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Term	Week	Focus	Summary	Learning Outcomes	Learning skills
Term 1.1	1	Computing Induction	Rules, Expectations and Systems	To understand the rules and expectations while in the computer lab. Ability to log on, set up and use systems needed this academic year.	Collaboration and working in a team
	2	Understanding Computers	Elements of a Computer	Compare and contrast input with output devices & hardware with software	META-THINKING-Strategy planning Analysing
	3		The CPU	Explore the components of the CPU and the fetch execute cycle	META-THINKING-Strategy planning
	4		ROM and RAM	Describing and debating the uses of ROM and RAM	AGILE- Enquiring Research skills
	5		Storage devices	Exploring a variety of storage devices and their appropriate use	ANALYSING-Precision Collaboration
	6		Operating System	Understand the roles of an operating system	META THINKING – Metacognition Research skill
	7		Assessment and DIRT		



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Term 1.2	1	Database Development	Introduction to Databases	Explain the roles of a database, its components and various structures	AGILE- Open minded Research
	2		Creating a Database table	Exploring keys and creating databases tables	CREATING-Flexible thinking
	3		Queries	Explore the roles of queries within databases	AGILE- Risk-taking Critical Thinking
	4		Input Forms	Demonstrate how to create a use forms for data entry	CREATING- Intellectual playfulness
	5		Creating a report	Ability to retrieve and present information from a database in a meaningful way	Linking-Seeing alternative perspective
	6		Finishing and Testing	Testing your database and collating feedback	Analysing Critical Thinking Collaboration
	7		Assessment DIRT	Project feedback and DIRT	