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Levels E-2 & Early Stage 1



Content Descriptions	Objectives and Outcomes
Australian Curriculum Levels F-2	New South Wales Early Stage 1
Knowledge and understanding Digital Systems	Knowledge and Understanding
Recognise and explore digital systems (hardware and software) components for a purpose (ACTDIK001) Representation of data Recognise and explore patterns in data and represent data as pictures, symbols and diagrams (ACTDIK002)	Identifies digital systems and explores how instructions are used to control digital devices (ST-e7DI-T)
Process of production skills Collecting, managing and analysing data	Skills
Collect, explore and sort data, and use digital systems to present the data creatively (ACTDIP003)	observes, questions and collects data to communicate ideas (STe-1WS-S)
Investigating and defining	Design and Production Skills Continuum Identifying and defining
Following, describe and represent a sequence of steps and decisions (algorithms) needed to solve simple problems (ACTDIP004)	follow a sequence of steps and decisions (algorithms) needed to solve problems order a sequence of steps and decisions (algorithms) needed to solve problems (ACTDIP004) Design and Production Skills Continuum
	Producing and implementing sequence steps to solve a problem with guidance
Generating and designing	
Evaluating	Design and Production Skills Continuum Testing and evaluating
Explore how people safely use common information systems to meet information, communication and recreation needs (ACTDIP005)	explore how people safely use information systems to meet information, communication and recreation needs (ACTDIP005)
Collaborating and managing	Working Scientifically Skills Continuum Planning and conducting investigations
Create and organise ideas and information using information systems independently and with others, and share these with known people in safe online environments (ACTDIP006)	work collaboratively with others to investigate ideas

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Achievement Standards	Stage Statements
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By the end of Year 2, students identify how common digital	By the end of Early Stage 1
systems (hardware and software) are used to meet specific	They collect data and communicate their ideas and
purposes. They use digital systems to represent simple	observations in a variety of ways. Students investigate
patterns in data in different ways. Students design	possibilities and solutions, individually and in collaboration
solutions to simple problems using a sequence of steps and	with others, and use the design process to develop solutions.
decisions. They collect familiar data and display them to	
convey meaning. They create and organise ideas and	Students also identify familiar digital systems and follow a
information using information systems, and share	simple set of instructions.
information in safe online environments.	

* For the purpose of this document, any NSW Syllabus Objectives and Outcomes, Continuum or Stage Statements that do not directly align to the Australian Digital Technologies Curriculum have been removed.

