



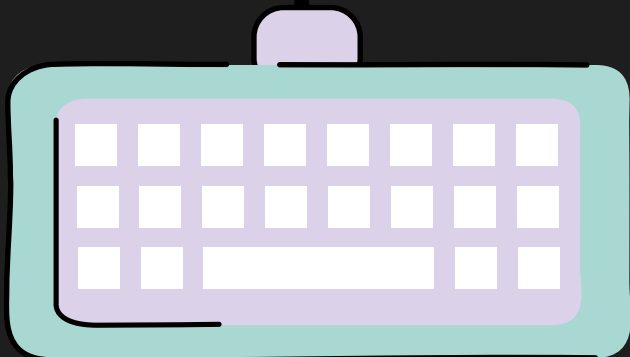
Computing

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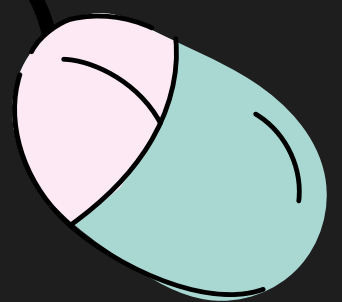
What facilities are there?

There are 3 dedicated ICT suites for Computing lessons with a further 3 or 4 bookable ICT suites for other subjects. All classrooms have an interactive whiteboard which teaching staff use to enhance the quality of their lessons. There is a wide range of software including Adobe Photoshop, Dreamweaver, Scratch and many more.



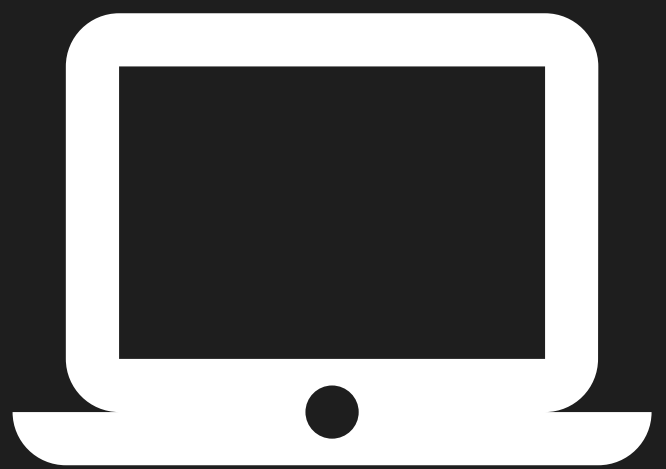
What topics are covered in Key Stage 3?

Topics include Computational thinking, Understanding Computers, Programming in Scratch & Python, Digital Editing in Photoshop, Mastering spreadsheets and databases, an Introduction to web development and many more..



How often are the Computing lessons?

The students have a 60minute timetabled lesson when they can develop their skills to enable them to access the full range of ICT facilities in the school



What options are available at KS4 & 5?

In year 10 students can choose between the Cambridge National qualification in IT or a GCSE in Computing Science. There are 5 lessons over a fortnight. In KS5, students currently choose to study a BTEC in ICT. There are also plans for BTEC Computing and A'level Computing



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