



Feedback from Key Stage 1 children about Computing (June 2022)

General questions about Computing

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Action to take as a result of Pupil Feedback on Computing from June 2022

- Liaise with KS1 for opportunities for children to use tablets more in class.
- Improve aspects of technology in school.
- KS1 Computing Club to raise the profile for younger children.

Action taken by subject leader since June 2022

- Tablets are readily available for Early years if they decide they want to use them. With the new suite being timetables Early years have opted to mainly use this.
- There has been a new Computing Suite design with new equipment to facilitate the subject as much as possible.
- There will be a KS1 Computing Club starting in Summer Term 2/Autumn Term 1.

What is Computing about?

- We can program things.
- We get to type things using the keyboards.
- We can do our homework using computers.
- Using the internet.

Why is Computing important?

- To help us with jobs when we are older.
- To learn more things.

Tell me about your favourite Topic in Computing and tell me why you enjoyed learning about this

- Scratch – We get to move sprites wherever we like and we can change the backgrounds.
- Beebots – We liked directing them on a map and can move them in different directions. We had to press buttons to make them work.
- Learning about computers – I got to find out all about the different parts of a computer and what their jobs are.

Are there any areas in Computing that you are still unsure about?

- I would like to understand things better.
- I would like to be able to type faster.
- I would like to use the internet more.

How do you know if you are doing well in Computing?

- My teacher tells me that I have done well.
- I will finish the job that I have been asked to do.
- I get team points.

What happens if you are finding work difficult in Computing?

- We ask the teacher or helper.
- We ask a friend to help us.

What do you need to do to improve your learning in Computing?

- Practice to type faster and do more on Scratch at home.
- We need to listen well so we know what we are doing.

Last term, you completed some work using Beebots in Computing, what can you tell me about it?

- We moved them around by pressing different buttons.
- They did exactly what we made them do.
- They can only move forwards, backwards, left and right.
- We made them move on a map and in a maze.

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If you were to complete this work again, what would you do differently?
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I would make the maze and map harder. I would like to try a Beebot with diagonal directions.
Can you explain what some of this Computing vocabulary means?
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Font – Make letters bigger and change the colour (Children needed to see Microsoft Word to remind them of this). Key – This is a button you press on the keyboard. Double click – Click the left button of the mouse twice. Cursor – A white arrow that shows you where to click. Open – Finding work that you have already saved (Children needed a little prompt for this).
Can you think where this learning link to things that you have learned before in Computing with a different teacher?
Children could remember using purple mash animation last year and remembered coding using the fish and bubbles game. Some remembered using PowerPoint but could not give me an specific details about it.

Subject specific questions about Computing

What can you tell me about how you could stay safe online?
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Don't follow someone that you don't know. Ignore people who are mean and tell a grown up. Don't share your name and address. Block people if they upset you.
What other lessons have you used Computing skills in?
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We have done maths on them to play games. We would like to use the computers for other lessons.
What are your thoughts about the Green Room?
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We like using it and watching the videos in assembly. We like changing the backgrounds. Filming helps us be confident.
What improvements would you like to see in Computing?
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We enjoy using it to perform our poems. We like to watch it when we have done a Green Room Project. We feel special when we get to use it. Sometime we feel nervous when performing on the camera but we still like it.

Action to take as a result of Key Stage 1 Pupil Feedback on Computing

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Allow the children to take part in a KS1 computing club. Produce a document on how computing can be used through other subjects for staff. Distribute kindles in class to be used for cross curricular purposes.
Next Pupil Feedback review: Summer Term 2024

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