Digital Leaders – Job description (2016-17)

To apply for the role of Digital Leader, please read the information below about what it means to be a Digital Leader.

If your application is successful, these are some of the types of responsibilities that you will have as part of the Digital Leaders Team. These responsibilities will be shared out amongst all of the Digital Leaders.

* To update areas of the school website, VLE or school blog site.
* Blog on behalf of the school, a class or a club.
* Comment on other people’s blog posts.
* Test new computing resources, which could be websites, software or hardware.
* Share their skills and expertise with other pupils, classes and teachers.
* Set up computing equipment in classrooms for teachers.
* Lead computing lunchtime clubs.
* Support teachers and classes to use computing in the classroom.

You may also be asked to work with children from other schools on specific projects, as well as to help organise and support other out-of-school-hours activities.

To apply for the role of Digital Leader, you should complete the application form overleaf and produce one of the following two projects. Either:

* 1 - Make something to demonstrate your excellence in using technology. This could be a program in Scratch, a video in iMovie, a world in Minecraft, a website, or, even better, something I’ve never even heard of before! You should make an original creation, rather than something you’ve previously produced
* 2 – Review an item of technology using text, audio or video (or a combination!). You might discuss why you believe a technology is better than a rival product, outline the main features or describe how an important function works

Your application form and details of something you’ve made / reviewed must be sent via email to Mr Rickus – [nrickus@swanbourne.org](mailto:nrickus@swanbourne.org) by **11:30am on Thursday 22nd September 2016**

**Digital Leaders – Application Form** (2016-17)

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| Name |  | | Class |  |
| Why do you want to become a digital leader? | |  | | |
| What is your favourite computing item (app, hardware, software, etc) from either home or school? Why do you like using it? | |  | | |
| Give an example of something that you are responsible for either at home or school? | |  | | |
| What skills do you have that will make you a good Digital Leader? | |  | | |