

Curriculum Sequencing Grid: (KS4 - GCSE Computer Science)

Year 10	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3
Unit (Tablet in 39 week plan)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Component 1 – Understanding Computer Science 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Component 1 – Understanding Computer Science 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Component 1 – Understanding Computer Science Programming
Key Retainable Knowledge (Required for Y11/13) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> What... How.... Why.... 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Von Neumann Architecture CPU Architecture & Performance Fetch Decode Execute cycle Cores, Clock Speed Embedded Systems Input, Output, Storage Devices RAM/ROM Binary/Denary/Hexadecimal Storing images and sound on computer systems Lossy/Lossless Compression 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Network types and topologies Protocols The Internet Cyber Security Identifying Vulnerabilities Operating System Utility Software 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ethical Issues Cultural Issues Environmental Issues Legal Issues and Legislation Basic Programming Concepts Sequence/Selection and Iteration String Handling File Handling Sub Programs
Key Technical Vocabulary (To be modelled and deliberately practiced in context.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Central Processing Unit Controller, ALU, Registers, Cache RAM / ROM Magnetic/Optical/Solid State Clock Speed / Cores Bit / Byte / Kilobyte / Megabyte / Gigabyte / Terabyte ASCII / Unicode Binary/Denary/Hexadecimal Lossy/Lossless Compression 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> LAN, WAN Star, Mesh TCP/IP Domain Name Servers Malware Social Engineering Ethical Hacking, Penetration Testing Virus Checker, Firewalls Defragmentation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ethics Legislation Computer Misuse Act Data Protection Act Copyright Variable Constant Sequence Selection / IT Iteration / FOR / WHILE Concatenation

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Developing Cultural Capital (exposure to very best- essential knowledge and skills of educated citizens – appreciation of human creativity and achievement.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bebras • Hour of Code 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cyber Discovery • Trip to Bletchley Park
Cross Curricular Links (Authentic Connections)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Technology – Inventions and new technologies. • Maths – Number Skills • English – Extended Writing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maths – Number Skills • English – Extended Writing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English – Extended Writing • Lifeskills – Social and Moral Issues
Key Assessment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • End of unit assessments, interleaved with some key learning from previous year. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • End of unit assessments, interleaved with some key learning from previous units, year and term. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • End of unit assessments, interleaved with some key learning from previous units, year and term.

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Key Retainable Knowledge (Required for Y11/13) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> What... How.... Why.... 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Algorithms Sorting / Searching Defensive Design / Testing Boolean Logic / Logic Gates IDEs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recap and revisit all topics in component 1 and component 2 in readiness for May exam. 	
Key Technical Vocabulary (To be modelled and deliberately practiced in context.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Computational Thinking Algorithms Programming Sorting / Searching Constants / Variables / Input / Output / Assignment Sequence / Selection / Iteration Data Types String Manipulation / Arrays File Handling SQL Validation Programming Errors / Syntax / Logic AND / OR / NOT High Level Language Low Level Language Integrated Development Environment 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recap and revisit all topics in component 1 and component 2 in readiness for May exam. 	

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<p>Key Assessment</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • End of unit assessments, interleaved with some key learning from previous year. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Real component 1 and component 2 exams. 	