

Highfields Primary School Whole School Computing Overview

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| Computing Systems and Networks | I can talk about different digital devices. I can find my way around a tablet. I can use a touchscreen to open and close apps. I can listen to and play digital stories. I can use pretend technology in my role play | I can ask questions about different digital devices. I can log into a tablet. I can use technology to help me learn about the world. I can find the letters of my name on a keyboard. I can answer questions about what I am doing with a range of technology. | Technology around us Recognising technology in school and using it responsibly. | Information technology around us Identifying IT and how its responsible use improves our world in school and beyond. | Connecting computers Identifying that digital devices have inputs, processes, and outputs, and how devices can be connected to make networks. | The internet Recognising the internet as a network of networks including the WWW, and why we should evaluate online content. | Systems and searching Recognising IT systems in the world and how some can enable searching on the internet. | Communication and collaboration Exploring how data is transferred by working collaboratively online. |
| Creating Media | I can take a photograph. I can make music on a tablet. | I can talk about what I am doing on the tablet. I can record my voice on a digital device. I can use a digital device to make pictures, videos and music. | Digital painting Choosing appropriate tools in a program to create art and making comparisons with working non- digitally. | Digital photography Capturing and changing digital photographs for different purposes. | Stop-frame animation Capturing and editing digital still images to produce a stop-frame animation that tells a story. | Audio production Capturing and editing audio to produce a podcast, ensuring that copyright is considered. | Video production Planning, capturing, and editing video to produce a short film. | Webpage creation Designing and creating webpages, giving consideration to copyright, aesthetics, and navigation. |
| Programming (Algorithms) | I can make toys work using buttons/switches. I can follow a simple algorithm/pattern, I can put simple instructions in order. I can create a sequence of instructions. | I can operate toys and equipment independently. I can plan a route for a friend or Beebot I can code a Beebot to go to a certain place. | Moving a robot Writing short algorithms and programs for floor robots and predicting program outcomes. | Robot algorithms Creating and debugging programs and using logical reasoning to make predictions. | Sequencing sounds Creating sequences in a block-based programming language to make music. | Repetition in shapes Using a text-based programming language to explore count-controlled loops when drawing shapes. | Selection in physical computing Exploring conditions and selection using a programmable microcontroller. | Variables in games Exploring variables when designing and coding a game. |
| Data and Information | I can use a pictogram to help me answer questions. | l can count, sort and group information on an tablet. | Grouping data Exploring object labels, then using them to sort and group objects by properties. | Robot algorithms Creating and debugging programs and using logical reasoning to make predictions. | Branching databases Building and using branching databases to group objects using yes/no questions. | Data logging Recognising how and why data is collected over time, before using data loggers to carry out an investigation. | Flat-file databases Using a database to order data and create charts to answer questions. | Introduction to spreadsheets Answering questions by using spreadsheets to organise and calculate data. |
| Creating Media (Design and Development) | I can complete a Paint Project on an art app. | | Digital writing Using a computer to create and format text, before comparing to writing non-digitally. | Digital music Using a computer as a tool to explore rhythms and melodies, before creating a musical composition. | Desktop publishing Creating documents by modifying text, images, and page layouts for a specified purpose. | Photo editing Manipulating digital images and reflecting on the impact of changes and whether the required purpose is fulfilled. | Introduction to vector graphics Creating images in a drawing program by using layers and groups of objects. | 3D modelling Planning, developing, and evaluating 3D computer models of physical objects. |
| Programming (Design and Development) | l can persevere. I can explore how things work. | l can work with a partner to solve a problem. I can think logically about a problem. | Programming animations Designing and programming the movement of a character on screen to tell stories. | Programming quizzes Designing algorithms and programs that use events to trigger sequences of code to make an interactive quiz. | Events and actions in programs Writing algorithms and programs that use a range of events to trigger sequences of actions. | Repetition in games Using a block-based programming language to explore count-controlled and infinite loops when creating a game. | Selection in quizzes Exploring selection in programming to design and code an interactive quiz. | Sensing movement Designing and coding a project that captures inputs from a physical device. |