

Spring Term 1 Year 1 Computing

Key facts

Children will learn to log on to laptops and Purple Mash safely and will recognise the importance of keeping their passwords safe. They will develop their navigational skills of Purple Mash; altering their avatar to reflect themselves, accessing work and saving it for later.

Children will be able to describe examples of technology around the school and in the local community. E.g. Interactive whiteboards, laptops, iPads and mobile phones, radio, social media, television. They will be able to record examples of technology and its uses.

Pupils will also explore e-books and their purpose; discussing how to make stories more interesting through recordings, sounds, music and animation.

Develop an understanding of how to safely connect with others

Prior Knowledge

Children will have experience of logging into Purple Mash, creating their avatar and saving work.

Key Vocabulary

Navigating, ownership, refecton, log in, password, save, technology, animation, recording, music, pictures, background.

Brief summary/ overview

This half term pupils continue to embed and develop their understanding of how to keep themselves and others safe online, whilst enjoying what technology has to offer.

They will secure their knowledge of accessing and saving work and the importance of this and explore the fun that can be had through e-books.

Cross curricular links/visits

History – make links to how technology has changed since the first aeroplane flight.

Resources

Laptops – Purple Mash
Interactive Whiteboard