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# Year 8

## Plan Of Learning For The Year (Unit/Topic/Project Context)

#### Half Term 1

• Parts of a computer (hardware and software)

#### Half Term 2

• Computer Security

#### Half Term 3

• Text based programming in Python

### Half Term 4

• Turtle programming in Python

#### Half Term 5

• Programming Microbits with buggies

#### Half Term 6

Animations in Blender

| Feedback, Retrieval & Assessment                                                                                       | Super curriculum opportunities / extra-curricular activities                                                                        | Cultural Capital, SMSC, Careers and Futures    |
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| <ul> <li>Self and peer assessment</li> <li>End of unit marked assessments</li> <li>Verbal Q and A in lesson</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Opportunity to look inside a PC during half term 1</li> <li>Opportunity to use robotics kits during half term 5</li> </ul> | Links to cyber security careers in half term 2 |

| Common misconceptions                                                  | Connecting New Knowledge                                                                                               | Challenge for all                               |
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| Information about laptop vs.chromebook vs.     MacBook in half term 1. | Units have been planned out in a specific order so<br>that there is knowledge building on top of previous<br>learning. | Industry standard software used in half term 6. |