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| <b>EXPECTATIONS</b>  | <p>➤ Remind yourself of the subject expectations and the syllabus by watching the Subject Video on the school website:<br/><a href="https://sixthform.fulford.york.sch.uk/curriculum-offer/">https://sixthform.fulford.york.sch.uk/curriculum-offer/</a></p>  |
| <b>PURCHASE</b><br>       | <p>We will provide you with a copy of <a href="#">ClearRevise Exam Tutor and Practice Papers</a> (don't buy your own copy)</p> <p>We have class sets of <a href="#">OCR Computer Science</a> ISBN 9781910523056 but some students find it helpful to buy their own copy (£32)</p> <p>It really helps if you have access to a Windows computer (at least 8GB RAM) with <a href="#">Visual Studio Community Edition (free)</a>. We can help if this is an issue for you.</p>  |
| <b>REVIEW</b><br>         | <p>Most (but not all) students join A Level CS at Fulford having done GCSE CS and being able to read, write and debug some code in python.</p> <p>Read through list of GCSE programming skills and key terminology on <a href="https://tools.withcode.uk/quickref/">https://tools.withcode.uk/quickref/</a> and make a note of up to 5 of the skills that you're least confident at. Write out the yellow box descriptions for those skills.</p>  |
| <b>READ</b><br>         | <p>Type "future of ai in " into Google. Let it autocomplete and then read the first 5 web pages that come up. Which article do you disagree with most?</p>  |
| <b>WATCH/LISTEN</b><br> | <p>Watch three videos from <a href="#">@TwoMinutePapers on YouTube</a> and write a one sentence summary of each one</p>   |
| <b>COMPLETE</b><br>     | <p>Work through this free Introduction to C# course:<br/><a href="https://www.w3schools.com/cs/cs_intro.php">https://www.w3schools.com/cs/cs_intro.php</a> It helps if you download Visual Studio Community edition (free – we'll use VS 2022 in school) but you can use the web Try It Yourself tool in a browser if that's not possible.</p> <p>Create a free account to track your progress . You should aim to get 50% through the course exercises by September. You do not need to complete the quiz or pay for the exam.</p> |