# ICT at Gwinear.

'This is a new age of discovery, and ICT is the gateway' (Douglas Adams)



#### **Our Vision Statement.**

We believe that advances in ICT have fundamentally changed the way that we live and that it is essential that we enable children to become digitally literate. We are aware that much of the technology they will one day use is not yet developed and that we need to grow together as learners in an ever- changing field. We aim to equip children with the key skills to use a wide range of existing devices so that they are able to acquire, organise, store, manipulate, interpret, communicate and present data in a range of ways. We will respond to new developments in technology and explicitly teach ICT skills whilst using opportunities to apply them across the curriculum and enhance learning in all subjects. Throughout our use of ICT children will be taught to consider the dangers it poses alongside the benefits and develop a critical approach in how to use it responsibly and to best effect.

# **Gwinear School Concepts and Skills Progression We believe that**

YEAR 5/6	Technology in our Lives (Across all Areas of Learning)			
<b>Curriculum Content</b>	Understand the importance of technology for shaping the way we live in the world			
	Describe different parts of a computing device & how it connects to the Internet.			
	Connect a computing device to a keyboard, mouse or printer			
	Identify different parts of the Internet			
	Identify appropriate forms of online communication for different audiences.			
	Choose appropriate tools for communication and collaboration and use them responsibly			
	Use search engines as part of an effective research strategy			
	Describe how search results are selected & ranked			
	Talk about the different elements on web pages			
	Find out who the information presented on a webpage belongs to and cross check with other sources e.g. books.			
	Understand how data can be used and shared on the internet			
	Describe different services provided by the Internet & how information moves around the Internet			

#### Multimedia

Select and identify an appropriate ICT or online tool to create and share ideas.

Explore the effects of multimedia (photos, video, sound) in a presentation or video and show how they can be modified Discuss audience atmosphere and structure of a presentation or video Develop skills using transitions and hyperlinks to enhance the structure of presentations Collect information and media from a range of sources (considering copyright issues) into a presentation for a specific audience Use a wide range of effects in art programs and online tools, discussing the choices made and their effectiveness Use online tools to create and share presentations

and films

#### **Programming**

Explore procedures using repeat commands to improve a program.

Use 'if' and 'then' commands to select an action.
Refine procedures to improve efficiency.
Evaluate the effectiveness and efficiency of my algorithm.

Use logical reasoning to detect and correct errors in algorithms and programs. Recognise and use a variable to increase the programming possibilities.

Explore a computer model to control a physical system. Decompose a problem into smaller parts to design an algorithm for a specific outcome and use this to write a program.

Change inputs on a model to

Change inputs on a model to achieve different outputs. Use different inputs to control a device or onscreen action and predict what will happen.

Explain and program each of the steps in my algorithm.

## **Data Handling**

Collect and record information using spreadsheets and databases.
Present data in an appropriate way.
Search a database using different operators to refine my search.
Plan the process needed to investigate the world around

Interpret the data I collect and present it in an appropriate way. Use the skills developed to interrogate a database. Discuss the mistakes in data and suggest how it could be

Be able to check the data I collect for accuracy and plausibility.

checked

#### **E Safety**

Agree sensible e-safety rules for the classroom. Discuss their own personal use of the internet and the

choices they make.
Discuss and understand how to protect devices from virus threats

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	Know how to use text and				
	video editing tools in				
	programs to refine their				
	work				
	Store presentations and				
	videos online where they				
	can be accessed by				
	themselves and shared with				
	others				
	Use sound, images, text,				
	transitions, hyperlinks and				
	HTML code effectively in				
	presentations				
	Evaluate the effectiveness				
	of their own work and the				
	work of others				
<b>YEAR 3/4</b>	Technology in our Lives (Across all Areas of Learning)				
<b>Curriculum Content</b>	Understand that computer technology has developed rapidly and is continuing to do so				
	Understand how technology has changed the way we live and work				
	Talk about the parts of a computer Understand how devices are linked on the school network and how to access Save work on the school network, on the Internet and on individual devices Use appropriate tools to communicate and collaborate on-line Frame questions & identify key words to search for information on the Internet Use simple search tools and find appropriate websites Talk about the owner of information online and consider reliability of information & ways it may influence you				
	Know ways to communicate with others online.  Further develop vocabulary in relation to computing and technology				
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#### Multimedia

Be confident in creating & modifying text & presentation documents to achieve a specific purpose Explore the use of video, animation, & green screening for a specific audience
Use art programs & online

Use art programs & online tools to modify photos for a specific purpose using a range of effects, including brush sizes, repeats and reflections

Use ICT tools to create
music phrases for a
specific purpose
Explore how multimedia can
create atmosphere &
appeal to different
audiences
Use an appropriate tool to

work online.
Use a keyboard
effectively, including the
use of keyboard shortcuts
eg SELECT/DELETE &
COPY AND PASTE

share and collaborate my

#### **Programming**

Achieve a specific outcome by putting commands into a specific sequence.

Test my program and recognise when you need to debug it.

Be able to use an efficient procedure to simplify a program.

Describe the algorithm I will need for a simple task. Use an algorithm to sequence more complex programming into order. Recognise that using algorithms will also help solve problems in other areas of learning such as Maths, Science and DT. Break an open-ended problem into smaller parts. Detect problems in an algorithm which could result in unsuccessful programming. Be able to use a sensor to

detect a change which can

select an action within my

Use a variety of tools to

create a program.

program.

### **Data Handling**

Be able to search a ready made database to answer questions.

Add to a database.

Organise data in different ways.

Collect data and identify where it could be inaccurate.

Plan and create a database to answer questions.

Be able to make a branching

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Use a data logger to monitor changes and talk about the information collected.
Choose the best ways to present data to friends.
Use a data logger to record and share readings with friends.

#### **E Safety**

Agree sensible e-safety rules for the classroom.

Choose a secure password for age-appropriate websites. Discuss what actions could be taken if they are uncomfortable or upset online. Talk about the games they enjoy playing and what good choices are when playing games

Eg content, screen time. Use a class blog to share information and talk about who can see it and how to communicate safely and respectfully.

	Understand how to use spellchecker to write and review my work Use font sizes & effects such as bullet points appropriately Look at their own, and a				
	friend's work & provide feedback that is				
	constructive & specific				
YEAR 1/2	Technology in our Lives				
Curriculum Content	Identify some of the benefits of using technology Recognise uses of technology in their homes and in their community Understand that there are online tools that can help them create and communicate Begin to understand what the Internet is and the purposes that it is used for Begin to understand there are a variety of sources of information and begin to recognise the differences Understand the different types of content on websites and that some things may not be true or accurate Use key vocabulary to demonstrate knowledge and understanding e.g. search engine, image, keyboard				
	Multimedia Programming Data Handling				
	Know a range of different	Physically follow and give	Take and save photographs,	Be able to understand and	
	programs for presenting work e.g. Office programs and multimedia Apps on tablets. Create own documents, adding text and images	each other forward, backward & turn (right- angle) instructions Explore outcomes when buttons are pressed in sequences on a robot.	video and record sound to capture learning. Discuss the different ways to use technology to collect information, including a camera, microscope or sound	explain why it is important to keep my personal information and password private.  Be able to follow simple esafety rules to keep myself safe online.	
	Use index fingers (left and right hand) on a keyboard to build words &sentences	Identify and articulate an algorithm to achieve a purpose.	recorder. Begin to explore and understand a branching database.	Discuss why it is important to be kind and polite online and in real life.	

	Know when and how to use	Begin to use software to	Sort different kinds of	Understand that if		
	the SPACE RETURN keys.	create movement & patterns	information and present it	information is put online then		
	Use SHIFT & CAPS LOCK	on a screen.	to others.	it leaves a digital footprint or		
	to enter capital letters.	Plan and enter a sequence of	Make and save a graph or	trail.		
	Use DELETE & BACKSPACE	instructions to achieve an	chart using the data	Explore how email can be used		
	buttons to correct text.	algorithm.	collected.	to communicate with real		
	Create sentences,	Begin to identify an	Add information to a	people within their school and		
	Amend text and save	algorithm to achieve a	pictogram and be able to	families.		
	regularly.	specific purpose.	discuss the outcomes.	Understand and discuss why		
	Use an increasing variety	Use the word debug when	Investigate different types	you should go online for a		
	of tools and effects in	correcting any mistakes	of digital data.	short amount of time.		
	paint programs and talk	when making a program.	Understand what kind of			
	about their choices.	Be able to watch a program	information to use to help			
	Create sounds and simple	and debug any problems.	investigate a question.			
	music phrases using ICT	Predict what will happen for				
	tools	a short sequence of				
	Use a video or stills camera	instructions.				
	to record an activity	Program a robot or software				
	Use selected programs to	to do a particular task.				
	produce simple visual and	Discuss the similarities and				
	auditory presentation	differences between floor				
		robots and logo on screen.				
EYFS	Technology in our Lives (Across all Areas of Learning)					
Curriculum Content						
	Understand that things they create belong to them and can be shared with others using technology					
	Recognise that they can use the internet to play and learn					
	Begin to operate simple equipment					
	Multimedia	Programming	Data Handling	E Safety		
	Use a mouse and	Use simple software to	_			
	interactive screen to	make things happen				

rearrange objects and	Press buttons on a floor	Collect information as	Be able to ask a grown up when
pictures on a screen	robot and talk about the	photos or sound files.	I want to use the internet.
Recognise text, images and	movements		Tell a grown up if something
sound when using ICT	Independently operate		unexpected or worrying
Use a camera or sound	simple equipment.		happens when I am using the
recorder to collect photos	Be able to make choices		internet.
or sound	about the buttons and icons		Be able to discuss the amount
Use paint programs to	I press, touch on click on.		of time I spend using a
create pictures			computer/tablet/game device.
Begin to use a keyboard			
Use age appropriate			
websites or programs			