



Computing Topic Overview: **Programming - Selection in Physical Computing**

Previous linked learning

(Yr 4 - Repetition in Shape)
 Identify the accuracy in programming is important.
 Explore what 'repeat' means
 Modify a count-controlled loop to produce a given outcome.
 Create a program that uses count-controlled loops to produce a given outcome.
 (Yr 3 - Sequence in Sounds)
 Recognise that a sequence of commands can have an order.
 (Yr 2 - Events and Actions)
 Design an algorithm

I think I already know...

I would like to find out...

Key Vocabulary

Microcontroller	Crumble
controller	components
LED	Sparkle
crocodile clips	connect
battery box	program
repetition	infinite loop
count-controlled loop	condition
true	false
input	action
selection	motor
switch	algorithm
debug	evaluate

By the end of this unit, you will be able to...

- control a simple circuit connected to a computer
- write a program that includes count-controlled loops
- explain that a loop can stop when a condition is met, e.g. number of times
- conclude that a loop can be used to repeatedly check whether a condition has been met
- design a physical project that includes selection
- create a controllable system that includes selection

