

Levels 9 & 10 Overview of units

** marks spotlighted unit for the school

We note that some curriculum content descriptors are not addressed in this overview at the time of publishing. School snapshots for the case studies project are classified on a spectrum from "starting out" to "consolidating practices".



	Unit A	Unit B	Unit C	Unit D
Title / theme	9 Creating Digital Solutions	9 & 10 Digital Systems	10 Data & Information	9&10 Creating Digital Solutions
Summary / intention	Game Design using simple drag and drop interface (Clickteam Fusion) to represent code & logic. Students to play each other's game for constructive feedback	Hardware/Software components in computer networks including LAN, WAN, DNS, DHCP, wireless encryptions, wireless protocols	Internet of Things (IoT) devices and impact of infrastructure development and social issues	Structured programming methodology using Microsoft Visual Basic.NET. Each student creates a simple (quiz) game based on their preferential theme. Analysis, Design, Develop and Evaluation stages are covered.
Approximate number of hours	4 to learn	2 and 2	3	30
Assessment piece or pieces	4 folios 1 project	Online test	1 research assignment	6 folios, 1 test, 1 project
Hardware and software tools used	Clickteam Fusion 2.5 free edition	PowerPoint	Publisher/PowerPoint/Word	Visual Basic.NET Community Ed
Curriculum Content Descriptions addressed:	<p>DIGITAL SYSTEMS</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> VCDTDS045</p> <p>DATA AND INFORMATION</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> VCDTDI046</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> VCDTDI047</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> VCDTDI048</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> VCDTDI049</p> <p>CREATING DIGITAL SOLUTIONS</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> VCDTCD050</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> VCDTCD051</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> VCDTCD052</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> VCDTCD053</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> VCDTCD054</p>	<p>DIGITAL SYSTEMS</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> VCDTDS045</p> <p>DATA AND INFORMATION</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> VCDTDI046</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> VCDTDI047</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> VCDTDI048</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> VCDTDI049</p> <p>CREATING DIGITAL SOLUTIONS</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> VCDTCD050</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> VCDTCD051</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> VCDTCD052</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> VCDTCD053</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> VCDTCD054</p>	<p>DIGITAL SYSTEMS</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> VCDTDS045</p> <p>DATA AND INFORMATION</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> VCDTDI046</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> VCDTDI047</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> VCDTDI048</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> VCDTDI049</p> <p>CREATING DIGITAL SOLUTIONS</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> VCDTCD050</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> VCDTCD051</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> VCDTCD052</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> VCDTCD053</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> VCDTCD054</p>	<p>DIGITAL SYSTEMS</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> VCDTDS045</p> <p>DATA AND INFORMATION</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> VCDTDI046</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> VCDTDI047</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> VCDTDI048</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> VCDTDI049</p> <p>CREATING DIGITAL SOLUTIONS</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> VCDTCD050</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> VCDTCD051</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> VCDTCD052</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> VCDTCD053</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> VCDTCD054</p>
DIGITAL SYSTEMS	<p>VCDTDS045: Investigate the role of hardware and software in managing, controlling and securing the movement of and access to data in networked digital systems.</p>			
DATA AND INFORMATION	<p>VCDTDI046: Analyse simple compression of data and how content data are separated from presentation.</p>			
DATA AND INFORMATION	<p>VCDTDI047: Develop techniques for acquiring, storing and validating quantitative and qualitative data from a range of sources, considering privacy and security requirements.</p>			
DATA AND INFORMATION	<p>VCDTDI048: Analyse and visualise data to create information and address complex problems, and model processes, entities and their relationships using structured data.</p>			
DATA AND INFORMATION	<p>VCDTDI049: Manage and collaboratively create interactive solutions for sharing ideas and information online, taking into account social contexts and legal responsibilities.</p>			
CREATING DIGITAL SOLUTIONS	<p>VCDTCD050: Define and decompose real-world problems precisely, taking into account functional and non-functional requirements and including interviewing stakeholders to identify needs.</p>			
CREATING DIGITAL SOLUTIONS	<p>VCDTCD051: Design the user experience of a digital system, evaluating alternative designs against criteria including functionality, accessibility, usability and aesthetics.</p>			
CREATING DIGITAL SOLUTIONS	<p>VCDTCD052: Design algorithms represented diagrammatically and in structured English and validate algorithms and programs through tracing and test cases.</p>			
CREATING DIGITAL SOLUTIONS	<p>VCDTCD053: Develop modular programs, applying selected algorithms and data structures including using an object-oriented programming language.</p>			
CREATING DIGITAL SOLUTIONS	<p>VCDTCD054: Evaluate critically how well student-developed solutions and existing information systems and policies take account of future risks and sustainability and provide opportunities for innovation.</p>			

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