## Sittingbourne Community College Computer Science Department

The department currently occupies three computer suites and has range of resources ranging from Google Chromebooks to microbits. The school utilises Google Classroom for all teaching from KS3 to KS5 and pupils have home access to all aspects that Google Education provides. Pupils in Year 7 are taught using G-Suite, enabling their school career to be a computer literate one.

This friendly and driven department currently offers KS3 Computer Science to Year 7 and 8 where pupils choose options. In ICT, the options are a 9 to 1 GCSE in Computer Science or a BTEC in Digital Information Technology, depending on pupil ability. At KS5, the department currently offers BTEC Level 3 in Computing to pupils from the Swale Sixth Form.

The department works collaboratively to create schemes of work that engage learners with all aspects of Computer Science from Year 7 onwards.