

Agenda: Games Programming with Scratch (Slough area)

Date: Thursday 25 June, 2015

Time: 13:00-16:00

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Venue:

[Castleview School](#)

Woodstock Avenue, Slough, SL3 7LJ. There is limited parking on-site, further parking is available in the surrounding streets.

School phone: 01753 810615

Course leader: Mark Baker (previously Regional Adviser with Becta and local authority ICT Adviser) 01635 37100 / 0770 4184 991

Cost: £90

This course takes delegates beyond an introductory level, developing Scratch skills to produce different types of game. Coverage will vary but is likely to include racing track and maze games, ball and paddle games and targeting games, incorporating timers and simple animated effects.

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1. Some "games engines". The essential programming elements needed to produce racing track, maze and ball and paddle games.
2. A more in-depth look at a targeting game, including simple animated effects.

Delegates are expected to have had some prior experience of using Scratch, for example they may have introduced it into their teaching and gone beyond the stage at which an introductory course would be useful. This course is designed those who are looking to broaden the range of things they can do with Scratch and deepen their programming skills.

There may be opportunities to record and add your own sound effects and you might want to bring your own headphones to use. You might also want to bring a USB drive so that you can save some of the work done, however USB access cannot be guaranteed.

Summary directions to Castleview School

From the M4: Exit at Junction 5 and head west along the A4 London Rd towards Langley and Slough. After 1.1 miles turn left onto Upton Court Rd. Then take the 2nd left Blenheim Rd, 1st left Marlborough Rd, 1st right Woodstock Ave. The school is at the end of this cul-de-sac.



Bookings

To book please use the booking form at <http://www.educationvision.co.uk/bkform.html>.

Alternatively you can send an email to mark.baker@educationvision.co.uk including the school name, the name of the person attending, their contact email address and, optionally, a purchase order number.

Payment is required in advance to confirm the booking, cancellations giving at least 24 hrs notice will receive a refund of 50%.