

St Erth Primary Progression of Skills for Computing

	EYFS	1	2	3	4	5	6
Computer	Children are introduced	The children are	The children develop	The children use Scratch	The children develop	The children refine their	The children design, write
Computer Science	to things that by work by themselves and need	introduced to programming	their programming skills. They learn how to create	to design, write and debug programs that	their use of scratch, using logical reasoning to	scratch skills writing, designing and debugging	and debug programs that accomplish specific
Programming/Coding	programming. They experiment with different	and begin to understand	and debug simple programs; how to use	accomplish specific goals. They learn how to	explain how some simple algorithms work. They	programs that achieve specific goals. They learn	goals. Using scratch, they learn to add
Simulations	toys; remote control cards, toy microwaves	sequence and they learn how to	logical reasoning to predict a simple	use repetition in programs, using various	learn how to detect and fix errors in programs	to program list variables that chose items	variables of unpredictability. They
How Computers Work	etc. and explain how they work	sequence instructions (commands) to achieve objective. They begin to use distances in commands and learn how to execute and debug a simple program.	programs behaviour and how to add a loop to a program. Children become familiar with the term 'algorithm' They use Scratch Jr to program simple inputs and	inputs (keyboard, mouse and touch screen); They learn how to write programs to simulate physical systems. They learn how to use Kodu to write a program with	and algorithms. They use sequence, selection and repetition in programs and work with variables and various forms of input and output.	randomly. They also use Sphero to develop their programming skills, learning how to use Bluetooth technology as an input device. Children also gain experience of	learn how to use Python to program and HTML to create webpages. They learn how binary code is used and how machine learning and Artificial Intelligence is used to
			outputs.	variables.		text-based programming.	help us.
Information Technology	Children begin to learn how to use computers and digital devices. They	Children begin to learn how to use computers and digital devices. They	Children begin to learn how to use computers and digital devices. They	Children begin to learn how to use computers and digital devices. They	Children begin to learn how to use computers and digital devices. They	Children begin to learn how to use computers and digital devices. They	Children begin to learn how to use computers and digital devices. They
Data Handling Word processing and Presentations Digital Artwork Photography Animation Video Music creation Virtual Reality Web Design	begin to understand how computers help us and the differences between different types of digital technology. They begin to recognise basic components and begin to learn important	begin to understand how computers help us and the differences between different types of digital technology. They begin to recognise basic components and begin to learn important	begin to understand how computers help us and the differences between different types of digital technology. They begin to recognise basic components and begin to learn important	begin to understand how computers help us and the differences between different types of digital technology. They begin to recognise basic components and begin to learn important	begin to understand how computers help us and the differences between different types of digital technology. They begin to recognise basic components and begin to learn important	begin to understand how computers help us and the differences between different types of digital technology. They begin to recognise basic components and begin to learn important	begin to understand how computers help us and the differences between different types of digital technology. They begin to recognise basic components and begin to learn important
Digital Literacy	The children begin to learn how to stay safe online and that not everything on the internet	The children begin to learn the importance of E- safety. They learn how to keep personal	The children learn how to recognise uses of information technology beyond school. They	The children learn how to Use technology safely, respectfully and responsibly. They	The children continue to develop their understanding of E-safety, learning how to	The children further develop their understanding of esafety learning how to	The children further develop their understanding of esafety learning how to
Online Safety	is what it says it is. They	information private; why	understand how	Identify a range of ways	use technology safely,	keep personal	keep personal
Research	learn how to use computers to make	websites want personal information and when	computers store and follow instructions and	to report concerns about content and contact.	respectfully and responsibly. They	information private and how to protect	information private and how to protect
Uses of technology	music and how computers can be used to help us create art and design things.	and where to go for help when they are worried	they learn how different technology helps us. They develop their understanding of E-safety, learning the dangers of sharing photos online and how to use the internet responsibly		become more proficient in Identifying a range of ways to report concerns about content and contact.	themselves against online bullying. They also understand the term 'digital footprint'. They also learn how the internet can be used to create computer networks and how cloud computing is used.	themselves against online bullying. They understand the consequences of sharing photos and videos online. The children learn how to check that online content is trustworthy and how, where and who they can report concerns to.