



Computer Science Department

Computer Science is a successful department characterised by strong team-work and excellent working relationships. Everyone contributes to the work of the department by developing resources and materials in an ever-changing subject area. Continuing professional development is integral, staff are encouraged to partake in NCCE CPD. We can guarantee that the successful applicant, irrespective of their experience, will be offered every opportunity to extend their professional development throughout all the key stages at Blue Coat.

The Computer Science department is soon to relocate to a new, purpose built, suite of classrooms. Teachers will have their own classrooms and there is a Computer Science department workroom. Computer Science runs a range of extra-curricular activities for all students using Lego Robots, MicroBits and digital platforms.

We enter competitions and challenges, both locally and nationally. We offer clubs at KS3 to extend pupils skills using a range of tools e.g. Kodu, Micro-Bits, Python and Lego Robots.

Computer Science is a lively, forward-looking department of dedicated professionals who seek to inspire and enthuse students to enjoy Computer Science and see its worth, both in class and beyond, whilst encouraging and contributing to their cultural and personal development.

Key Stage 4	9 to 7			9 to 5			9 to 4		
	2022	2023	2024	2022	2023	2024	2022	2023	2024
Computer Science	27%	6%	33%	73%	56%	70%	86%	69%	80%

Key Stage 5	A*-A			A*-B			A*-E		
	2022	2023	2024	2022	2023	2024	2022	2023	2024
Computer Science	23%	25%	0%	54%	38%	21%	100%	88%	93%