

## Computing linked to the Curriculum Drivers

Curriculum Driver	Links to Computing
Christianity and Faith	In Computing we promote spiritual awareness by asking the children the bigger questions to allow them to be more engaged and motivated within their learning. This will help the children flourish and have a more positive approach to their learning. You will also see Christian values within Computing such as teamwork (looking after one another making sure that we are all safe), trust, respect and creation. We encourage children to support one another and educate them about how to keep themselves and others safe while using the internet. We believe that E-safety forms a fundamental part of our schools safeguarding and curriculum.
Our Local Area	In Computing, with the use of search engines and maps we can make links with the Geography of our local area. We can understand and make connections within our local area, (how much Roman history surrounds us in Northumberland and how accessible it is to us). We can link our searches to our lessons (RE, English, Geography, History, Science) being taught. Learning how to search for information safely and which websites to trust.
Outdoor Growing, Learning and Environment	Children are encouraged to use the technology in and out of the classroom environment to challenge their learning. Children can use technology across different curriculum areas learning how to record their learning. This could be through photographs or videos being taken. This is also a way of us communicating and feeding back to the parents about what their children have been learning in school.
Wider World and Diversity	Computing is an area of education which is developing and growing constantly. We want to ensure that our children have the skills to be able to be computer literate now and later in life. Homework is often set online for the children to complete. We ensure that families can lease computers from the school if needed. We continue to strive to prepare our children to thrive in an increasingly digital world. Through all curriculum subjects the children can make connections with the wider world - children can access information from all over the world at any time.

