



## Digital Technologies: Sequence of content F-10 Digital Technologies Strand Knowledge and understanding

|                        | F  | 1–2  | 3–4  | 5–6   | 7–8   | 9–10   |
|------------------------|--|--|--|---|---|--|
| Digital<br>Systems     | recognise & explore digital systems (hardware & software) for a purpose AC9TDIFK01 | identify & explore digital systems & their components for a purpose AC9TDI2K01 | explore & describe a range of digital systems & their peripherals for a variety of purposes AC9TDI4K01   | investigate the main internal components of common digital systems & their function AC9TDI6K01  examine how digital   | explain how hardware specifications affect performance & select appropriate hardware for tasks & workloads AC9TDI8K01   | investigate how hardware & software manage, control & secure access to data in networked digital systems AC9TDI10K01                                   |
|                        |  |  | explore transmitting<br>different types of data<br>between digital<br>systems AC9TDI4K02   | systems form networks to transmit data AC9TDI6K02   | investigate how data is<br>transmitted & secured in<br>wired & wireless networks<br>including the internet<br>AC9TDI8K02  |  |
| Data<br>representation | represent data<br>as objects,<br>pictures &<br>symbols<br>AC9TDIFK02               | represent data as pictures, symbols, numbers & words AC9TDI2K02                | recognise different<br>types of data & explore<br>how the same data can<br>be represented<br>differently depending<br>on the purpose<br>AC9TDI4K03 | explain how digital systems represent all data using numbers AC9TDI6K03  explore how data can be represented by off & on states (zeros & ones in binary) AC9TDI6K04 | investigate how digital systems represent text, image & audio data using integers AC9TDI8K03  explain how & why digital systems represent integers in binary AC9TDI8K04 | represent documents online as content (text), structure (markup) & presentation (styling) & explain why such representations are important AC9TDI10K02 |
|                        |  |  |  |   |   | investigate simple data compression techniques AC9TDI10K03   |





## Digital Technologies: Sequence of Content F–10 Strand Processes and production skills

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| Acquiring,<br>managing and<br>analysing data |   |   |   |   | acquire, store & validate data from a range of sources using software, including spreadsheets & databases AC9TDI8P01  analyse & visualise data using a range of software, including spreadsheets & databases, to draw conclusions & make predictions by identifying trends AC9TDI8P02  model & query the attributes of objects & events using structured data AC9TDI8P03 | develop techniques to acquire, store and validate data from a range of sources using software, including spreadsheets and databases AC9TDI10P01  analyse and visualise data interactively using a range of software, including spreadsheets and databases, to draw conclusions and make predictions by identifying trends and outliers AC9TDI10P02  model & query entities & their relationships using structured data AC9TDI10P03 |
| Investigating and defining                   |   | investigate simple problems for known users that can be solved with digital systems  AC9TDI2P01 | define problems with given design criteria & by co-creating user stories AC9TDI4P01 | define problems with given<br>or co-developed design<br>criteria & by creating user<br>stories AC9TDI6P01 | define & decompose real-<br>world problems with<br>design criteria & by<br>creating user stories<br>AC9TDI8P04   | define & decompose real-<br>world problems with<br>design criteria & by<br>interviewing stakeholders<br>to create user stories<br>AC9TDI10P04  |





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| Generating and designing   |   | follow & describe algorithms involving a sequence of steps, branching (decisions) & iteration (repetition) AC9TDI2P02 | follow & describe algorithms involving sequencing, comparison operators (branching) & iteration AC9TDI4P02  generate, communicate & compare designs AC9TDI4P03 | algorithms design involving multiple alternatives (branching) & iteration AC9TDI6P02  design a user interface for a digital system AC9TDI6P03  generate, modify, communicate & evaluate designs AC9TDI6P04 | design algorithms involving nested control structures & represent them using flowcharts & pseudocode AC9TDI8P05  trace algorithms to predict output for a given input & to identify errors AC9TDI8P06  design the user experience of a digital system AC9TDI8P07  generate, modify, communicate & evaluate alternative designs AC9TDI8P08 | design algorithms involving logical operators & represent them as flowcharts & pseudocode AC9TDI10P05  validate algorithms & programs by comparing their output against a range of test cases AC9TDI10P06  design & prototype the user experience of a digital system AC9TDI10P07  generate, modify, communicate & critically evaluate alternative designs AC9TDI10P08 |
| Producing and implementing |   |   | implement simple algorithms as visual programs involving control structures & input AC9TDI4P04   | implement algorithms as visual programs involving control structures, variables & input AC9TDI6P05   | implement, modify & debug programs involving control structures & functions in a general-purpose programming language AC9TDI8P09  | implement, modify & debug modular programs, applying selected algorithms & data structures, including in an object-oriented programming language AC9TDI10P09   |
| Evaluating                 |   | discuss how existing digital systems satisfy identified needs for known users AC9TDI2P03                              | discuss how existing & student solutions satisfy the design criteria & user stories AC9TDI4P05   | evaluate existing & student solutions against the design criteria & user stories & their broader community impact AC9TDI6P06   | evaluate existing & student solutions against the design criteria, user stories & possible future impact AC9TDI8P10   | evaluate existing & student solutions against the design criteria, user stories, possible future impact & opportunities for enterprise AC9TDI10P10   |





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| Collaborating<br>and managing |  | use the basic features of common digital tools to create, locate and communicate content AC9TDI2P04  use the basic features of common digital tools to share content & collaborate demonstrating agreed behaviours, guided by trusted adults AC9TDI2P05 | use the core features of common digital tools to create, locate & communicate content, following agreed conventions AC9TDI4P06  use the core features of common digital tools to share content, plan tasks, & collaborate, following agreed behaviours, supported by trusted adults AC9TDI4P07 | select & use appropriate digital tools effectively to create, locate & communicate content, applying common conventions AC9TDI6P07  select & use appropriate digital tools effectively to share content online, plan tasks & collaborate on projects, demonstrating agreed behaviours AC9TDI6P08 | select & use a range of digital tools efficiently, including unfamiliar features, to create, locate & communicate content, consistently applying common conventions AC9TDI8P11  select & use a range of digital tools efficiently & responsibly to share content online, & plan & manage individual & collaborative agile projects AC9TDI8P12 | select & use emerging digital tools & advanced features to create & communicate interactive content for a diverse audience AC9TDI10P11  use simple project management tools to plan & manage individual & collaborative agile projects, accounting for risks & responsibilities  AC9TDI10P12 |
| Privacy and security          | identify some<br>data that is<br>personal &<br>owned by them<br>AC9TDIFP01 | access their school account with a recorded username and password AC9TDI2P06  discuss that some websites & apps store their personal data online AC9TDI2P07   | access their school account using a memorised password & explain why it should be easy to remember, but hard for others to guess AC9TDI4P08  identify what personal data is stored & shared in their online accounts & discuss any associated risks AC9TDI4P09                                 | access multiple personal accounts using unique passphrases & explain the risks of password reuse AC9TDI6P09  explain the creation & permanence of their digital footprint & consider privacy when collecting user data AC9TDI6P10  | explain how multi-factor authentication protects an account when the password is compromised & identify phishing & other cyber security threats AC9TDI8P13  investigate & manage the digital footprint existing systems & student solutions collect, & assess if the data is essential to their purpose AC9TDI8P14                            | develop cyber security threat models, & explore a software, user or software supply chain vulnerability AC9TDI10P13  apply the Australian Privacy Principles to critique & manage the digital footprint that existing systems & student solutions collect AC9TDI10P14                        |