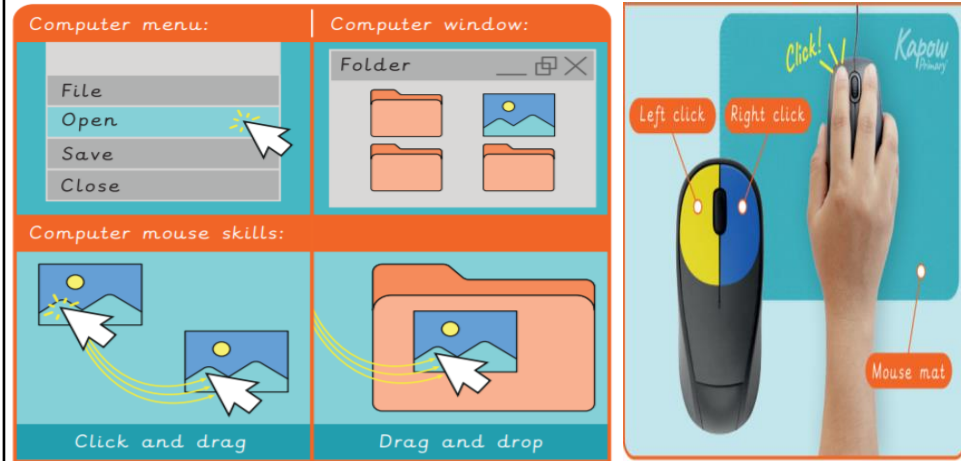| | Castlefield School- Computing | |
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## How to use computers purposefully and safely.

- Computers are used for a clear purpose.
- Learn how to login and navigate around a computer.
- Develop mouse skills and tips.
- Learn how to drag, drop, click and control the cursor to create works of art inspired by Kandinsky.
- Produce self portraits using the new mouse skills.

## Key Skills



## Key Vocabulary

| Account | Somewhere that information can be stored and seen safely using a username and password. |
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| Clipart | A collection of images that can be used on a computer. |
| Computer | Electronic machines that accept and process information to produce an output and store the results. |
| Log on | Put in a unique username and password to access your personal account. |
| Log off | Lock your account. |
| Mouse | A mouse is used to move things around on a computer screen. |
| Password | A secret word made up of letters, numbers and symbols that works like a key to keep an account safe. |
| Resize | Change the height and width of an object. |
| Screen (monitor) | Part of a computer that displays pictures, videos and words. |
| Software | A set of instructions written for a computer to follow, often known as apps. |
| Tool | Something that helps with a particular task. For example, a ruler helps to measure. |
| Username | The unique name or email address of an account. |

## Websites to help:

Sketchpad is free online drawing software that can be accessed via internet browsers such as Chrome or Safari:
https://sketch.io/sketchpad/

BBC Bitesize has lots of information about computers and how to stay safe:
https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zymykqt