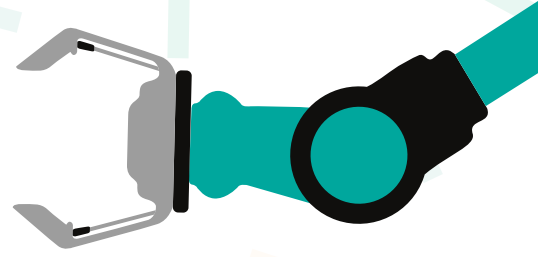




# DISCOVERTECH

Let's learn about Algorithm



## What is computational thinking?

Computational thinking is a creative way of thinking that allows individuals to be systematic problem solvers. Coding helps children to develop computational thinking skills.

## What is Algorithm?

An algorithm is a set of steps to follow in order to complete a task or solve a problem.

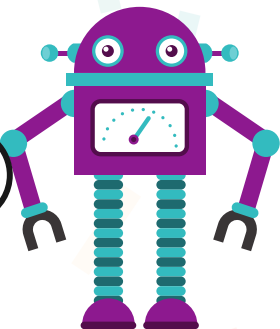
In coding, algorithms provide step-by-step instructions for computer programmes to complete various tasks such as calculations or processing data.

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## Help your child develop this coding concept at home!

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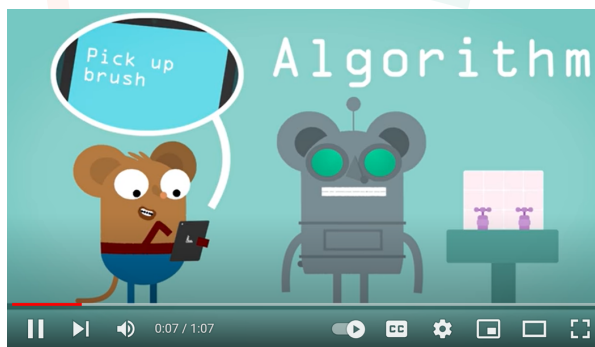
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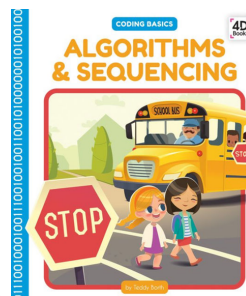
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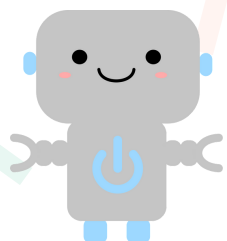
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