

Mrs. Grahn's 6th, 7th, and 8th graders have begun to code in Scratch (an online coding program) to make characters or sprites complete tasks. Students chose a background and sprites to fit their task. They worked together to share ideas about how to complete the tasks. Some students even created loops to continually repeat their program. "Coding exists in every element of technology," Mrs. Grahn said. "It is the basic language of our computer world. Understanding this could open up careers for our students"

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