

National 5 Computing Science

Course Details

Component	Length	Marks	Qualification Scotland (QS)
Question Paper	1.5 hours	80	67% of overall mark. Sent to QS for marking
Assignment	6 hours	40	33% of overall mark. Sent to QS for marking Completed over one day around February

Topics Covered:

Software Design & Development
Computer Systems
Database Design & Development
Web Design & Development (optional)

Command Words

Describe: how a process works

Write: produce code for something

Identify/Give/Name/State: refer to an items purpose, look at an image (what it is)

Explain: share how or why something works

Calculate/complete: work out a numerical or logical answer

Refine/Rewrite: to make changes to or solve a problem

Other key links or resources

[National 5 Understanding Standards](#)

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[Past Papers](#)

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