



2. Glue the backs together



3. Cut along the dashed line



Stopwatch Cards





Stopwatch Cards

Use these cards in this order:

- 1. Create a Variable
- 2. Start the Clock
- 3. Stop and Reset
- 4. Get Moving
- 5. Time the Sprite
- 6. Background Effects

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2. Glue the backs together

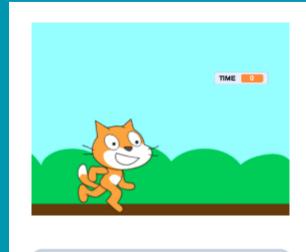


3. Cut along the dashed line



Create a Variable

Add a changeable value on the screen.



TIME



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Create a Variable

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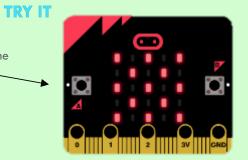
GET READY



ADD THIS CODE



Click the **A button** to advance the number on the screen.









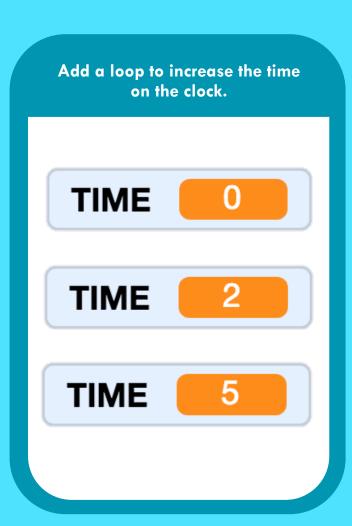
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Start the Clock



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Start the Clock

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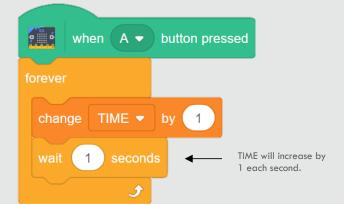
GET READY



A stopwatch should advance each second.

A forever loop will increase the time as long as the program is running.

ADD THIS CODE



TRY IT

Test your timer against a clock.

Does the time change each second?







2. Glue the backs together

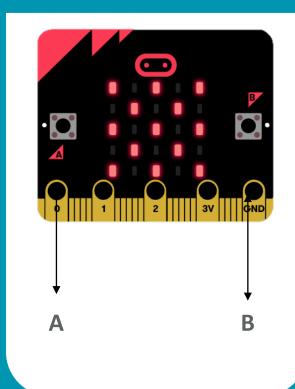


3. Cut along the dashed line



Stop and Reset

Control your stopwatch with the A and B buttons.



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Stop and Reset

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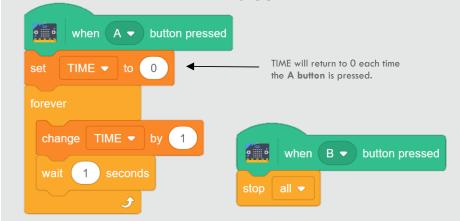
GET READY





Add a RESET and a STOP code.

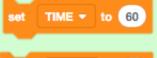
ADD THIS CODE



TRY IT

Click each button on the micro:bit and see how they affect the time displayed on screen.

CHALLENGE: Can you change your stopwatch into a countdown clock?











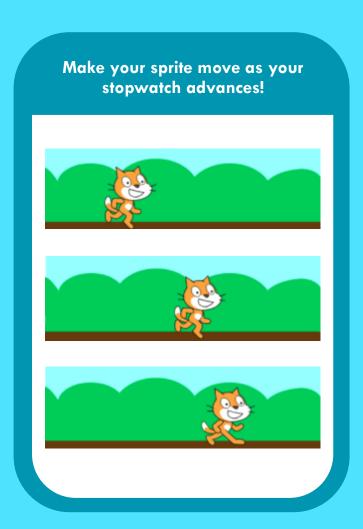
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Get Moving



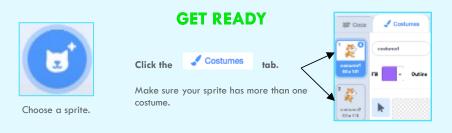
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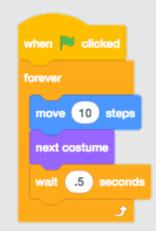


Get Moving

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ADD THIS CODE



TRY IT

What happens when your sprite reaches the end of the screen?

Add these codes into the loop to fix the problem!









2. Glue the backs together



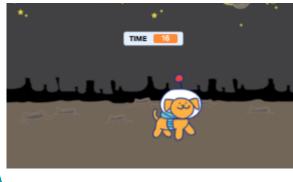
3. Cut along the dashed line



Time the Sprite

Let Scratch decide how many seconds your sprite will move. Use your stopwatch to figure it out.





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Time the Sprite

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GET READY

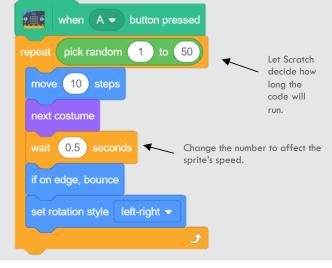


Start your sprite with the A button.

This will make the stopwatch and the sprite move at the same time.

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TRY IT

How long did the sprite move?

Freeze the clock by pushing the **B button** on the micro:bit when the sprite stops.







2. Glue the backs together

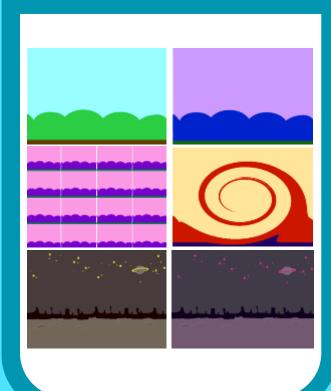


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Background Effects

Use graphic effects to alter your background as the program runs.



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Background Effects

GET READY



Choose a background.

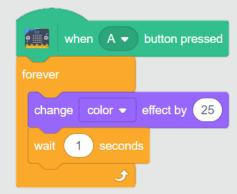


Click the Backdrops tab.





ADD THIS CODE



TRY IT

Experiment with other background effects.

CHALLENGE: Reset your graphic effect. Where should this block go in your code?







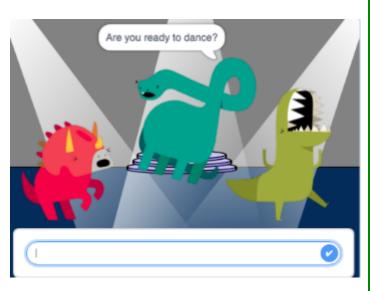
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Dance Cards





Dance Cards

Use these cards in this order:

- 1. Show Your Moves
- 2. Add Music
- 3. Spin
- 4. Change Colors
- 5. Copy & Paste: Add Friends
- 6. Ask and Answer

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1. Fold the card in half



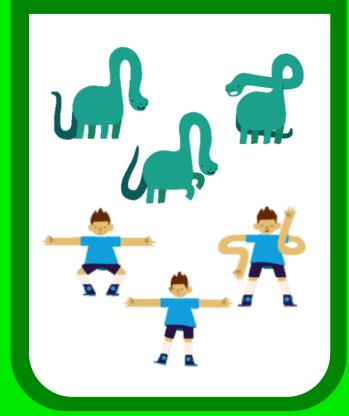
2. Glue the backs together



3. Cut along the dashed line

Show Your Moves

Change costumes to make your sprite look like it is dancing around!



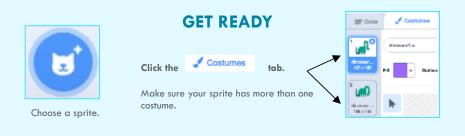
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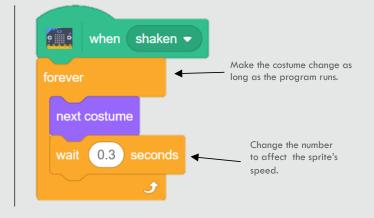


Show Your Moves

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ADD THIS CODE



TRY IT

Shake your micro:bit.

Make your sprite dance on the dance floor!



Looks

Add a background.

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1. Fold the card in half



2. Glue the backs together

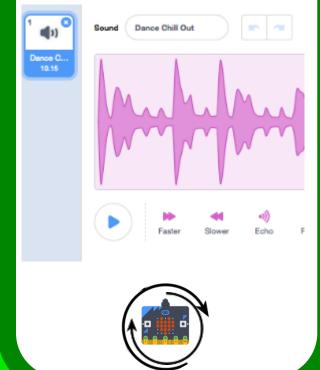


3. Cut along the dashed line

Add Music

Make your character dance to a beat!
Choose a soundtrack for the scene.

Sound Dance Chill Out

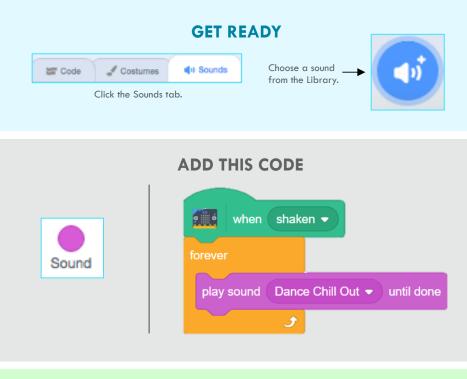


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Add Music microbit.org/scratch



Make sure to choose **PLAY SOUND UNTIL DONE** so that the entire track plays before starting over.

Edit the track in the Sounds tab.







TRY IT









play sound Dance Chill Out • until done

ound Dance Chill Out

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1. Fold the card in half

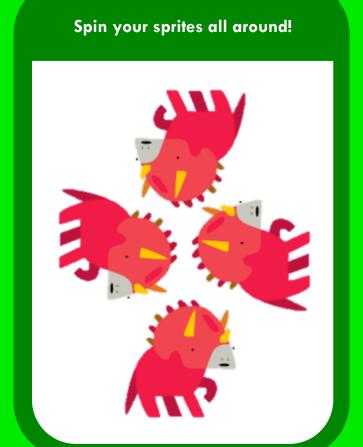


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Spin



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GET READY



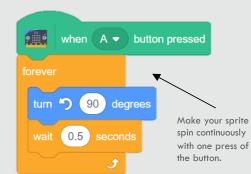
Start your sprite with the A button.

Control when and how fast your sprite spins in a circle.

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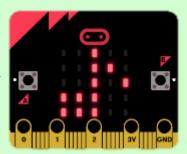
Make the sprite spin once with each press of the button.



TRY IT

Click the **A button** to spin the sprite.

TIP: Experiment with the degrees of rotation!







2. Glue the backs together

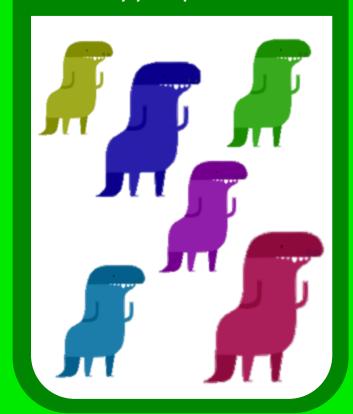


3. Cut along the dashed line



Change Colors

Add image effects to change the way your sprite looks.



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Change Colors

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GET READY

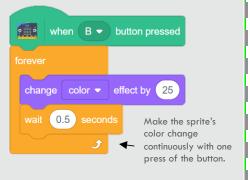


Change your sprite's color with the B button.

Control when and how fast your sprite changes its appearance.

ADD THIS CODE





TRY IT

Click the **B button** to change the sprite's color.

CHALLENGE: What other effects can you use on your sprite?





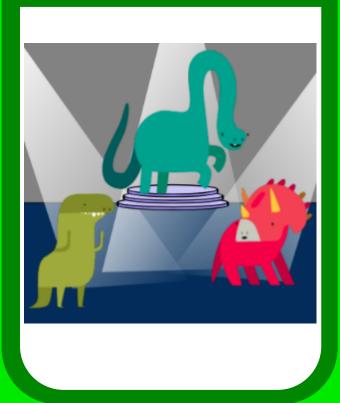
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Copy & Paste: Add Friends

Duplicate code onto additional sprites.



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GET READY



Add additional sprites.



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Drag and drop your code from the first sprite onto the additional characters.

Click each sprite to make sure that the code transferred.

TRY IT







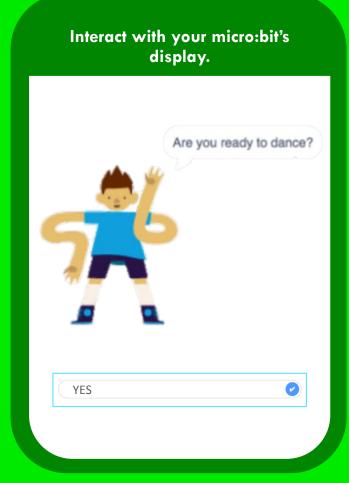
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Ask and Answer



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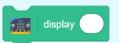
Ask and Answer

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Sensing

GET READY





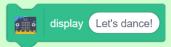
Use the Sensing blocks to interact with your micro:bit.

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If you answer "yes," a message will be sent to the micro:bit. Otherwise, the program will ask the question again.

TRY IT



Run the program. Answer the question and check your micro:bit.

Can you read the message?



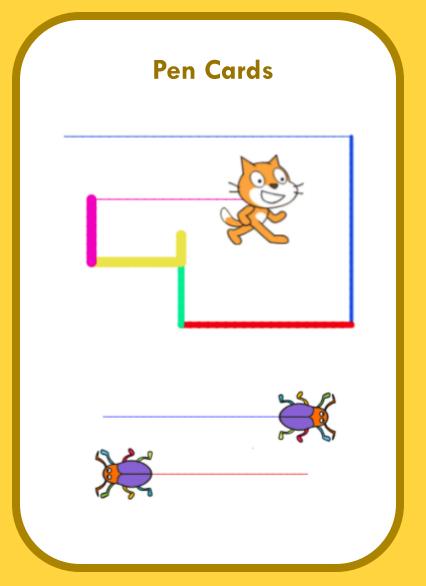


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Pen Cards

Use these cards in this order:

- 1. Back and Forth
- 2. Draw a Line
- 3. Special Effects
- 4. Random Drawing
- 5. Voting Machine
- 6. Stamp and Record

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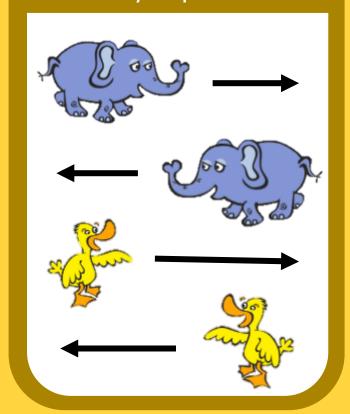
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Back and Forth

Use the A and B buttons to move your sprite.



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Back and Forth

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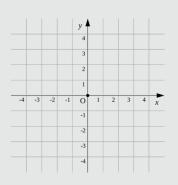
GET READY



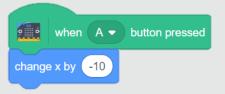
Add a sprite and a background.



ADD THIS CODE



when B → button pressed change x by 10



TRY IT

Press the A and B buttons to move your sprite.

CHALLENGE: Can you make your sprite move up and down instead of left and right?







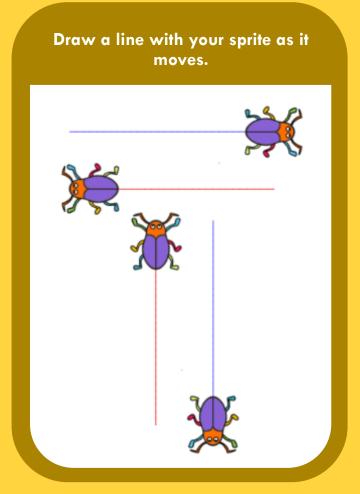


2. Glue the backs together



3. Cut along the dashed line

Draw a Line







Draw a Line

GET READY

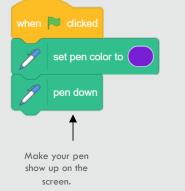






Connect the Pen extension.

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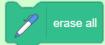


TRY IT

Press the A and B buttons to move your sprite. Does it draw a line?

the line?







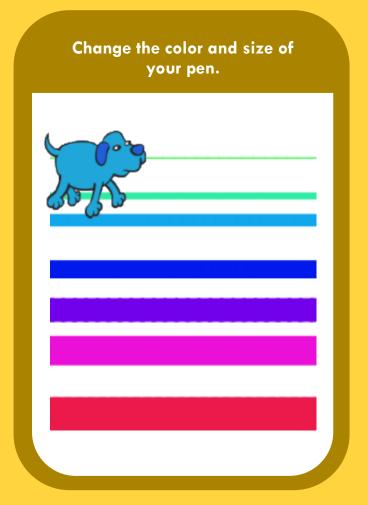


2. Glue the backs together



3. Cut along the dashed line

Special Effects



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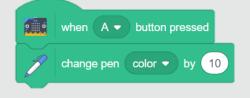
Special Effects

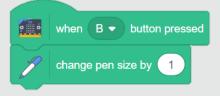
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Activate the pen. -



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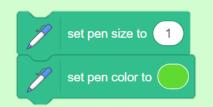




TRY IT

Press the A and B buttons to change the pen.

CHALLENGE: Can you add code to make the pen go back to its original settings?







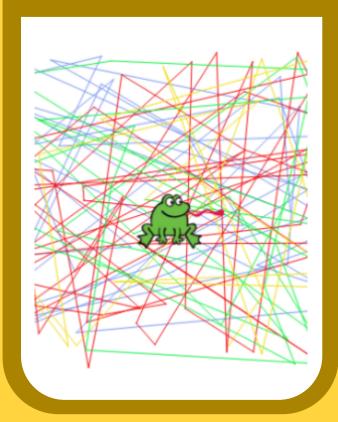
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Random Drawing

Make your sprite draw as it moves randomly around the stage.



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Random Drawing

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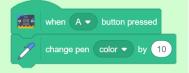
ADD THIS CODE



TRY IT

Put it all together. Add the **A and B buttons** to change the effects.

Can you make your sprite draw?









2. Glue the backs together



3. Cut along the dashed line

Voting Machine



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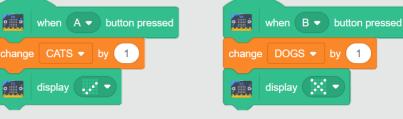
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Voting Machine

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Variables will increase with each button press.

TRY IT

Change the variables by clicking the **A button** or **B button**. What do you notice on your micro:bit?

CHALLENGE: Can you add a RESET script to change the numbers back to zero?







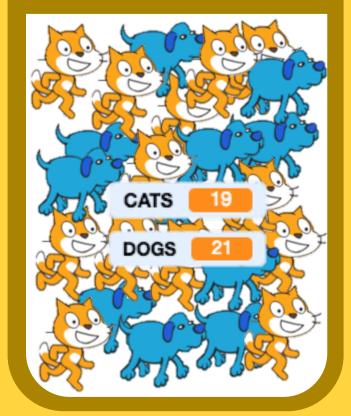
2. Glue the backs together



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Stamp and Record

Use the stamp function to add sprites as the voting machine advances.



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Stamp and Record

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Choose in the Blocks Palette.

GET READY

Make a Variable



Make 2 variables and check the boxes to make them appear on the screen.

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TRY IT

Add a RESET code and then try it out! Do stamped sprites appear?







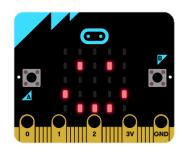
2. Glue the backs together

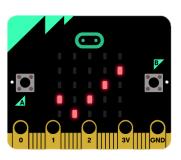


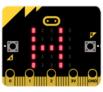
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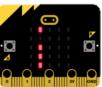


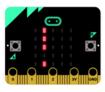
Display Cards











Display Cards

Use these cards in this order:

- 1. Say Hello
- 2. Add Your Name
- 3. Display Image
- 4. Create an Emoji
- 5. Tell Time
- 6. Make a Wristband
- 7. Make a Badge

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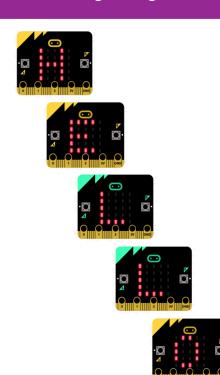


3. Cut along the dashed line



Say Hello

Make your micro:bit display a greeting.



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Say Hello

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GET READY







Connect your micro:bit to Scratch.

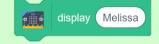
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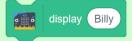


TRY IT

Move your micro:bit. Can you read the message?

CHALLENGE: What else can you make the display say?











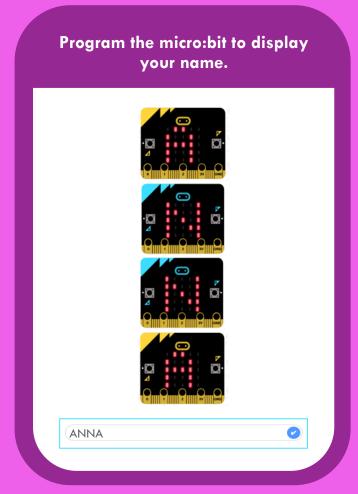


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Add Your Name



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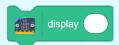
Add Your Name

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Sensing

GET READY





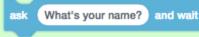
Use the Sensing blocks to interact with your micro:bit.

ADD THIS CODE



TRY IT

Start the program and type your name. What happens on your micro:bit?





Combine your answer into a phrase.





2. Glue the backs together

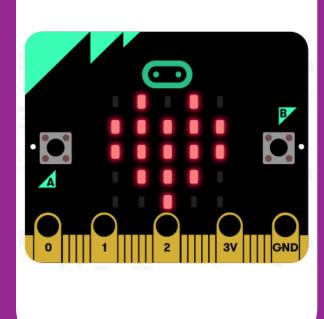


3. Cut along the dashed line



Display Image

Depict an image on your display.



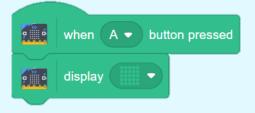
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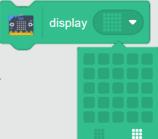
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MAKE A DESIGN

Use the 5x5 grid to create your design.

Turn on/off each light by clicking on the desired blocks.

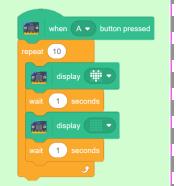




TRY IT

Click the A button to display the image on your micro:bit.

CHALLENGE: Can you make the lights in your image blink on and off repeatedly?







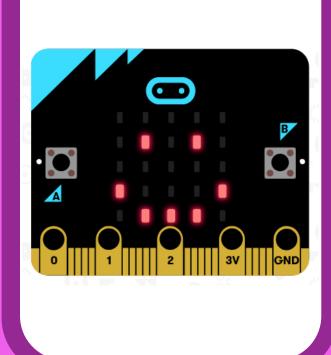
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Create an Emoji

Create your own emoji for the display.



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Create an Emoji

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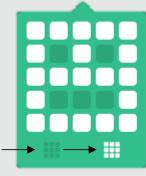
ADD THIS CODE



MAKE A DESIGN

Click the individual blocks to turn them on in your design.

Click to turn all lights off/on.

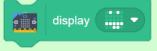


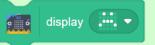


TRY IT

Click the **A button** to display the image on your micro:bit.

CHALLENGE: What other emojis can you create?











2. Glue the backs together

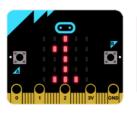


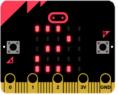
3. Cut along the dashed line



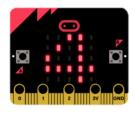
Tell Time

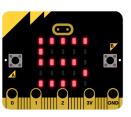
Display the correct time on your micro:bit.











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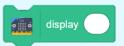
Tell Time

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Sensing

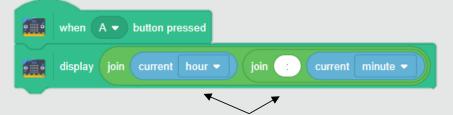
GET READY





Use the Sensing blocks to interact with your micro:bit.

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Join the current hour and minute together using these Operator blocks.

TRY IT

Click the **A button** to display the time on your micro:bit.

CHALLENGE: What other information can you make your micro:bit display?

year
month
date
day of week
✓ hour
minute
second

current hour ▼





2. Glue the backs together



3. Cut along the dashed line



Make a Wristband

Wear your micro:bit on your wrist!



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MATERIALS



paper



(2in)







Craft materials



Velcro

PROCEDURE



Decorate with craft materials.



Front

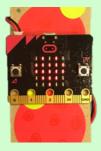


Use heavy paper or folded Duct tape to create the wristband.

Back

Adhere Velcro fasteners.

TRY IT



Use a small amount of hot glue or a
Glue Dot to secure your micro:bit to the
front of the wristband.

Attach the battery pack to the back.

***Hot glue placed on the back of the micro:bit (avoiding the pins) will not cause harm.







2. Glue the backs together



3. Cut along the dashed line



Make a Badge

Wear your micro:bit on your shirt!



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MATERIALS











Craft foam

Scissors

Hot glue or Glue Dots

Craft materials

String

Paper clip



PROCEDURE



BACK

Use foam to design the shape of your badge. Decorate with craft supplies.

Attach your micro:bit with hot glue to the front of the badge. Connect the battery pack to the back.

TRY IT

Add a paperclip to the back of the battery pack to clip the badge onto your shirt!

To wear your badge as a necklace, poke a hole at each of the top corners and attach a string.

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Music Cards

Use these cards in this order:

- 1. Play a Note
- 2. Play a Chord
- 3. Sound Effects
- 4. Make an Instrument
- 5. Wire the Instrument
- 6. Program the Pins
- 7. Attach the micro:bit
- 8. Set the Stage

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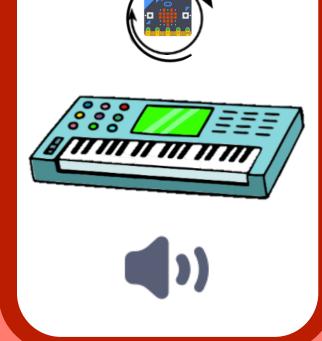
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Play a Note

Make your sprite play a sound.



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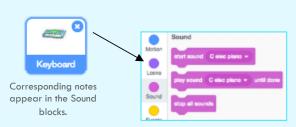


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Add a sprite.



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TRY IT

Shake your micro:bit. Does the note play?

CHALLENGE: What happens when you add multiple notes?

- ✓ C elec piano D elec piano
- E elec piano
- F elec piano G elec piano
- A elec piano
- B elec piano
- C2 elec piano



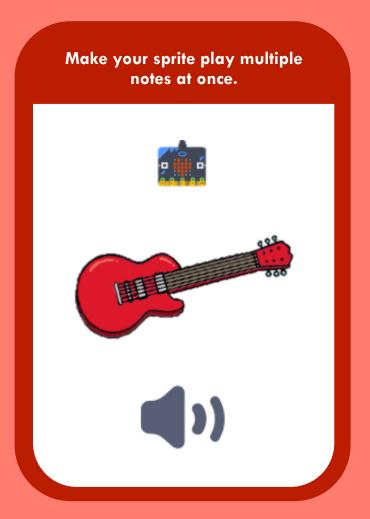


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Play a Chord microbit.org/scratch

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start sound C elec guitar play sound C elec guitar ▼ until done

Look closely at these two blocks. What is the difference between them?

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when (A ▼) button pressed

All three notes will play at the same time. start sound G elec guitar -

TRY IT

CHALLENGE: Can you make any other chords?

What happens when you use these blocks instead?





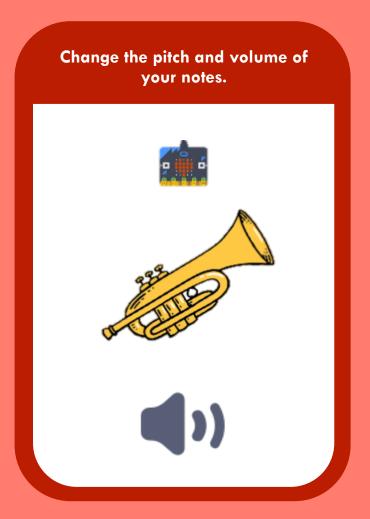


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Sound Effects



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Sound Effects

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appear in the Sound blocks.





TRY IT

Press the A and B buttons to change the sound.

What other sound effects can you add?

CHALLENGE: Can you add a RESET block to make your sounds go back to their original notes?

clear sound effects





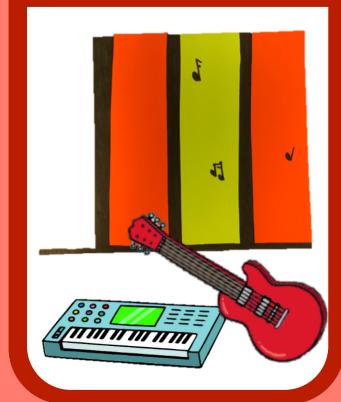
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Make an Instrument

Create your own instrument using cardboard and craft materials and play music via your micro:bit.



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PROCEDURE



Using cardboard or heavy paper, draw your favorite instrument.

Decorate with craft supplies.

Leave room to add conductive materials.

The micro:bit will work by creating circuits that close and open as you touch the keys on your instrument!

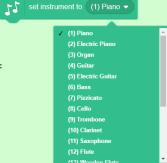


What instruments can you make?

Scratch offers sounds for the following instruments:











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3. Cut along the dashed line

Wire the Instrument

Use your instrument to create a circuit using conductive materials.



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MATERIALS











Tinfoil

Copper

Tape

Scissors

Glue stick

Craft materials

PROCEDURE



Cut strips of tinfoil, or add copper tape to each key or string.

Make sure the metal touches an edge on your instrument so that it can be connected to the micro:bit.

TRY IT

Decorate. Make sure to leave your metal areas open!

Tinfoil and copper tape are both metal, which means they will conduct electricity. When your micro:bit is attached and you touch a conductive area, the computer will play the note!





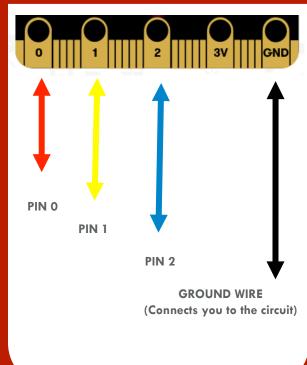
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Program the Pins

Create codes that will correspond to the keys or strings on your instrument.



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Program the Pins

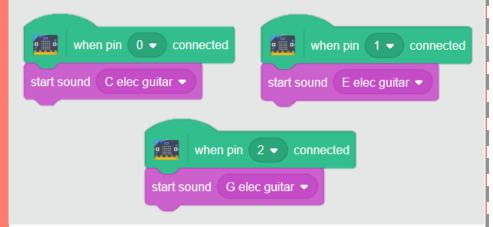
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MATERIALS



Alligator Clips

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TRY IT

Clip your wires onto the pins as shown. Hold the ground wire in one hand and touch the metal end of one of the other wires. Does a note play?

CHALLENGE: Can you play multiple notes at once?





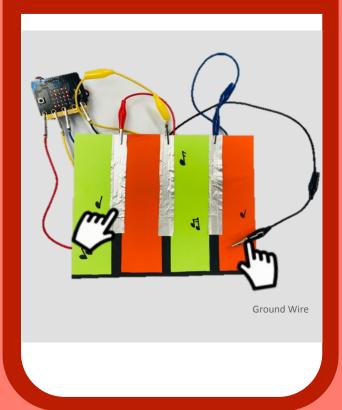
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Attach the micro:bit

Use wires to connect the micro:bit to your instrument.



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Attach the micro:bit

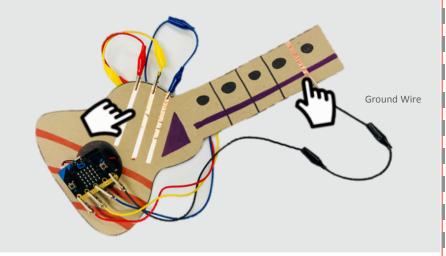
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Attach the end of each alligator clip to the conductive areas of your instrument.

PROCEDURE

Either hold the ground wire in your hand, or attach it to a conductive spot on the instrument that you know you will touch.



TRY IT

Rock on! Practice playing music on your instrument!

When you hold the ground wire and touch a key, you create a completed circuit between you and your computer, causing Scratch to play,





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Make the sprites move on the screen as you play your instrument.

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Set the Stage microbit.org/scratch

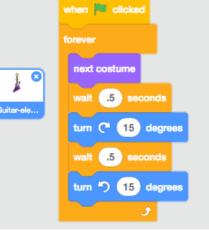


Add sprites and a background.

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forever

wait .5 seconds

change size by 10

wait .5 seconds

change size by -10

TRY IT



Put it all together!

Can you play your instrument while the animation plays on the screen?