

## Educational Software Write-Up

Title: Hopscotch: Coding for Kids

Version: 3.32.1

Publisher: Hopscotch Technologies

Target Audience: 4+, Made for Ages 9-11

Type of Software: Tutorial

Curriculum: This software could be used in technology and coding classes.

Possible Environment: This would be best used by a single user. One student using the software at a time would allow him or her to better develop their problem solving skills. Hopscotch is a great way for students/users to play with their imagination.

Cost: Free

Describe the Software: This app teaches students the basics of coding through problem solving. The user has the option to create, play, and learn through this app. This software allows the user to explore work that has already been created by kids, and you have the ability to go in and change another person's work to make it the way you want. There are video tutorials that teach you step by step. This app is challenging but very easy to use and stay interested in.

Impression of Software: We were very impressed by this software. We believe this app helps teach the user about coding. It uses the appropriate tools and software necessary for the user to understand the concepts and commands of coding. There are many ways for the user to stay interested in the app and what he or she is learning. This software could be a great tool for educators to implement in their classrooms.

Does the app pass? Yes