Scratch JR

Computing

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Scratch jr. is a program that we can use in order to code our own stories and animations. It involves sprites (characters on the screen).
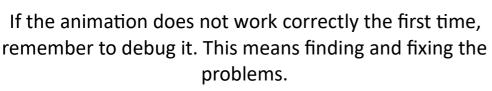
We use algorithms (a set of instructions to perform a task) to program the sprite to do different things.

De-bugging

Sometimes, things don't work exactly how we want them to the first time. This may be a problem with our algorithm, or we could have made a mistake in our programming.

If the animation does not work correctly the first time, remember to debug it. This means finding and fixing the problems.

Glossary

Algorithm: Precise instructions that achieve a task.

Debug: Remove errors from algorithms.

Instruction: How something should be done.

Program: Instructions written in a language (code) computers can understand.

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Sequence: A particular order to follow.