

Kia ora parents

I hope your tamaiti enjoyed doing last week's fun work on their Imaginative world.

Did you know that your child can share their coding projects on Rangitikei's Coding studio?

Here's the link where they can add their projects onto: https://scratch.mit.edu/studios/30167181

I'd love to take a peek at their unique worlds curated by their wild and crazy imagination.

Now, for the GREAT STUFF! Grab this holiday season to ako (teach and learn) coding with your child but with a GOAL in mind. The project is called Sustainable Development Goals Challenge!

Are you ready to support your child in learning about creating a better tomorrow? I can't hear it! One more time, are you ready?

YES. That's better!

To get started, explain what the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) are.

Step 1: Get them to watch this 1-min video on what SDGs are. Prior to the video, instruct them to take notes and identify ones that mean something to them.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5G0ndS3uRdo

Step 2: Out of the 17 goals, get them to Pick 9 goals that are of importance to your child, his/her whanau and community. They can re-watch the same video or view a similar video below:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PZbgIVgQyks

Step 3: Start your coding project. Create a Scratch Quiz game on the 9 goals that are important to you and share it with your friends on Rangitikei Scratch Studio. Here's the link to the studio again: https://scratch.mit.edu/studios/30167181

Sample quiz link: https://projects.raspberrypi.org/en/projects/brain-game (They have already done this project so they should have an idea on creating quizzes on Scratch).

Step 4: Call your friends and check with them on how they fared or just gloat.

THE END or...

Extra Funwork™ if you want to have more fun, of course!

Step 5: Identify ONE Sustainable Development goal that you are very passionate about and create an animation of it.

Sample animation link: https://projects.raspberrypi.org/en/projects/lost-in-space

Step 6: Show off your AMAZING ANIMATION on the studio and empathise with your friends' animations too.

Remember to Eat, Sleep, and CODE more!

When in doubt, you know where to find me!

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