

	Year 10 - ICT	Intent	By the end of the year 10 pupils will have the opportunity to develop sector-specific knowledge and skills in a practical learning environment. The focus is on four areas of equal importance, which cover the:
1			development of key skills that prove your aptitude in digital information technology, such as project planning, designing and creating user interfaces, creating dashboards to present and interpret data
			process that underpins effective ways of working in digital information technology, such as project planning, the iterative design process, cyber security, virtual teams, legal and ethical codes of conduct
1			attitudes that are considered most important in digital information technology, including personal management and communication
			knowledge that underpins effective use of skills, process and attitudes in the sector such as how different user interfaces meet user needs, how organisations collect and use data to make decisions, virtual workplaces, cyber security and legal and ethical issues
			The course complements the learning in GCSE programmes such as GCSE in Computer Science by broadening experience and skills participation in different type of performance activities with the opportunity to practically apply your knowledge and skills, through project work such as developing ideas and performing for specific audience
		Assessment	Summative and Formative assessment will take place. Practical and written assessments take place.
		strategy	Some assessments are multiple-choice, shorts answers, flow diagrams, questioning, self- assessment, success criteria

		Topic 1a	Topic 2a	Topic 1b	Topic 2b	Topic 1c	Topic 2c
Ye ar 1 0 - IC T	Disciplinary knowledge To gain knowledge or skills being built	Learning aim A: Investigate user interface design for individuals and organisations (NC:4.1, 4.3) Learners will know how to select and investigate two different types of user interface. They will know how to assess: effectively the user interface meets the audience's requirements, including their accessibility needs, skills level and demographics effectively different design principles have been used	Topic Focus: Create a dashboard using data manipulation tools (NC:4.1, 4.3) (NC 4.2) What is data and information: (creative data) How to present information through the use of text, numbers, tables, graphs/charts and infographics How do we check data for reliability and suitable for processing: validation: range, type, look up, presence and length checks and verification: proofreading and	Learning aim B: Use project planning techniques to plan and design a user interface (NC:4.1, 4.3) Learners will investigate different project planning techniques. Teachers will provide learners with a brief for the design requirements of a user interface. Learners will: select appropriate project planning tools and methodologies to create a project plan,	Topic Focus: B the role and impact of using data on individuals and organisations (NC:4.1, 4.3) Y7 – ICT: Spreadsheet modelling How to create a dashboard using data manipulation skills (importing, text to columns formulae (basic IF, SUM, MAX, MIN, COUNT, Lookup) and decision making, (KS3) How to use processing methods (filtering, cell referencing, macros, linking worksheets	Topic Focus: - Developing and Reviewing User Interface (NC 4.3) Learners will follow their plan and create a user interface. Learners will then: obtain feedback from potential users and refine the user interface until it is complete evaluate the strengths and weaknesses of their user interface	Topic Focus: C - Draw conclusions and review data presentation method Learners will use their dashboard to draw conclusions and make appropriate recommendations. They will assess how the presentation features used in their dashboard affect how well the information is understood Drawing conclusion based on data Investigation of how presentations can affect

	to allow both appropriate and effective user interactions with hardware devices techniques have been used to allow different types of users to efficiently interact with the interface.	double entry? (English and Programming syntax) Who collects data and why do they collect data? data collection methods, data collection features and big data (creative data) Why quality data is important with an investigation to the source, accuracy, age, completeness, amount of detail, format/presentation and volume (creative data) Who uses data modelling: types of sectors and data modelling in decision making. What are the threats to data collection? privacy, fraud, targeting vulnerable groups and inaccurate data.	including outlining the timescales, possible constraints and risks in their project produce an initial design for a user interface that meets user, input, output and accessibility needs. Their initial design should show the designs for at least four different screens in their user interface. They are required to design, create and refine a different user interface for a different set of user requirements	How to present data through the use of: Graphs, pivot tables, formatting and selecting data. Mock assessment Feedback Actual Assignment. Learners will select and apply the data manipulation methods listed in B1 to manipulate data in order: 1) to provide appropriate summaries of the data 2) produce a dashboard to display the summaries of data using appropriate presentation features and presentation methods.	evaluate the strengths and weaknesses of their project plan.	understanding of data. (biased and misinterpreted) Mock assessment Feedback
Substantive knowledge building blocks	Learning outcome A: Understand interface design for individuals and organisations A1 User interfaces Learners will understand the use of different types of user interface and how they vary across different uses, devices and purposes. Types of user interface: o text based o speech/natural language o graphical user interface (GUI)/windows, icons, menus, pointer (WIMP)	Learning outcome A: Understand how data is collected by organisations and its impact on individuals A1 Characteristics of data and information Learners will understand the concepts of data and that data is meaningless without converting it into information by adding structure and context. Characteristics of data: o no meaning o no structure o no context	Learning outcome B: Be able to use project planning techniques to plan, design and develop a user interface B1 Project planning techniques Learners will understand the use of different planning tools and design methodologies that can be used to plan, monitor and execute projects. • Planning tools: o task lists	Learning outcome B: Be able to create a dashboard using data manipulation tools B1 Data processing methods Learners will understand how data can be imported from an external source. They will then explore how to accurately apply data processing methods to aid decision making. These include: • data manipulation methods: o importing data, to include from other files, the internet o formulae, to include add, divide, subtract, multiply	Learning outcome C: Be able to review a user interface C1 Review: Learners will understand how to review the success of the user interface and the use of their chosen project planning techniques. • Strengths and weaknesses of the user interface, to include: o how well the user requirements have been met	Learning outcome C: Be able to draw conclusions and review data presentation methods C1 Drawing conclusions based on findings in the data Learners will use a dataset and dashboard to present findings and draw conclusions based on their findings. • Findings, to include: o trends o patterns o possible errors.

o sensors

- o menu/forms.
- Range of uses and devices, to include:
- o computers
- o handheld devices to include smartphones, tablets, laptops, e-readers o entertainment systems to include games console, home theatre system o domestic appliances to include air conditioners. dishwashers, tumble dryers, freezers, washing machines, microwave ovens o controlling devices to include security lights, central heating controllers o embedded systems to include electronic parking meters, traffic lights, vending machines, smartwatches/digital wristwatches, robotic vacuum cleaners.
- Factors affecting the choice of user interface: o performance/response time o ease of use o user requirements o user experience o accessibility o storage space.

- o unprocessed.
- Characteristics of information:
- o has meaning
- o has structure
- o has context
- o is processed.
- A2 Representing information Learners will understand the different ways of representing information and will be able to explain situations where they would be used.
- Text
- Numbers
- Tables
- Graphs/charts
- Sparklines
- Infographics.

A3 Ensuring data is suitable for processing

Learners will understand the methods that can be used to ensure data input is suitable and within boundaries so that it is ready to be processed.

- Validation methods:o range check
- o type check
- o presence check
- o length check.
- Verification methods:
- o proofreading o double entry

- o written or graphical descriptions
- o Gantt charts o mood boards
- o mindmaps.
- Methodologies:o waterfall
- o agile
- o scrum

B2 Creating a project proposal and plan Learners will understand project planning techniques used to develop a project proposal

proposal and project plan for the development of a user interface for a given brief. Project proposal:

- Purpose and audience.
- Project requirements:
 o user requirements
 o output requirements, to include visual, audio, haptic
 o input requirements, to include mouse, keyboard, voice, touch.
- User accessibility requirements.
- Constraints:
- o time
- o resources
- o task dependencies o security.

- o functions, to include SUM, AVERAGE, MIN, MAXo sorting, to include sorting multiple columns and values.
- advanced manipulation methods:
- o decision-making functions, to include IF, WHATIF, SUMIF o lookup functions, to include VLOOKUP, HLOOKUP
- o count functions, to include COUNTBLANK, COUNTIF, COUNTA
- o logical operators, to include NOT, AND, OR
- o outline, to include group, ungroup
- o subtotal to include AVERAGE, SUM, MIN, MAX, COUNT, COUNTA
- o filtering, to include greater than, less than, equals, contains, begins with, ends with, text to columns, to include delimited, fixed width.
- other processing methods:
 o absolute and relative cell referencing, to include use of dollar sign (\$) and named cells
- o macros, to include for automatic navigation, change graph options, change data ranges
- o multiple and linking worksheets, to include for

- o suitability for purpose and audience
- o ease of use o accessibility features o how effectively the design principles have been met.
- Suggest improvements that could be made to the user interface to better meet
- the audience needs.

- C2 How presentation affects understanding Learners will investigate how well the presentation methods and features listed in B2
- have been used, to ensure they do not lead to:
- information being misinterpreted
- information being biased
- inaccurate conclusions being made

- Hardware and software influences:
- o operating systems/platforms
- o types/size of screen, to include touchscreen, traditional displays
- o types of user input, to include keyboard, mouse, voice, gestures
- o hardware resources available, to include processing power, memory o emerging technologies, to include new innovations of input techniques.
- A2 Audience needs
 Learners will understand the varying needs of the audience and how they affect both the type and the design of the
- Accessibility needs:
- o visual
- o hearing

interface.

- o speech
- o motor
- o cognitive
- Skill level:
- o expert
- o regular
- o occasional
- o novice.

A4 Data collection

Learners will understand the different types of data collection methods, the strengths

and weaknesses of each, how data collection features affect its reliability and how the collection of data could be improved.

- Data collection methods:
- o Primary data
- interviews
- questionnaires
- surveys
- o Secondary data
- websites
- books
- journals
- blogs
- forums
- booking systems
- company internal

documents.

- Data collection features:
- o size of sample
- o who was in the sample o where the data was collected
- o when the data was collected
- o methods used.
- A5 Quality of information

Project plan:

- Timescales:
- o overall timescale o when tasks will be completed, including sub-tasks
- o key milestones.
- B3 Creating an initial design Learners will understand how to produce an initial design using design principles.
- Producing a design that meets:
- o the user requirements, including input and output requirements
- o user accessibility needs.
- Producing a design specification that includes: o visualisation, to include storyboards, sketches o hardware requirements
- o software requirements.Producing a design that allows for:
- o increased user confidence/familiarity o reduced learning time of new interfaces/features o reduced time to complete tasks
- o increased user attention o reduced need for specialised knowledge.

dashboard and raw data to cell comments

- o alternative views, to include hiding/unhiding cells, freezing planes
- o conditional formatting, to include data bars, colour scales, icon set
- B2 Producing a dashboard Learners will use a dashboard to select and display information summaries based on a

given data set.

- Showing data summaries from the data set:
 - o totals
 - o counts
 - o averages
- o percentages
- o sales breakdowns
- o departmental/section breakdown.
- Appropriate presentation methods: tables; pivot tables; sparklines; graphs/charts, including dynamic charts/graphs; form controls, to include button, combo box, check box, spin button (spinner),

dropdown menu, option button; Using appropriate presentation features: font size, style and colour

 Demographics: age; beliefs/values; culture; past 	Learners will understand the factors that affect the quality	B4 Developing a user interface	merge cells; text wrap; cell borders and shading; graphics;	
experiences.	of information.	Learners will understand	axis labels; titles, including	
A3 Design principles	Quality of information	how to use their design to	overall and section titles;	
Learners will understand	factors: source/collection;	produce a user interface.	conditional formatting	
how design principles	method; accuracy; age;	 Initial design using the 		
provide both appropriate	completeness; amount of	design principles listed in		
and effective	detail; format/presentation;	A3 Design principles.		
user interaction with	volume.			
hardware devices.	A6 Sectors that use data			
Colours: use of a limited	modelling			
range of colours; use of	Learners will understand how			
organisational house style;	different types of data are			
ensuring that colours do not	used by organisations for data modelling.			
clash; use of textures, to include glossy, corporate	Types of sectors, to include:			
textures in colours, warm,	transport; education; retail;			
fabric-style textures.	banking; entertainment			
• Font style/size: ensuring	government; health care;			
text style/style is readable;	construction; communication;			
use of sans serif fonts for	health and safety; sport and			
screen reading; avoiding	fitness.			
decorative fonts.	A7 Threats to individuals			
Language: using	Learners will understand the			
appropriate language for	different threats that face			
user needs, to include	individuals who have data			
age-appropriate language;	stored about them.			
using language that is	Threats to individuals, to include invasion of privacy.			
appropriate for user skill level.	include: invasion of privacy; fraud; targeting vulnerable			
Amount of information:	groups of people; inaccurate			
providing appropriate	data could be stored.			
amount of information for				
the task; making				
appropriate use of white				
space.				
Layout:				

consistency throughout the	
whole interface; keeping the	
layout as close as possible	
to user expectations;	
placing important items in	
prominent positions;	
grouping related tasks	
together; use of	
navigational components to	
include search fields,	
breadcrumbs, icons; use of	
input controls, to include	
dropdown lists, tick boxes,	
toggles.	
• User perception of:	
colour, to include green to	
indicate go/successful	
interactions, orange to	
indicate; warnings, red to	
indicate stop/errors; sound,	
to include positive	
high-pitched sounds,	
negative low-pitched	
sounds; symbols, to include	
green ticks, red crosses;	
visuals, to include	
photographs, symbols,	
graphics.	
Retaining user attention:	
grabbing attention, to	
include pop-up messages,	
flashing graphics, sound,	
animation; ensuring the	
screen is uncluttered;	
clearly labelled items/	
features; use of	
predetermined/default predetermined/default	
values for common user	
inputs; use of autofill to	

		reduce the amount of data					
		entry needed, to include					
		postcodes; use of tip text to					
		provide help if the user is					
		unsure what buttons/tools					
		do.					
		Intuitive design: use					
		graphics to denote what					
		buttons do; helpful pop-up					
		messages; easy-to-use help					
		features; ensuring					
		consistency; easy reversal of actions.					
		A4 Designing an efficient user interface					
		Learners will understand the techniques that can be used					
		to improve both the speed					
		and access to user					
		interfaces.					
		 Use of keyboard shortcuts 					
		Informative feedback					
		Easy reversal of actions					
		Ensuring buttons/links are					
		distinguishable					
		Using bigger objects to					
		influence selection and					
		reduce selection time					
		Making objects stand out					
		to reduce focus time					
		Placing related objects					
		next to each other to reduce selection time					
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	Justification	Students need to develop	Collecting data is a	Planning projects ranges	Once data has been collected.	Being reflective and being	Being able to decided what
		an understanding about the	fundamental part of everyday	through every career and	Students need to understand	able to identify strength	data is biased or reliable is an effective skill used across
		way web and screen need to display and present	life. Students need to understand the processes of	job. Students will be able to apply skills learnt to	how to store it. They need to be able to use the data to extract	and weaknesses is an essential skill that all need	an effective skill used across a range of careers.
		display and present	understand the processes of	арріў зкінз іеагні то	able to use the data to extract	essential skill that all fleed	a range of careers.

	information. This will enable them to be able to use this knowledge to be able to recognise effective practice today and in the future.	collecting data, why it needs to be collect and what to do with it once data has been collected and stored. Knowing this will support students in today and in the future by allowing them, if they should collect data know how to handle it without breaking the GDPR.	everyday life, whether it is planning a project at home or in the workplace.	information from and be able to represent it to a range of audience. This will be useful in a range of career roles. In addition, creating data dashboards will support pupils with the delivery of data in a visual way. The skills taught will support students with managing finances if they are self-employed in the future. For example, creating invoices and working out how much money to pay staff and how to calculate tax.	to learn. If pupils can identify what is goof about a project and what they need to develop then the project can move forward more successfully,	Understanding how patterns and errors can arise in a data set is imperative as the world around the pupils is consistently presented data.
Keystone vocabulary	User interface Hardware and software Audience Demographics Design Efficient	Data Information Processing Quantitative Qualitative Threats to data Data collection	Planning tools - Gannt Planning methods – Waterfall, agile and scrum Proposal Constraints Requirements Timescales Design	Formulae Absolute Macros Conditional formatting Formatting Presentation	Purpose Audience East of use Accessibility	Trends Patterns errors Biased Misinterpreted
Links to prior learning	ICT – Students apply what they know about operating systems from 'how computers work' computer systems and software applications Year 7 (2019-2020) Basics and computer safety Small Basic How Internet works P Animation use technology responsibly	Creative Data computer basics sequences Python Small Basic	Business: students can draw on knowledge and skills in business: plans, timescales and planning. Y9 web development and Python – testing programs to see if they work. Student can use and apply knowledge about audience and purpose from web development use technology responsibly (2021-22) Python	Life Skills Year 10 Year 7 spreadsheet modelling	All topics within the computer studies curriculum allow for pupils to identify strengths and areas to improve.	How to find reliable and trustworthy information is – Year 7

			Photoshop Creating Animations Website Development			
Cross-curric ular and careers links	Listening, speaking, staying positive, problem solving, team work, creative, aiming high	thinking skills Listening, speaking, staying positive, problem solving, team work, creative, aiming high (Using Formula in ICT that uses similar constructs to mathematical equations)	Website Development Listening, speaking, staying positive, problem solving, team work, creative, aiming high Business studies – GCSE Business plan and planning a project.	Listening, speaking, staying positive, problem solving, team work, creative, aiming high	Listening, speaking, staying positive, problem solving, team work, creative, aiming high Designing of interface uses drawing skills related to art)	(conclusions – Science) Maths – making recommendations based o data given for example, data shows that more females booked camping trips than males did.
Links to future study	 A Levels as preparation for each study of a vocational qualification prepares learners to enter emuly with development – creating a A-level - Computer Science Digital media – creating a medi	a user interface dia product. a in Information Technology anage Information specifically lin	ge of subjects National in IT, which to move on to higher education	by studying a degree in the digital		account management and
Assessment	Knowledge Quizzes	Small Practice Skills Assessment Mock Assessment Knowledge Quizzes	Small Practice Skills Assessment Mock Assessment Knowledge Quizzes	Small Practice Skills Assessment Mock Assessment Knowledge Quizzes	Small Practice Skills Assessment Mock Assessment Knowledge Quizzes	Small Practice Skills Assessment Mock Assessment Knowledge Quizzes
Homework		Know It All Ninja	Know It All Ninja	Know It All Ninja	Know It All Ninja	Know It All Ninja