

Computing: Coding and Algorithms

This week in Computing, you are going to focus on <u>coding</u> so you can become a Coding Boss! We are going to use <u>algorithims</u>, which is really a fancy word for instructions, which you have been writing in English this week and learning about in Maths, so you will be experts! Happy coding!



Computing Challenge: Path Peril/Chicken Run

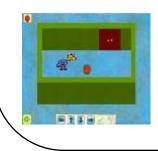
Firstly, tackle <u>Path Peril</u> (this is <u>Computing Resource 2</u>). You can complete this on the <u>computer or you can print it out</u> and use a pencil or pen. Your mission is <u>to plot/create a path for</u> <u>the chicken (so you are giving the computer and/or the</u> <u>chicken directions/instructions) to get him to the cross (X) on</u> <u>each grid</u>. <u>Draw the correct arrows (only one in each</u> <u>square/box) to direct the chicken to the X</u>. There is, of course, as we learned in Maths this week, more than one way to get to each destination.

Computing Challenge: Coding Games

STEP ONE: Now, I am going to give you some <u>instructions</u> to get you to the correct page for some Coding Games. Take your time and follow the instructions carefully:

- 1. Login to **Busy Things**
- 2. Click on the <u>KS1</u> page
- 3. Click on <u>Y1</u>
- 4. Click on <u>Computing</u>
- 5. Click on Early Coding





STEP TWO: Now you have a choice. You can practise your coding by playing <u>Path Peril</u> (like our first challenge above but online) or <u>Puzzling Paths</u>, or you can really become a Coding Boss and tackle <u>BOTH</u>! I've had lots of fun with both games! Happy coding!