

The 10 Lessons (on 20 Cards) Objectives & Maths Labels

Lesson 1: Cards 1, 2	Move Horizontally or Vertically Spatial Awareness: Orientation Code Skill:Point in direction
Lesson 2: Cards 3, 4	Scratch Skill: Colour-a-Sprite Code a Sprite to talk (speech balloon) Code Skill:Think & talk
Lesson 3: Cards 5, 6	Turn with Arrow Keys Spatial Awareness: Size, Rotation Code Skill:Shrink a sprite with code
Lesson 4: Cards 7, 8	Count in Multiples Number: Create a Scratch Variable Code Skill:Slider Mode variable
Lesson 5: Cards 9,10	Scratch Skill: Draw a line sprite Spatial Awareness: Rotation of Angles Code Skill:Repeat rotate
Lesson 6: Cards 11,12	Get Creative with the sprite's pen Number: Informal use of percentage Code Skill:use the Colour Spectrum
Lesson 7: Cards 13,14	Ask a Question & Input an Answer Numeracy: Objective Testing: Sums Code Skill:Code User Input
Lesson 8: Cards 15,16	Move with Arrow keys Spatial Awareness: Direction Code Skill:Point towards a sprite
Lesson 9: Cards 17,18	Code 7 keyboard keys Shape: Squares in copybook and code Code Skill:Code the pen Up and Down
Lesson 10: Cards 19,20	Complete the Symmetry Shape: Make triangles and squares Code Skill: Join coordinate points

Maths Labels Aligned to the Flip-Cards

NUMBER::	Cards: 7, 8, 13, 14
SPATIAL AWARENESS:	Cards 1, 2, (9,) 10, 15, 16,
SHAPE:	Cards 17, (18,) 19, 20
LOGICAL REASONING:	Cards 13, 14
Scratch GRAPHIC EDITOR SKILLS:	Cards: 3, 4, 9, 11, 12

You want to make the mouse say what's in the speech balloon. mouseSize is a variable, which is number data. Here the mouseSize variable has a value of 200.



COMPUTATIONAL THINKING CONCEPTS for 8-9 Year Olds using SCRATCH CODE

When it comes to Scratch, Computational Thinking can be described as the learning and development that takes place with Scratch. In their definition, the developers of Scratch see it as a set of concepts, practices and perspectives. The concepts can be listed as: sequences, loops, parallelisms, events, conditionals, operators and data. For 8-9 year olds all the computational thinking concepts can be identified with a colourful code block in one of the Scratch palettes. The concepts are listed showing where they are used during the lessons.

(Card Numbers in brackets)

Sequence Move (1, 2), Rotate (6, 10),

set Position (1, 2, 19, 20), set Direction (1, 2, 20),

set Visibility (11, 12),

Report (with variable: 7, 8, 13, 14),

Pen (11, 12, 17,18,19, 20),

Set/Change Size (2, 5, 12, 16, 17, 19),

Set/Change Effects (6),

Set Layer (6)

Pause (5, 18, 19),

Stop (13, 14),

Speech (4, 13, 14),

User Input/ Output (13,14),

Code an Algorithm (10, 18, 19, 20),

Sound (5),

Forever loop (1, 2, 8, 11, 15, 16),

Loops Repeat loop (5, 6, 7, 10,)

Flag click: (all cards)

Events

Sprite click (4, 5, 13, 14)

Key press (6, 8, 10, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20)

Seven different keyboard keys coded

Flag clicked:

Parallelism triggering simultaneous events x2, x3 (15, 16)

If/Then/Else (11, 13, 14):

Conditionals If <mouse down> (11),

If <correct input> (13, 14)

Arithmetic operators: +, -, x, equality (13, 14),

Operators join, pick random

Variables: Make, Set, Change (7),
Min & Max (8) of variable slider readout

Concatenate* (8)

* to Concatenate means: to join together non-number data and number data.

