#### ELTE

Name of course: Scratch Programming

Course code: IP-18fPRESPROGEG

Faculty responsible for course: Márta Turcsányi-Szabó

Total credits: 4

Type of the course	Lecture	Practice	Consultation
Credit		4	_
Hours per week	_	3	1
Type of testing	_	practice	_

### **Topics:**

# Block programming, design-based learning introduction:

Introduction to creative computing and Scratch using simple projects and hands-on experiences.

#### **Scratch Programming:**

- Introducing the Scratch user interface.
- Exploring the arts by creating projects with sounds, music, drawings, and video.
- Creating geometric figures using visual problem solving and turtle geometry.
- Telling stories through animation projects featuring characters, scenes, and dialogues (simple interactive animation, single scene animation, multi-scene animation, endless animation).
- Programming several kinds of games (adventure game, grid game, platformer game) with different goals and rules.

### 3D modelling:

Using the Tinkercad block programming and 3D design platform, and exporting the model for later use (e.g. character in a game)

**Assessment:** Students are evaluated by the number of points they gain during the semester.

Points can be earned for:

- Quizzes during the lesson
- Small assignments (either completed at the end of the lesson or as homework)
- Final project (creating a game by following a few guiding points)

#### **Competencies:**

Enabling user friendly programming environment using Scratch. Introducing learners to *creative computing* with Scratch, using a *design-based learning* approach. Providing the learners with opportunities to explore *computational thinking concepts* (sequence, loops, parallelism, events, conditionals, operators, data), *practices* (working iteratively and incrementally, testing and debugging, reusing and remixing, abstracting and modularizing), and *perspectives* (expressing, connecting, questioning, collaboration). Transferring of concepts learnt in different areas through development of projects.

### Literature:

1. Digital Technologies

https://fuse.education.vic.gov.au/Resource/LandingPage?ObjectId=c1d4617e-a3c5-4131-937c-309de3ea4899

**2.** How to use Scratch for Digital Story Telling

https://www.commonsense.org/education/blog/how-to-use-scratch-for-digital-storytelling

3. Story Telling with Scratch

https://scratch.mit.edu/projects/96741560/

4. Scratch overview video

http://vimeo.com/29457909

- 5. Scratch Tutorials and Basic Games
- **6.** https://scratch.mit.edu/studios/3457447/
- 7. Dance videos

http://vimeo.com/28612347

http://vimeo.com/28612585

http://vimeo.com/28612800

http://vimeo.com/28612970

**8.** *Maze extension* projects:

http://scratch.mit.edu/galleries/view/138300

**9.** Scratch Programing Video Tutorials

https://scratch.mit.edu/help/videos/

# Recommended literature:

1. Getting Started with Scratch

https://resources.scratch.mit.edu/www/guides/en/Getting-Started-Guide-Scratch2.pdf