

Programming

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- Students will learn various creative and helpful purposes for programming.
- Students will learn about abstraction.
- Students will create Python code in Runestone

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Journal

Computing for Good
read the article at:

<https://bit.ly/2OoLTWw>



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Computing for Good – Journal Entry

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Go to *Programming for Good: The Story of Code for India*

Answer the following questions in your journal.

<https://bit.ly/2OoLTWa>



1. How did the impact of Hurricane Sandy in 2012 begin the concept of Code for India?
2. What is the reason for the Adopt-a-School app, and what is the result of its use?
3. What is the reason for the Spotter app?
4. What is the reason for the Bravehearts app, its significance for public safety? Where else would this app be useful?
5. If you were able to design an app “for good,” what problem would you try to solve?



<http://www.attendly.com/programming-for-good-the-story-of-code-for-india/>

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Unit 2: Developing Programming Tools



RuneStone Academy
Python Lessons



<https://bit.ly/2N646WS>

Python
official page



<http://www.python.org>

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Computer
is used
today

"The machine learning algorithm wants to know if we'd like a dozen wireless mice to feed the Python book we just bought."

Google Classroom

□ Class code: vzgyf7



Coding with Python in Runestone

We haven't used runstone yet

Go to <http://www.interactivepython.org>

Register as a new user – your class name is APCSP-Python

Start with 1.1 The Way of the Program and answer questions as well as form on classroom

Continue to follow chapters:

1.2. Algorithms

1.3. The Python Programming Language

1.4. Executing Python in this Book



https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Computer_with_microarray.jpg



Jump ahead to A Typical First Program

1.1 1.3

1.2 1.4

```
print("Hello World!")
```

Run the program and make sure that it works.

<http://interactivepython.org/runestone/static/thinkcspy/GeneralIntro/ATypicalFirstProgram.html>



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Abstraction in coding

When you give the command to **print**, what really happens?

1. Information stored in the computer's memory appears on the screen.
2. If there are multiple things to print, separated by commas, the computer has to display all of them one after the other.
3. The computer has to figure out where the information is stored in its memory.
4. The computer has to calculate where the next available space is on the screen.
5. The computer has to translate the binary code in the computer's memory into dots on the screen for each symbol, one at a time.

Do we need to know all of these steps that happen in order to use the print function?

That's abstraction.

You do not need the details "under the hood" to make it work.



Homework

- Read the linked article
- Write a 140 word “tweet” the summarize your assigned topic:

(randomly generated) – remember your number



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<https://www.theguardian.com/info/developer-blog/2011/oct/07/programming-developer-journalist>