

St Bartholomew's C of E Primary School – Modern Foreign Languages (Spanish) Curriculum Intent



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At St Bartholomew's Church of England Primary School, we value the impact technology has on our pupils' lives. We want all pupils to be Computer Literate and enjoy using technology purposefully and safely. Technology is everywhere and it will play a pivotal part in our children's future. Therefore, we want to model and educate our pupils on how to use technology positively, responsibly and safely. We want our pupils to be creators not consumers and this is reflected in our broad and balanced curriculum encompassing Computer Science, Information Technology and Digital Literacy. At St Barts', we want our pupils to understand that there is always a choice with using technology and as a school we utilise technology (especially social media) to model positive use. We recognise that the best prevention for many issues we currently see with technology and social media is through education.

At St Barts', we recognise that technology can allow pupils to share their learning in creative ways. We also understand the accessibility opportunities that technology can provide for our pupils. Our knowledge and vocabulary rich curriculum is designed to allow opportunities for our pupils to apply their knowledge creatively, which will in turn help our pupils become skilful computer scientists.

As a school we encourage our staff to try and embed computing across the whole curriculum to make learning creative and accessible. We want our pupils to be fluent with a range of tools. By the end of Upper Key Stage 2, children will have the independence and confidence to choose the best tool to fulfil the task and challenges set by teachers and themselves. We encourage all pupils to be resilient in how they tackle the challenges in front of them. Our Computing Curriculum aims to engage all our pupils in the world of computing through a love and respect for all aspects of technology.

At St Barts', we aim to utilise technology to help see the world around use. We encourage our pupils to be active learners and we look to develop the children's knowledge of computing through after school clubs and visitors from our local area. These could include visits from website / app designers, game designers, photographers and links to local high schools and colleges. These allow our children to explore the possibilities that technology can provide as we aim to provide memorable and inspirational computing lessons.