



Year 6 – Autumn 2
We Are Publishers
Computing

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In this unit, the pupils will produce a digital magazine using desktop publishing tools. They will source, write, edit and combine images and text from a range of sources

Information Technology

Prior Knowledge

Children will know how to safely research a chosen subject and consider its validity. Children should be confident with the copy and paste feature



E-safety:

To understand that anyone can post content online and to be mindful of trusted sources of information.

Computing Key Vocabulary

Desktop Publishing (DTP)

Software and hardware system designed to produce high quality print/media for users with limited or no experience in publishing or printing

Export

To save media in a format such that it can be watched, listened to or read by others without access to the editing software used in its production.

Portable Document Format (PDF)

A file format for capturing and sending electronic documents in exactly the intended format – recipients cannot alter the original document

Shortcuts

Shortcuts in computing help to speed up the process of certain tasks. By holding the Ctrl and C button, a user can copy an item in a more efficient way.

Transmedia

Content developed across multiple platforms in a variety of different media, for example a website accompanying a television series.

Word processor

A program or machine for storing, manipulating, and formatting text entered from a keyboard and providing a printout.



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This half term we will be using...

Hardware	Software/Apps
Winbooks/ Chromebooks iPods	Canva.com



Transmedia

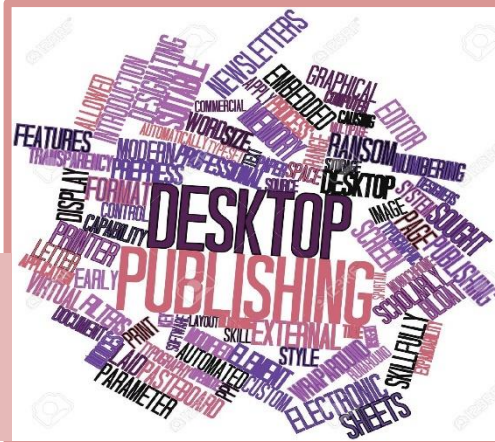


Different ways of sharing stories.

Desktop-publishing software can be used to create the layout for a wide range of different publications



Image: Minoo/Wikipe



moving text around

Keyboard Shortcuts

Ctrl + A

select all

Ctrl + X

cut

Ctrl + C

copy

Ctrl + V

paste

Ctrl + A + C +
N + V

copy all & paste
into a new doc