



Willow class Computing Overview

Units by Year Group – Mixed Age Classes

Theme Key:															
■	Coding and Computational thinking	■	Spreadsheets	■	Internet and Email	■	Art and Design	■	Music	■	Databases and graphing	■	Writing and Presenting	■	Communication and networks

In Year 1 and 2 coding, the lessons need to be taught in sequence as each lesson introduces skills that are consolidated and developed in the next lesson. Therefore, it is proposed to teach coding for 11 weeks in Cycle A and none in Cycle B. It is also beneficial for all children to recap unit 1.1 in both cycles as this introduces children new to the class with key skills needed to make the most of Purple Mash.

Year B and D

Week	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33
YEAR 1 & 2 – CYCLE A	Unit 1.1 Online Safety & Exploring Purple Mash Weeks – 4 Programs – Various				Unit 2.5 Effective Searching Weeks – 3 Programs – Browser			Unit 1.4 Lego Builders Weeks – 3 Programs – 2DIY			Unit 1.9 Technology outside school Weeks – 2 Programs – Various		Unit 1.2 Grouping & Sorting Weeks – 2 Programs – 2DIY		Unit 2.6 Creating Pictures Weeks – 5 Programs – 2PaintAPicture				Unit 1.8 Spreadsheets Weeks – 3 Programs – 2Calculate		Unit 1.7 Coding Weeks – 6 Programs – 2Code				Unit 2.1 Coding Weeks – 5 Programs – 2Code								

Year A and C

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YEAR 1 & 2 – CYCLE B	Unit 1.1 Online Safety & Exploring Purple Mash Weeks – 4 Programs – Various				Unit 1.5 Maze Explorers Weeks – 3 Programs – 2Go			Unit 2.4 Questioning Weeks – 5 Programs – 2Question, 2Investigate					Unit 2.2 Online Safety Weeks – 3 Programs – Various			Unit 1.6 Animated Story Books Weeks – 5 Programs – 2Create A Story				Unit 2.7 Making Music Weeks – 3 Programs – 2Sequence		Unit 2.3 Spreadsheets Weeks – 4 Programs – 2Calculate		Unit 1.3 Pictograms Weeks – 3 Programs – 2Count		Unit 2.8 Presenting Ideas Weeks – 4 Programs – Various								



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