



Year 3

To explain how digital devices function  
 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

To explain that animation is a sequence of drawings or photographs  
 To relate animated movement with a sequence of images  
 To plan an animation  
 To identify the need to work consistently and carefully  
 To review and improve an animation  
 To evaluate the impact of adding other media to an animation

To explore a new programming environment  
 To identify that commands have outcomes  
 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

To create questions with yes/no answers  
 To identify the object attributes needed to collect relevant data  
 To create a branching database  
 To explain why it is helpful for a database to be well structured  
 To identify objects using a branching database  
 To compare the information shown in a pictogram with a branching database

To recognise how text and images convey information  
 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

To explain how a sprite moves in an existing project  
 To create a program to move a sprite in four directions  
 To adapt a program to a new context  
 To develop my program by adding features  
 To identify and fix bugs in a program  
 To design and create a maze-based challenge

Year 4

To describe how networks physically connect to other networks  
 To recognise how networked devices make up the internet  
 To outline how websites can be shared via the World Wide Web (WWW)  
 To describe how content can be added and accessed on the World Wide Web (WWW)  
 To recognise how the content of the WWW is created by people  
 To evaluate the consequences of unreliable content

To identify that sound can be digitally recorded  
 To use a digital device to record sound  
 To explain that a digital recording is stored as a file  
 To explain that audio can be changed through editing  
 To show that different types of audio can be combined and played together  
 To evaluate editing choices made

To identify that accuracy in programming is important  
 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 task into small steps  
 To create a program that uses count-controlled loops to produce a given outcome

To explain that data gathered over time can be used to answer questions  
 To use a digital device to collect data automatically  
 To explain that a data logger collects 'data points' from sensors over time  
 To use data collected over a long duration to find information  
 To identify the data needed to answer questions  
 To use collected data to answer questions

To explain that digital images can be changed  
 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

To develop the use of count-controlled loops in a different programming environment  
 To explain that in programming there are infinite loops and count controlled loops  
 To develop a design that includes two or more loops which run at the same time  
 To modify an infinite loop in a given program  
 To design a project that includes repetition

Year 5

To explain that computers can be connected together to form systems  
 To recognise the role of computer systems in our lives  
 To recognise how information is transferred over the internet  
 To explain how sharing information online lets people in different places work together  
 To contribute to a shared project online  
 To evaluate different ways of working

To explain what makes a video effective  
 To identify digital devices that can record video  
 To capture video using a range of techniques  
 To create a storyboard  
 To identify that video can be improved through reshooting and editing  
 To consider the impact of the choices made when making and sharing a video

To control a simple circuit connected to a computer  
 To write a program that includes count-controlled loops  
 To explain that a loop can stop when a condition is met  
 To explain that a loop can be used to repeatedly check whether a condition has been met  
 To design a physical project that includes selection

To use a form to record information  
 To compare paper and computer-based databases  
 To outline how grouping and then sorting data allows us to answer questions  
 To explain that tools can be used to select specific data  
 To explain that computer programs can be used to compare data visually  
 To apply my knowledge of a database to ask and answer real-world questions

To identify that drawing tools can be used to produce different outcomes  
 To create a vector drawing by combining shapes  
 To use tools to achieve a desired effect  
 To recognise that vector drawings consist of layers  
 To group objects to make them easier to work with  
 To evaluate my vector drawing

To explain how selection is used in computer programs  
 To relate that a conditional statement connects a condition to an outcome  
 To explain how selection directs the flow of a program  
 To design a program which uses selection  
 To create a program which uses selection  
 To evaluate my program

Year 6

To identify how to use a search engine  
 To describe how search engines select results  
 To explain how search results are ranked  
 To recognise why the order of results is important, and to whom  
 To recognise how we communicate using technology  
 To evaluate different methods of online communication

To review an existing website and consider its structure  
 To plan the features of a web page  
 To consider the ownership and use of images (copyright)  
 To recognise the need to preview pages  
 To outline the need for a navigation path  
 To recognise the implications of linking to content owned by other people

To define a 'variable' as something that is changeable  
 To explain why a variable is used in a program  
 To choose how to improve a game by using variables  
 To design a project that builds on a given example  
 To use my design to create a project  
 To evaluate my project

To identify questions which can be answered using data  
 To explain that objects can be described using data  
 To explain that formulas can be used to produce calculated data  
 To apply formulas to data, including duplicating  
 To create a spreadsheet to plan an event  
 To choose suitable ways to present data

To use a computer to create and manipulate three-dimensional (3D) digital objects  
 To compare working digitally with 2D and 3D graphics  
 To construct a digital 3D model of a physical object  
 To identify that physical objects can be broken down into a collection of 3D shapes  
 To design a digital model by combining 3D objects  
 To develop and improve a digital 3D model

To create a program to run on a controllable device  
 To explain that selection can control the flow of a program  
 To update a variable with a user input  
 To use a conditional statement to compare a variable to a value  
 To design a project that uses inputs and outputs on a controllable device  
 To develop a program to use inputs and outputs on a controllable device