

HIGHFIELDS SCHOOL

CURRICULUM OVERVIEW 2023-2024



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SUBJECT: GCSE COMPUTER SCIENCE

EXAMINATION BOARD: OCR

AUTUMN TERM - YEAR 10	SPRING TERM - YEAR 10	SUMMER TERM - YEAR 10
<p>01: Computer Systems</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">1.1 Systems architecture1.2 Memory and storage <p>02: Computational thinking, algorithms and programming</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">2.2 Programming techniques	<p>01: Computer Systems</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">1.3 Computer networks, connections and protocols1.4 Network security <p>02: Computational thinking, algorithms and programming</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">2.2 Programming techniques	<p>01: Computer Systems</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">1.5 Systems software1.6 Ethical, legal, cultural and environmental impacts of digital technology <p>02: Computational thinking, algorithms and programming</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">2.2 Programming techniques
<p>ASSESSMENT Standard Assessment Exam populated with past exam questions relevant to topic.</p> <p>Computer systems (01) 1 hour and 30 minutes written paper. (No calculators allowed).</p>	<p>ASSESSMENT Standard Assessment Exam populated with past exam questions relevant to topic.</p> <p>Computer systems (01) 1 hour and 30 minutes written paper. (No calculators allowed).</p>	<p>ASSESSMENT Standard Assessment Exam populated with past exam questions relevant to topic.</p> <p>Mock Exam for Component 1.</p> <p>Computer systems (01) 1 hour and 30 minutes written paper. (No calculators allowed).</p>

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AUTUMN TERM - YEAR 11	SPRING TERM - YEAR 11	SUMMER TERM - YEAR 11
<p>01: Computer systems</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Revisit 1.1 Content <p>02: Computational thinking, algorithms and programming</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 2.3 Producing robust programs• 2.4 Boolean logic	<p>02: Computational thinking, algorithms and programming</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 2.1 Algorithms• 2.2 Programming fundamentals• 2.5 Programming languages and Integrated Development Environments	<p>Revisit, Rehearse and Reduce units to support retrieval for formal GCSEs.</p>
<p>ASSESSMENT Standard Assessment Exam populated with past exam questions relevant to topic. Mock exam to rehearse Component 1.</p> <p>Computational thinking, algorithms and programming (02) 80 marks. 1 hour and 30 minutes.</p> <p>Computer systems (01) 80 marks. 1 hour and 30 minutes written paper. (No calculators allowed).</p>	<p>ASSESSMENT Standard Assessment Exam populated with past exam questions relevant to topic.</p> <p>Computational thinking, algorithms and programming (02) 80 marks. 1 hour and 30 minutes.</p>	<p>ASSESSMENT Computational thinking, algorithms and programming (02) 80 marks. 1 hour and 30 minutes.</p> <p>Computer systems (01) 80 marks. 1 hour and 30 minutes written paper. (No calculators allowed).</p>