

# **Curriculum map: COMPUTING**

#### KS3 COURSE STRUCTURE

	Units Delivered			
	Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	
Autumn 1	Digital Literacy	Understanding Computers	Spreadsheet	
Autumn 2	Clear Messaging	Computational thinking	PowerPoint (IDMP)	
Spring 1	Microbit	Python (Turtle Power)	Python Basics	
Spring 2	Networks	Vector Graphics (Inkscape)		
Summer 1				
Summer 2	Python (Fun With Flags)	Photoshop	Graphics (Photopea)	

(Key stage 4 below)



Course Title	Computer Science (1CP2)
Qualification (GCSE, BTEC etc)	GCSE (9-1)
Exam Board	Pearson Edexcel Level

Unit	Title	Weighting	Examination Method
1CP2/01	Paper 1	50%	Written examination: 1
	Principles of Computer Science	50 /8	hour 30 minutes
1CP2/02	Paper 2	50%	Practical onscreen
	Application of Computational Thinking	50%	examination: 2 hours

	Units Delivered			
	Year 10	Year 11		
Autumn 1	BLOCK 1 Application of Computational Thinking: Part 1 <i>Topic 1, Topic 6</i> Principles of Computer Science: Part 1	BLOCK 7 Application of Computational Thinking: Part 7 <i>Topic 6</i> Principles of Computer Science: Part 7		
	Topic 2	Topic 3, Topic 4		
Autumn 2	BLOCK 2 Application of Computational Thinking: Part 2 <i>Topic 1, Topic 6</i>	BLOCK 8 Application of Computational Thinking: Part 8 <i>Topic 1, Topic 6</i>		
	Principles of Computer Science: Part 2 <i>Topic 2</i>	Principles of Computer Science: Part 8 <i>Topic 3, Topic 5</i>		
Spring 1	BLOCK 3 Application of Computational Thinking: Part 3 <i>Topic 1, Topic 6</i>	BLOCK 9 Application of Computational Thinking: Part 9 <i>Topic 1, Topic 6</i>		
Spring 1	Principles of Computer Science: Part 3 <i>Topic 2, Topic 3</i>	Principles of Computer Science: Part 9 <i>Topic 2</i>		
Spring 2	BLOCK 4 Application of Computational Thinking: Part 4 <i>Topic 1, Topic 6</i>	BLOCK 10 Application of Computational Thinking: Part 10 <i>Topic 1, Topic 6</i>		
Spring 2	Principles of Computer Science: Part 4 <i>Topic 3</i>	Principles of Computer Science: Part 10 <i>Topic 5</i>		
Summer 1	BLOCK 5 Application of Computational Thinking: Part 5 <i>Topic 1, Topic 6</i>	Exam		
	Principles of Computer Science: Part 5 <i>Topic 3, Topic 4, Topic 5</i>			
Summer 2	BLOCK 6 Application of Computational Thinking: Part 6 <i>Topic 1, Topic 6</i>			
	Principles of Computer Science: Part 6 <i>Topic 2, Topic 4</i>			



Course Title	Creative iMedia (J834)
Qualification (GCSE, BTEC etc)	Level 1/Level 2 Cambridge National
Exam Board	OCR

Unit	Title	Weighting	Examination Method
R093	Creative iMedia in the media industry	40%	Written examination: 1 hour 30 minutes
R094	Visual identity and digital graphics	25%	Mandatory Unit: Centre-assessed and OCR moderated.
R097	Interactive digital media	35%	Centre-assessed and OCR moderated.

	Units Delivered		
	Year 10	Year 11	
Autumn 1	R093: Media industry sectors and products (TA1) R093: How style, content and layout are linked to the purpose. Client requirements and how they are defined (TA2)	R097: Pre-production and planning documentation and techniques for animation with audio	
Autumn 1	R093: Audience demographics and segmentation (TA2) R093: Media codes used to convey meaning, create impact and/or engage audiences (TA2)		
	RO93: Work planning and documents used to support ideas generation (TA3)	R097: Techniques to obtain, create and manage assets	
Autumn 2	RO93: Documents used to design/plan media products (TA3) RO94: Purpose, features, elements and design of visual identity	R097: Techniques used to create animation with audio	
	R094: Graphic design concepts and conventions R094: Properties of digital graphics and use of assets R094: Techniques to plan visual identity and digital graphics	R097: Techniques to save and export	
Spring 1	R094: Tools and techniques to create visual identity and digital graphics	animation with audio R097: Techniques to test/check and review animation with audio	
	R094: Technical skills to source, create and prepare assets for use within digital graphics	R097: Improvements and further developments	
Spring 2	R094: Techniques to save and export visual identity and digital graphics (with integrated R093 TA4 distribution considerations and file formats)	R097: NEA Assessment (Working on) R093: Distribution platforms and media to reach audiences (TA4)	
Spring 2	R094: NEA Assessment (working on)	R093: Properties and formats of media files (TA4)	
	R094: NEA Assessment (Working on and submit for moderation) R097: TA1 Introduction (with R093 key content embedded)	R097: (submit1 for moderation) R093: Sources of research and types of	
Summer 1		research data (TA2) R093: The legal issues that affect media (TA3) R093: Job roles in the media industry (TA1)	
	R097: Features and conventions of animation and audio		
Summer 2	R097: Creativity in animation and audio		



Course Title	Business (1BSO)
Qualification (GCSE, BTEC etc)	GCSE (9-1)
Exam Board	Pearson Edexcel

Unit	Title	Weighting	Examination Method
1BSO/01	Theme 1: Investigating small business	50%	Written examination: 1 hour and 45 minutes
1BS0/02	Theme 2: Building a business	50%	Written examination: 1 hour and 45 minutes

	Units Delivered		
	Year 10	Year 11	
	Course introduction	Topic 2.3 Making operational decisions	
Autumn 1	Topic 1.1 Enterprise and entrepreneurship		
	Topic 1.2 Spotting a business opportunity	Topic 2.4 Making financial decisions	
Autumn 2	Topic 1.3 Putting a business idea into practice		
Spring 1	Topic 1.4 Making the business effective	Topic 2.5 Making human resource decisions	
Spring 2	Topic 1.5 Understanding external influences on business	Exam skills	
	Introduction to Theme 2		
Summer 1	Topic 2.1 Growing the business		
	Topic 2.2 Making marketing decisions		
Summer 2			



Course Title	Enterprise and Marketing (J837)
Qualification (GCSE, BTEC etc)	Level 1/Level 2 Cambridge National
Exam Board	OCR

Unit	Title	Weighting	Examination Method
R067	Enterprise and Marketing Concepts	40%	Written examination: 1 hour 15 minutes
R068	Design a Business Proposal	30%	Mandatory Unit: Centre- assessed and OCR moderated.
R069	Market and Pitch a Business Proposal	30%	Centre-assessed and OCR moderated.

	Units Delivered	
	Year 10	Year 11
	<b>R067 (TA2)</b> : Market research; data; market segmentation*	<b>R069 (TA3)</b> : Planning a pitch and presentation skills
Autumn 1	<b>RO68 (TA1)</b> : Market research; sampling methods; Using research tools; Review market research	<b>R069 (TA3):</b> Practice pitch; feedback; professional pitch
		R069 (TA4): Review brand, pitch, and skills
		R069: NEA Assessment (working on)
Autumn 2	RO68 (TA2): Identify customer profile	<b>R067 (TA1)</b> : Entrepreneurial characteristics; risk and reward
	RO68 (TA3): Create a design mix; Review and finalise design	R069: NEA Assessment (working on)
Spring 1	RO67 (TA3): Cost, revenue, profit and loss; break-even; cash*	R067 (TA5): Ownership; capital; support
	RO68 (TA4): Financial viability	<b>R067 (TA3)</b> : Cost, revenue, profit and loss; break-even; cash
		<b>R069</b> : NEA Assessment (submit for moderation)
Spring 2	RO68 (TA5): risks and challenges	<b>R067 (TA2)</b> : Market research; data; market segmentation
	RO68: NEA Assessment (working on)	<b>R067 (TA4)</b> : Marketing mix; advertising medium; promotion; PR; selling; product lifecycle; pricing strategies
Summer 1	<b>R067 (TA4)</b> : Marketing mix; advertising medium; promotion	R067: Exam revision
	R069 (TA1): Branding; opportunities and threats	R068: Resubmission opportunity
	RO68: NEA Assessment (submit for moderation)	R069: Resubmission opportunity
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Summer 2	<b>RO67 (TA4)</b> : PR; selling; product lifecycle; pricing strategies	
	RO69 (TA2): Promotional plan and materials	