



"Technology understanding and sustainability in practice cooperation" 2022/2025

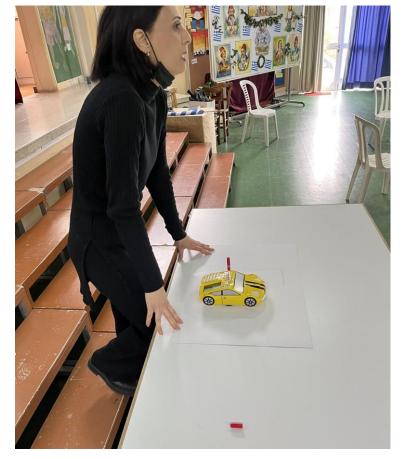
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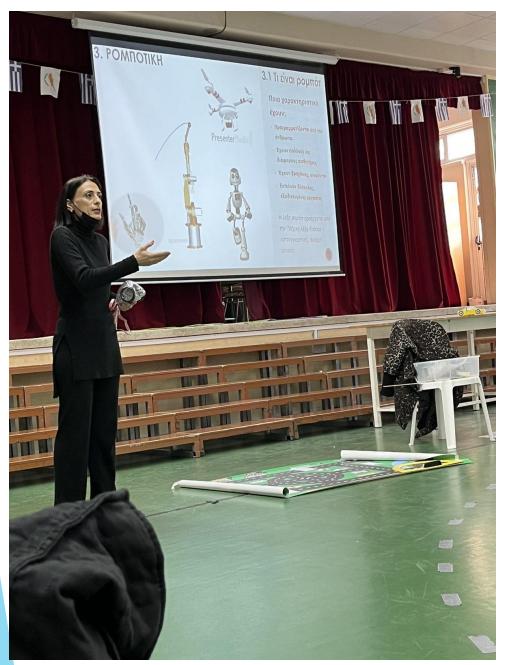
Unplugged Programming / Coding !!!

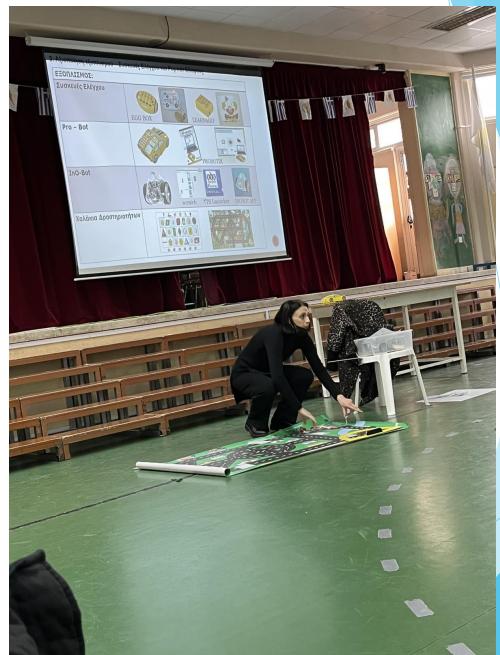
Our colleague Eirini Petraki – Teacher Advisor of the Cyprus Pedagogical Institute in Design and Technology - presented in one of our personnel meetings what unplugged programming / Coding is and how we can use it in a classroom setting. Her presentation helped us take ownership and contribute to a better integration of this initiative in our school!

















Teaching with Bee-Bots in the Special Unit of our School

Special Education Unit in a Mainstream Primary School.

▶ 5 students in autism spectrum, 1 teacher, 2 school assistants.

Teaching with Bee-Bots.

- Learning objects:
 - Spatial orientation
 - Numbers' Sensory Counting
 - Addition Subtraction
 - > Syllable awareness

Teaching with Bee-Bots.

Step1:

- Getting to know the bee-bot moves by playing a game.
- A sequence of bee-bot moves was appeared on the whiteboard and each student should act like a robot and move in space accordingly.



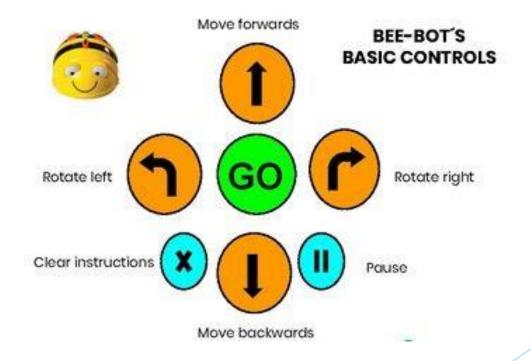






Teaching with Bee-Bots.

- Step 2:
 - Presentation of bee-bots. Explanation of the buttons on top.
 - Free play with bee-bots.



Numbers' Sensory Activity - Counting

Example:

The bee-bot has to move to number 3. So the student should press the "up" button 3 times.



Addition-Subtraction

Addition

The bee-bot is at number 3 and a few section bee-bot now?

1 2 3 4 5

- Subtraction
 - The bee-bot is at number 5 and moves backward 2 steps. Where is the bee- bot now?

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Syllable awareness

- Words are broken into syllables and have been placed randomly on a surface of squares (15x15 as each bee-bot's step is 15cm).
- Each student should collect the syllables and put the in the right order to form the word.

