

Curriculum overview

Children learn how to use a mouse confidently to click, drag and drop objects on a computer. They will also learn how to log on safely using a username and password, and understand the importance of keeping passwords private and telling a trusted adult if they need help.

Key vocabulary

computer	A machine that follows instructions to help people do different jobs.
Mouse	A mouse helps us move and click things on the computer screen.
log on	To use a username and password to sign in to an account or computer.
Log off	To sign out when you have finished using the account or computer.
Password	A secret code made up of numbers, letters and symbols.
username	A name you use to log onto a computer or account.
Account	Somewhere our information can be stored and seen safely using a username and password.
clipart	A collection of images that can be used on the computer.

Our topic is... **Improving Mouse Skills**



Sticky knowledge

- A mouse is used to control the pointer on the screen.
- A computer needs instructions from a user to complete tasks.
- We use a username and password to use an account or computer.
- Passwords should be kept safe and private; we can tell a trusted adult it to help us.

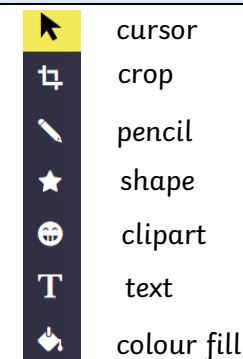
Mouse Trackpad



Important Buttons



Sketchpad Icons



Key images:

