

DIGITAL - KS3 Key Concept Overview

	KS3 Computing					
	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Year 7	Digital Literacy/E-Safety Using technology safely Use of a range of software E-safety skills	 Cryptography Problem Solving Algorithms Use of a range of software 	Computational Thinking Flowcharts 4 Pillars of Computing Use a range of software	Block-Based Programming Application of Computational Thinking Programming Testing	 Game Design Application of Computational Thinking Programming Testing Use a range of software 	 Making use of data Data Collection Data Analysis Data representation Algorithms
Year 8	 E-Safety Using technology safely Use of a range of software E-Safety skills 	 Machine Learning/AI Computational Thinking Programming Use of a range of software 	Python 1.0 Sequence Selection Iteration Iterative Testing	 Maths for Computing Number Systems Image representation Sound representation 	Physical Computing	 Creative Media Project Use a range of software Develop a product aimed at an audience Creative media skills
Year 9	 E-Safety Using technology safely Use of a range of software E-Safety skills 	Computer Hardware/Networks Hardware Software Networks	 Python Programming Computational Thinking Programming Logic Abstraction 	 Application design and GUI design Programming Logic Creative projects 		 Media Project Use of a range of software Creative projects