

Question: How does the robot move? Programming A- Moving a robot			
National Curriculum Link: -Understand what algorithms are; how they are implemented as programs on digital devices; and that programs execute by following precise and unambiguous instructions -Create and debug simple programs -Use logical reasoning to predict the behaviour of simple programs -Recognise common uses of information technology beyond school			
International Baccalaureate Learner Profile Link: Knowledgeable. What do I know already? I can share my knowledge with others. I apply what I know to new situations and opportunities. Thinkers How can I stretch myself by thinking deeply about new information? How might thinking about thinking help me as a learner?			
Prior Skills: Reception Understanding the World: Technology. <u>Early Learning Goal:</u> Children recognise that a range of technology is used in places such as homes and schools. They select and use technology for particular purposes.	New Skills: Year 1 To enact a given word. To recall words that can be enacted. To predict the outcome of a command on a device. To list which commands can be used on a given device. To explain what a given command does. To match a command to an outcome. To recognise how to run a command. To choose a series of words that can be enacted as a program. To choose a series of commands that can be run as a program.	Future Skills: Year 2 To choose a series of words that can be enacted as a sequence. To explain what happens when we change the order of instructions. To choose a series of commands that can be run as a program. To trace a sequence to make a prediction. To test a prediction by running the sequence. To create and debug a program that I have written.	

	To run a program on a device.	
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Knowledge, Skills and Understanding

AL: Algorithms

PG: Programming

To explore algorithms and sequencing of instructions.

To read, follow and create a simple sequence algorithm.

To give these instructions so that they can be executed by a robot with the aim of successfully reaching a destination.

The children learn: to create a simple program and correct mistakes (debug).

The children learn: about making predictions when using technology. E.g. They will be asked to predict what will happen for a short sequence of instructions in a program.

Challenge

Resources:

Hardware: iPads,
Computers, Bee Bots.
Teach computing website and plans.

Websites or Apps:

Apps: Scratch Jr, Kodu.

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/Search.aspx?q=crack%20the%20code> (code games)

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z3tbwmn>
(algorithms)

Extended Writing Opportunities:

Write a set of instructions for their partner to solve (treasure hunt).

Vocabulary:

Command, device, sequence, forwards, backwards, right, left, turn, debug, programs, solutions, algorithms.

Numeracy skills:

Data collecting: The children will be collecting information using a tally system and then sharing the information in different forms, including bar charts and pie charts.

Suggested Quality Texts:

See selection in library
Use information texts related to insects and mini-beasts.
This will enable children to extend their understanding in the topic.

WOW Experience:

Zoo lab to come in to show the children a number of insects that they can then base their video on.

Cross Curricular Links:

Maths- use maths when building and making their one robot mat.

Art- The use of colour and straight lines to create a work of art on mini beasts.

DT- Make their own puppet/toy using mini beasts for their video.