

What we will learn

Buttons and Programs



Coding Safari

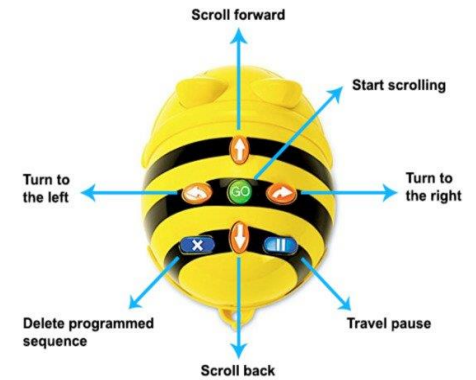
This is a free app that allows you to begin to understand coding. The challenge gets harder as you travel around the world.



Buttons: Bee-bots have buttons on the top. They each make the Beebot do something different (see picture).

The **arrows** move the Bee-bot in different directions.

The **GO** button makes the Bee-bot start its program. (on some models, it also pauses the Beebot in-



We can **program** the Bee-bot by pressing the direction buttons (in order) that we want it to move in,

The **X** button makes the Bee-bot **delete** the program and make a new program.

The Beebot

Bee-bots: Bee-bots are a type of floor robot.

We can **programme** Bee-bots to move around.

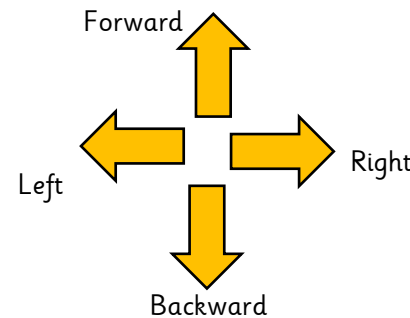
Bee-bots should only be used on the floor, and not tables etc. They can be damaged if they fall from high surfaces. (Other floor robots, e.g. Blue-bot, can also be used).



To turn it on, using the switch underneath. You can tell that the Bee-bot is on because its eyes light up. Switch it back off again after you have finished using it.



Directions



Routes and Algorithms

A route is the course that we travel to get somewhere. We use algorithms (a set of guidelines to complete a task) to program our floor robot to take a route to where we want it to go.