

Year 8: Computer Science

Michaelmas 1	 Understanding Computers & E-SAFETY Understand what is meant by eSafety and how to be safe and responsible while using different technologies. The impact of the internet and being connected to our wellbeing. Explore different forms of bullying that affect young people: Computer Systems: Architecture of the CPU
Michaelmas 2	 Data Representation (Hexadecimal & binary) Advance Describe the function of the hardware components of a computer system (CPU, main memory, secondary storage) and how they work together. Advance Data Representation (binary) Explain why computers use binary to represent data and program instructions. Convert between binary and denary
Lent 1	 Scripting programming with HTML Advance HTML (Website creation) Scripts programming Learn HTML and CSS. Develop a basic website with at 3 web pages
Lent 2	 Advance Spreadsheet: Spreadsheet be formatted, use formulas in spreadsheets, spreadsheet model,
Trinity 1	 Algorithm: Control system with Flowol Computational thinking: Principles of computational thinking: Decomposition, Algorithmic thinking, Abstraction Representing Algorithms using Flowcharts. Control system with Flowol. Flow Chart Symbol. Algorithms with Flowol. Zebra Crossing. What is a flowchart? Flowchart symbols Introduction to Flowol. Sequences. Decision table, Use Flowol to make the first traffic lights work. Traffic Light Sequences Flowol – Controlling a light house and Ferris Wheel, Sensors. Create your own flowcharts Flowol – Controlling a baby mobile. Controlling a Lighthouse. Control Systems usually work because of a cause Create Control Systems using Flowol
Trinity 2	 Python Programming: How to create algorithms in a flowchart & Pseudocode. Use selection, sequence and iteration on python. Uses more than two (if, elif and else) conditions to make decisions within a python program