

# Bring and share highlights

## 2013-14

Here is a selection of some of the items shared by teachers during the EVC Computing/ICT coordinator update sessions during the academic year 2013-14. It has been produced for information and the appearance of an item in this list does not imply endorsement by Education Vision Consultancy Ltd.

### Apps

A.L.E.X.	Beebot-type robot programming app	iPad
Cargo-bot	Robot crane programming app	iPad
Lightbot	Robot programming apps	iPad/Android

### Books, publishers

"Chicken clicking" by Jeanne Willis and Tony Ross  
KS1, e-safety

"Dot" by Randi Zuckerberg and Joe Berger  
KS1, obsessive use of technology

[nosycrow.com](http://nosycrow.com) Publishes books and iPad apps for children, including traditional tales

### Hardware

Blue Yeti	Moderately priced, high quality microphone
Samson C01U	Moderately priced, high quality microphone
Vtech Kidizoom	Digital cameras for KS1

## Software

Pivot Animator	Stick-figure animation software
Reflector	Allows an iPad or iPhone screen to be wirelessly shared with Apple Macs, Windows and most Android devices
Splashtop	Shares screens between a wide range of tablet and non-tablet devices

## Web-based resources

<a href="http://downloads.bbc.co.uk/cbbc/staysafe/pop_video.swf">downloads.bbc.co.uk/cbbc/staysafe/pop_video.swf</a>	Pop video about e-safety from Dongle and friends. Ends with interactive SMART rules.
<a href="http://edublogs.org">edublogs.org</a>	Blogs for education
<a href="http://epals.com">epals.com</a>	See Global Community section if you are interested in making international links
<a href="http://fantasticcontraption.net">fantasticcontraption.net</a>	Fantastic contraption - Mechanism puzzles
<a href="http://code.org/educate/hoc">code.org/educate/hoc</a>	Hour of code - Teaching programming
<a href="http://kidrex.org">kidrex.org</a>	Search engine for children
Found on various websites	Lightbot, Lightbot2 – Robot programming puzzles
<a href="http://minecraftedu.com">minecraftedu.com</a>	MinecraftEdu – Using Minecraft in class
<a href="http://sumoware.com/home">sumoware.com/home</a>	Sumo Paint – Online image editing
<a href="http://snappymaths.com">snappymaths.com</a>	Free maths resources (Years 1-12)
<a href="http://storyjumper.com">storyjumper.com</a>	Pupils can write their own stories then add illustrations and print off locally (free). There is the option (paid) to have books professionally printed in soft or hard covers.
<a href="http://twinkl.co.uk">twinkl.co.uk</a>	General primary teaching resources
<a href="http://tpet.co.uk">tpet.co.uk</a>	General primary teaching resources