



The Mall School

Curriculum Guide

Computing – Autumn Term

Year 4

Teachers: Ms Susan Warrington
Lessons: 1 x 40min
Homework: N/A

Introduction:

National Curriculum Program of Study
Code-It, P. Bagge

Digital Literacy and IT skills

“It means being able to communicate and represent knowledge in different contexts and to different audiences (for example, in visual, audio or textual modes). This involves finding and selecting relevant information, critically evaluating and re-contextualising knowledge and is underpinned by an understanding of the cultural and social contexts in which this takes place.” <https://www.nfer.ac.uk/publications/FUTL06/FUTL06.pdf>

1. Word processing skills and understanding:

By the end of the module the children will be able to:

Understand how to change case using caps locks or shift key; Use the shift key to access symbols on the top of the keys; delete using backspace and delete keys; use re-do and undo; move sentences or words by lassoing to dragging text; use the spell check; can orient page view; can insert picture from a file.

Cross-Curricula – History

Focus – work on a piece of text about the Egyptians

2. Web research and Understanding:

By the end of the module the children will be able to:

Conduct one word searches on a child friendly search engine; bookmark a page; understand the order of results returned; understand multiple word search; copy text from the internet; getting typed text read to you; copying and saving images from the internet.

Cross-Curricula – Geography

Focus – Favourite place

3. Desktop Publishing Skills and Understanding: (Cross-curricula: Geography – Focus create a brochure of favourite place.)

Using the information above, by the end of the module the children will be able to:

Create a simple text box; resize, rotate, format, move and delete a text box; insert multiple text boxes and objects on a page; Insert a picture into the page, insert shapes; format shapes; select, copy, paste objects or groups of objects.

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Resources:

All boys must bring their ICT/Computer Studies folder to each lesson:

Pencil, Rubber, Pencil Sharpener, 30cm Ruler, Colouring Pencils, Highlighter Pens, Glue Stick.