



Computing Vocabulary Ladder

EYFS

In EYFS, we expect children to understand and use the following words or their associated meanings:

Screen, Mouse, Images, Keyboard, Technology, Share, Create, Internet, Collect, Photo, Count, Organise, Choices, Website

Autumn

Spring

Summer

Year 1

Uses of Technology

Information
Private
Online
Content
Videos
Purpose

Digital Art

Create
Organise
Store
Retrieve
Edit
Digital
Image
Camera
Image bank

Multimedia Stories

Select
Document
Labels
Order
Storyboard
record
Word bank

Coding

Instructions
Buttons
Program
Pictograms
Communicate
Data

Digital Sound

Sound
Sequence
Instruments
Long/short sounds
Record
Voice
Effects

Controlling Machines

Robots
Predict
Commands
Debug

Online Safety

Rules Online Private information Email

Year 2	Document Creation and Editing Move Resize Dictate Edit text Appearance Position Documents	Animation Multiple images Stop motion Explain Save Magnify	Coding Algorithm Logical Reasoning Sequence Outcome Decomposition Debug Repetition Output Error Forward Backward Right-angle turn Graphs Charts Communication	Creating Vehicles Resize Import Camera roll Effects	Game Creation Information sources Website content Purpose Templates Test Evaluate
Online Safety	Retrieve Appropriate/inappropriate sites Cyber-bullying Digital footprint Keyword searching Rules Online Private information Email				
Year 3	Collaboration Edit Style Engaging Eye catching Cut Copy Paste Annotate	Making Mechanisms Design Create Goal Repetition Input output	Coding Sequence Debugging Test and Improve Command Programming Text Audio Touch screen Keyboard Patterns Loops Repetition	Digital Comic Books Format insert Alignment Annotate Edit Audio recording	Digital Music Composition Software Mood Style Sound clips
Online Safety	Retrieve E-safety rules Secure passwords Report abuse button Gaming Blogs Appropriate/inappropriate sites Cyber-bullying Digital footprint Keyword searching Rules Online Private information Email				

Year 4	Digital images and Animation Manipulate Instant alpha Background Enhance Crop Brightness Contrast Resize Digital art	Computational Thinking Focus Abstraction Precise algorithm Logical reasoning Detect Correct	Coding with Tynker Selection Input Loops Sensing Variables Operators Debug Output Sensors commands	Video Creation Sound effects Titles Transitions Subtitles Green screen	3D Design Drawing tool Realistic representation
Online Safety	Retrieve E-safety rules Secure passwords Report abuse button Gaming Blogs Appropriate/inappropriate sites Cyber-bullying Digital footprint Keyword searching Rules Online Private information Email				
Year 5	Collaboration and App Design Organise Reorganise Edit Import Hyperlink Cut Paste Delete Font size	Programming Robots with Lego EV3 Controlling Simulating Decomposing Explore procedures Refine procedures Inputs Outputs Commands Sharing Multimedia Effects Modification Transitions Refining	Coding with Swift Playgrounds Devices Collaboration Responsibility Search strategies Webpages Spreadsheet Complex search Problem solving Analyse information Interpret Variable Control	Digital Music Edit Sound clips Volume Pitch Fade Remix Voice over	Physical Computing with Raspberry Pi Conditions Variables Decomposition Evaluate Improvements
Online Safety	Responsible Online communication Informed choices Virus threats Messaging Retrieve E-safety rules Secure passwords Report abuse button Gaming Blogs Appropriate/inappropriate sites Cyber-bullying Digital footprint Keyword searching Rules Online Private information Email				

Year 6	Digital Images Edit Remove Add background Merge Photo shopping media	Movie Making and Editing Edit clips Record Buffer Adjust Segment atmosphere	Coding with Swift Playgrounds Sequence Selection Repetition Variables Solve problems Test	Physical Coding with Sphero Sequence Selection Repetition Variables Solve problems Decomposition Conditions Logical reasoning Errors Test Improvements Structure	Inside the Internet HTML Remix Copyright Collecting information Information movement Webpage Appropriate Audience Storage
Online Safety	<div> <div>Responsible</div> <div>Online communication</div> <div>Informed choices</div> <div>Virus threats</div> <div>Messaging</div> </div> <div> <div>E-safety rules</div> <div>Secure passwords</div> <div>Report abuse button</div> <div>Gaming</div> <div>Blogs</div> </div> <div> <div>Retrieve</div> <div>Appropriate/inappropriate sites</div> <div>Cyber-bullying</div> <div>Digital footprint</div> <div>Keyword searching</div> </div> <div> <div>Rules</div> <div>Online</div> <div>Private information</div> <div>Email</div> </div>				