

Learning with Technology

Online Enrichment for the Summer

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Here are a few great sites to keep students happily productive and learning this summer.

Code.org <https://code.org/>

What is it: Code.org is a site aimed at teaching students computer science, it includes free coding lessons that are informative and engaging. Lessons blend game-like tutorials with short video lectures.

Who will love it: kindergarten and up

Scratch <https://scratch.mit.edu/>

What is it: Scratch is a programming language that allow students to create their own interactive games, stories, and animations. As students create with Scratch, they learn to think creatively, work collaboratively and reason systematically.

Who will love it: 3rd grade and up

Download the free **Scratch Jr.** app for iPads and Android tablets: <https://www.scratchjr.org/>.

New! Install the **Scratch Jr. app for Chromebooks.**

Who will love it: K-2

Typing Club <https://appleton.typingclub.com/>

What is it: Typing Club is an online program that helps students of all levels improve their keyboarding skills through guided lessons and engaging assessments. Typing Club is used in the Appleton Area School District (starting in the 2016-17 school year) to teach keyboarding to students.

Who will love it: 2nd grade and up