Year 7 ICT Assessment Criteria – Term 1 (E-Safety and Basic Computer Use)

	Content	Application	Analysis	Literacy
Emerging	- I can show some basic understanding of the key e-safety issues - I can recognise some threats and issues that might impact my safety online - I can suggest whether or not data might be trustworthy - I might be aware of some ethical issues in ICT	- I can use some basic software (MS Office Packages – including Teams) - I can recognise and use some simple hardware (Mouse, Monitor, Keyboard) but I might need support with this.	I can make simple evaluations and judgements on the use of computers and E-safety. I might use limited sources of information and may need help. I.e. I can explain why a particular website might not be safe but my reasoning might be limited.	- I can use basic ICT language but it is limited - My spellings of key terms are often incorrect. - I can attempt to construct some simple sentences using key terms.
Developing	- I can show understanding of the key e-safety issues - I can recognise threats and issues that might impact my safety online - I can suggest whether or not data might be trustworthy with basic reasoning - I am aware of ethical issues in ICT	- I can use basic software with some confidence (MS Office – Inc. Teams) - I can recognise and use simple hardware with few issues - I can recognise some more complex hardware and software but might need some help with this.	I can make simple evaluations and judgements on the use of computers and E-safety. I will use some varied sources of information and I might consider the reliability of these sources.	- I can use basic ICT language - My spellings of key terms are sometimes incorrect. - I can to construct some simple sentences using key terms.

			• I can start to use computers for creative purposes or to support my creativity.		
Securing	• I often show understanding of the key e-safety issues • I can recognise threats and issues that might impact my safety online and I can establish why they are threats. • I can suggest whether or not data might be trustworthy with clear reasoning • I am aware of ethical issues in ICT and why they might present a problem.	• I can use basic software with confidence (MS Office – Inc. Teams) • I can recognise and use simple hardware confidently • I can recognise some more complex hardware and software. • I can use computers for creative purposes or to support my creativity.	• I can make evaluations and judgements on the use of computers and E-safety. I will use varied sources of information and I might consider the reliability of these sources.	• I can use basic ICT language and I can use some more complex terms • My spellings of key terms are mostly correct. • I can to construct sentences using key terms.
Mastering	• I always show understanding of the key e-safety issues • I can recognise a wide range of threats and issues that impact my safety online and I can establish why they are threats. • I can confidently suggest whether or not data might be trustworthy with clear reasoning	• I can use basic software with confidence (MS Office – Inc. Teams) • I can recognise and use simple hardware confidently and I can recognise and use more complex hardware and software. • I can often use computers for creative	• I can make in depth evaluations and judgements on the use of computers and E-safety. I will use varied sources of information and I will consider the reliability of these sources.	• I can use a wide range ICT language • My spellings of key terms are correct. • I can to construct complex sentences using key terms that are clear and consistent.

	• I am aware of ethical issues in ICT and why they present a problem.	purposes or to support my creativity.		