

NEWHAM BRIDGE PRIMARY SCHOOL
FOUNDATION SUBJECTS
CURRICULUM AND ASSESSMENT
DOCUMENT



COMPUTING



Y1 Computing Curriculum

Computing

- Understand that an algorithm is a set of instructions and use programs such as: Codable, Robot friend and Beebot.
- Read through a simple program and use logical reasoning to predict the outcome.
- Create a simple program and test it.
- Debug a simple program by checking the sequence of instructions.

Digital Literacy

- Agree class rules for using the computer.
- Use equipment and technology safely.
- Know that user names/passwords should be kept private.
- Recognise where to go for help if they ever feel worried online.

Information Technology

- Recognise a range of technology both in and out of school.
- Understand that technology can be stored in different ways (sound, video, text, images).
- Use technology to create content, such as posters, animations and videos.
- Save digital content appropriately.
- Be able to retrieve, edit and re-save digital work.



Y1 Computing A.R.E

A Y1 computer user can....

- log on independently
- understand that an algorithm is a set of instructions
- create a simple program with at least 3 steps
- check a program for mistakes (debug)
- store and retrieve digital work
- use websites to collect information
- describe what to do if they feel worried online
- keep their password and personal log-ins safe
- recognise the use of technology in and beyond school



Y2 Computing Curriculum

Computing

- Know that digital devices are operated by algorithms.
- Understand algorithms and how they are used to program.
- Create and debug simple programs.
- Use logical reasoning to predict the outcome of a program.
- Explain how an algorithm may be incorrect.

Digital Literacy

- Agree class rules for using the computer.
- Use technology respectfully and know where to go for help if they feel unsafe or worried online.
- Know that personal information should be stored safely and not to share passwords, usernames or personal information.

Information Technology

- Explain how a range of technology, both in and out of school, is used.
- Use technology to create digital content, organise, store and retrieve.
- Represent information in different digital formats.
- Select appropriate tools for a task.
- Use the internet to search for facts and images safely.
- Understand different methods of digital communication (e.g. e-mail, blog, messaging, Skype)



Y2 Computing A.R.E

A Y2 computer user can....

- use a range of instructions within an algorithm
- find programming errors and amend
- predict the behaviour of simple programs using logical reasoning
- save, store, retrieve and edit digital work
- use websites to research and answer questions
- explain what to do if they feel worried online
- keep their password and personal log-ins safe
- explain the use of technology in and beyond school
- use technology respectfully



Y3 Computing Curriculum

Computing

- Design and write programs with specific outcomes.
- Predict outcomes, test and evaluate.
- Understand and explore a range of commands.
- Debug programs successfully.
- Design a sequence of instructions including repetition (loop).
- Understand programs can use various input/output devices.

Digital Literacy

- Agree class rules for using the computer.
- Understand how devices can be networked together.
- Know the difference between the school network and the internet.
- Understand how to keep information safe and private.
- Know how to report online problems and discuss cyber-bullying.
- Recognise the need to choose age appropriate online sites.

Information Technology

- Research, collect and present information using different APPs and software.
- Evaluate their creations and identify how they could be improved.
- Use technology purposefully to create digital content, organise, store and retrieve.
- Manipulate and improve digital images.



Y3 Computing A.R.E

A Y3 computer user can....

- design a sequence of instructions
- debug an algorithm successfully
- identify various input and output devices
- keep their personal information safe online
- explain what is meant by 'cyber-bullying'
- discuss what computer networks do
- search for information on the internet in different ways
- manipulate and improve digital images
- use technology respectfully and responsibly



Y4 Computing Curriculum

Computing

- Design, write and debug programs with specific outcomes.
- Design, write and debug programs with two algorithms running simultaneously.
- Solve problems by decomposing them into smaller parts.
- Use logical reasoning to predict and explain what a variety of algorithms will do.
- Design a sequence of instructions including repetition (loop).
- Design programs which use various input/output devices.
- Experiment with variables to control models/programs.

Digital Literacy

- Agree class rules for using the computer.
- Explain the difference between the school network and the internet.
- Understand how to keep information safe and private.
- Know how/who to report online problems and identify cyber-bullying.
- Recognise the need to choose age appropriate online sites.

Information Technology

- Research, collect and present information using appropriate APPs and software.
- Evaluate their creations and identify how they could be improved.
- Use technology purposefully to create digital content, organise, store and retrieve.
- Collect and present data in different ways.



Y4 Computing A.R.E

A Y4 computer user can....

- design a sequence of instructions including loops
- design, write and debug programs with specific outcomes
- design programs with various input and output devices
- discuss what constitutes cyber-bullying
- recognise acceptable and unacceptable online behaviour
- use software to collect, analyse, evaluate and present data in different ways (spreadsheets, charts, graphs)
- evaluate their creations and identify how they could be improved.
- use technology respectfully and responsibly



Y5 Computing Curriculum

Computing

- Understand a program can have several parts.
- Decompose a problem into smaller parts.
- Work with variables to control models/programs.
- Use a variety of commands to create an algorithm.
- Write a program which simulates a real life system.
- Know the difference between an algorithm and a program.
- Identify and label different hardware components in the computer system.

Digital Literacy

- Agree class rules for using the computer.
- Understand that you have to make choices when using technology and that not everything is true or safe.
- Can choose and use relevant and appropriate websites for resources and research.
- Understand they are responsible for all their online actions and conduct.
- Know how to report unacceptable online behaviour and content.

Information Technology

- Use technology purposefully to create digital content for a specific goal.
- Create a podcast.
- Analyse and evaluate digital creations.
- Understand how search results are selected and ranked.
- Explain the opportunities networks offer for communication and collaboration.



Y5 Computing A.R.E

A Y5 computer user can....

- use a variety of commands to create an algorithm
- work with variables to control models/programs
- identify and label different hardware components in the computer system
- solve problems by decomposing code into smaller parts
- use software to collect, analyse, evaluate and present data in different ways (spreadsheets, charts, graphs)
- can choose and use relevant and appropriate websites for resources and research
- know how to report unacceptable online behaviour and content
- create a podcast in a small group



Y6 Computing Curriculum

Computing

- Design a solution by decomposing a problem into smaller parts.
- Recognise that a problem can have many different solutions.
- Incorporate a variety of commands to create complex algorithms.
- Use logical reasoning to detect errors in algorithms.
- Use variables within an algorithm.
- Explore 'what if' questions by planning different scenarios.

Digital Literacy

- Agree class rules for using the computer.
- Use alternative sources to check online information.
- Understand they are responsible for all their online actions and conduct.
- Know how to report unacceptable online behaviour and content.
- Identify ways to minimise risks.

Information Technology

- Create a video which includes titles, audio & transitions
- Use technology purposefully to create digital content for a specific target audience.
- Select, use and combine APPs and software on a range of digital devices.
- Analyse and evaluate digital creations.
- Explain how the school's computers are networked.



Y6 Computing A.R.E

A Y6 computer user can....

- design complex algorithms which incorporate variables
- use logical reasoning to detect errors in algorithms
- explore 'what if' questions
- use alternative sources to check the validity of online information
- identify ways to minimise risks online
- create a video which includes titles, audio & transitions
- use technology purposefully to create digital content for a specific target audience
- analyse and evaluate digital creations