CURRICULUM IMPACT STATEMENT: ICT

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    - **KS4 is the Creative Imedia course. It will develop students' skills in Game design, Graphic design and story boarding. These relate to many Media careers including the arts, film, TV, Gaming and advertising.**
    - **ICT skills include the use of Databases. Database skills have links with Maths. They have links with careers in Accountancy, business and other types of employment.**
    - **Skills in the use of presentation software like PowerPoint and Word are developed. Careers links would be business, education, graphics and other types of employment.**
    - **Promote good qualities and behaviours within the classroom to maintain a positive work ethic.**

Implementation

- **Students will tick off the skills learned in each lesson on what's called an MMG and a Learning ladder.**
- **Each student will have learning ladders that will lead to meeting skill levels at each key stage.**
- **Literacy developed in every lesson. Students will develop their ICT English word vocabulary.**
- **Work is project based and printed in student folders.**

Impact

- **Students develop essential skills including folder structures, formatting, Email, printing and the use of cloud computing.**
- **Students will be better able to work across all subjects through skills learned in ICT for example, Internet searching skills.**
- **Students develop understanding that will make better and safer use of Smart phones and technology in general.**
- **Students will understand the basics of computers and how they work.**
- **Students able to extend their vocabulary using ICT related terminology.**
- **Students will have an improved knowledge of career options that relate to ICT.**
- **Students will learn how ICT can be useful in any career option.**