Information Technology Thematic Curriculum Map Year A

Our thematic spiral curriculum enables learners to develop computer science, information technology and digital literacy links. Engaging topics have been selected which connect with the theme for each half-term. These themes provide an anchor for learners as they return to them each year, further supporting their development of computer science and IT links. Over the course of Key Stage 4 at the school, the scientific and practical study of computation; what can be computed, how to compute it and how computation may be applied to the solution of problems. The ability to navigate, evaluate and create digital artefacts using a range of digital technologies and how computers and telecommunications equipment work and how they may be applied to the storage, retrieval, transmission, and manipulation of data effectively, responsibly, safely and critically.

| | Autumn 1 Healthy Lives | Autumn 2 Angels & Demons | Spring 1 Individuals & their Societies | Spring 2 Power of Nature | Summer 1 Myths & Legends | Summer 2 Mysteries & Adventures |
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| Access GCSE KS3 | Presentation Software | Presentation Software | Audio Software | Audio Software | Imaging Software | Imaging Software |
| Access GCSE KS4 | Presentation Software | Presentation Software | Audio Software | Audio Software | Imaging Software | Imaging Software |
| GCSE | Presentation Software | Set up and IT system | Spreadsheet software | Improving Productivity Using IT | Audio Software | Imaging Software |