Tech Time
February, 2017

Second grade students using the site Code.org to complete their coding lessons!

Welcome back to another edition of Tech Time! This month students in grades 1-4 will continue their unit on coding using the site Code.org. This unit has been a wonderful success as the children have really strengthened their programming skills!

As a prelude to an upcoming unit about Robotics, Teacher Missy's third graders had the opportunity to program the lab's robot car called Pro-Bot. Using the programming language Logo, students entered specific commands to have the car drive to a specific point in the Grange using their estimation skills! The picture displayed to the left depicts this exciting and fun learning activity.

Another super activity this month is being featured during the Extra Time - Student Selection portion of computer class. During this time, students will have the chance to learn about wikis and also contribute to the lab's wiki about how technology is used in our school's three countries of focus: Brazil, Nepal and Switzerland! I invite you to visit the computer lab website starting on February 15th to view our wonderful wiki!

The next edition of Tech Time will be during the week of March 13th. Until then, as always, happy computing to all!

In friendship,

Teacher Scott