorithm, instruction, order, debug, program, turn, left, right, clockwise, anticlockwise, blocks, sequence, project, repeat, repeat forever, invisible, grow, shrink.

Children build on their programming skills by solving problems and programming commands to achieve a specific outcome. They begin to write programs, explain algorithms and identify errors in their work. **KS2 Computing National Curriculum** Children design, write and debug programs that

Children design, write and debug programs that accomplish specific goals, including controlling or simulating physical systems; they solve problems by decomposing them into smaller parts. They use sequence, selection, and repetition in programs and work with variables and various forms of input and output. They use logical reasoning to explain how some simple algorithms work and to detect and correct errors in algorithms and programs.

Children can:

- use logical thinking to solve an open-ended problem by breaking it up into smaller parts;
- b write a program, putting commands into a sequence to achieve a specific outcome;
- c give a set of instructions to follow and predict what will happen;
- d keep testing a program and recognise when it needs to be debugged;
- e use variables to create an effect, e.g. repetition, if,

when, loop;

f use key vocabulary to demonstrate knowledge and understanding in this strand: decompose, decomposing, logical sequence, flowchart, sprite, block, command, algorithm, answer, correct, errors, program, algorithm, instructions, commands, forward (fd), left (lt), right (rt), move, turn, clear screen (cs), variable.

Children build on their programming skills by using new systems such as a flowchart. They continue to break down problems and create algorithms to solve them. They are able to explain the outcome of an algorithm with confidence and accuracy.

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Children can:

- use external triggers and infinite loops to demonstrate control;
- b follow a sequence of instructions, e.g. in a flowchart and modify a flowchart using symbols;
- c use conditional statements and edit variables;
- d decompose a problem into smaller parts to design an algorithm for a specific outcome and use this to write a program;
- e keep testing a program and recognise when it needs to

be debugged;

use key vocabulary to demonstrate knowledge and understanding in this strand: flowchart, algorithm, control, output, symbol, start, stop, delay, process, decision, loop, backdrop, script, block, repeat, commentary, sequence, consequence, debug, program, Kodu, world, object, tool palette, program environment, smooth, flatten, raise. Children begin to consider their activity on the internet and learn about ways to keep themselves safe and why it is important to do so. They also compare appropriate and inappropriate activity on the internet and decide what to do next.

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Children can use technology safely and respectfully, keeping personal information private; they identify where to go for help and support when they have concerns about content or contact on the internet or other online technologies.

Children can:

- a identify what things count as personal information;
- b identify what is appropriate and inappropriate behaviour on the internet;
- agree and follow sensible online safety rules,
 e.g. taking pictures, sharing information,
 storing passwords;
- d seek help from an adult when they see something that is unexpected or worrying;
- demonstrate how to safely open and close applications and log on and log off from websites;
- f use key vocabulary to demonstrate knowledge and understanding in this strand: safe, meet, accept, reliable, tell, online, trusted, adult, information, safety, personal, key, question, tell, safe, share, stranger, danger, internet.

Children become more aware of their digital footprint by reflecting on their experience on the internet. They are able to understand more about age-appropriate websites and adverts and how adverts are used by companies. Children are also introduced to the concept of plagiarism and citation.

KS2 Computing National Curriculum

Children use technology safely, respectfully and responsibly. They recognise

acceptable/unacceptable behaviour and identify a range of ways to report concerns about content and contact.

Children can:

- reflect on their own digital footprint and behaviour online;
- b identify what is appropriate and inappropriate behaviour on the internet, recognising the term cyberbullying;
- agree and follow sensible online safety rules,
 e.g. taking pictures, sharing information,
 storing passwords;
- d seek help from an adult when they see something that is unexpected or worrying;
- e demonstrate understanding of age-appropriate websites and adverts;
- f use key vocabulary to demonstrate knowledge and understanding in this strand: safe, meet, accept, reliable, tell, online, trusted, adult, information, safety, personal, internet, world wide web, communicate, message, social media, email, password, cyberbullying/bullying, plagiarism, profiles, account, private, public.

Children are encouraged to identify online risks and share their knowledge of the risks and consequences for people online. They begin to think more critically about what they see online and look at the concept of fake news and false photographs. **KS2**

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Children can:

- a protect their password and other personal information;
- b be a good online citizen and friend;
- judge what sort of privacy settings might be relevant to reducing different risks;
- d seek help from an adult when they see something that is unexpected or worrying;
- e discuss scenarios involving online risk;
- use key vocabulary to demonstrate knowledge and understanding in this strand: spam, link, privacy, virus, scam, phishing, inbox, junk, sender, subject, secure, safe, account, online, private, social media, adverts, cyberbullying, reporting, anonymous, victim, fraud/fraudulent, policy, private/personal.