## **Computing**

Throughout the year the children will cover a variety of aspects of the computing curriculum to ensure all children:

- can understand and apply the fundamental principles and concepts of computer science, including abstraction, logic, algorithms and data representation
- can analyse problems in computational terms, and have repeated practical experience of writing computer programs in order to solve such problems
- can evaluate and apply information technology, including new or unfamiliar technologies, analytically to solve problems
- are responsible, competent, confident and creative users of information and communication technology.

Autumn 1	To explain how digital devices function
Connecting Computers	To identify input and output devices
	To recognise how digital devices can change the way we work
	To explain how a computer network can be used to share information
	To explore how digital devices can be connected
	To recognise the physical components of a network
Autumn 2	To recognise how text and images convey information
Desktop Publishing	To recognise that text and layout can be edited
	To choose appropriate page settings
	To add content to a desktop publishing publication
	To consider how different layouts can suit different purposes
	To consider the benefits of desktop publishing
Spring 1	To explore a new programming environment
Sequence in Music	I can identify that each sprite is controlled by the commands I choose
	To explain that a program has a start
	To recognise that a sequence of commands can have an order
	To change the appearance of my project
	To create a project from a task description
Spring 2	To explain that digital images can be changed

Photo Editing	To change the composition of an image
	To describe how images can be changed for different uses
	To make good choices when selecting different tools
	To recognise that not all images are real
	To evaluate how changes can improve an image
Summer 1	To describe how networks physically connect to other networks
The Internet	To recognise how networked devices make up the internet
	To outline how websites can be shared via the World Wide Web
	To describe how content can be added and accessed on the World Wide Web
	To recognise how the content of the WWW is created by people
	To evaluate the consequences of unreliable content
Summer 2	To identify that accuracy in programming is important
Repetition in Shapes	To create a program in a text-based language
	To explain what 'repeat' means
	To modify a count-controlled loop to produce a given outcome
	To decompose a program into parts
	To create a program that uses count-controlled loops to produce a given outcome