# Group Dance 'Program'

Lesson Date: Teacher(s):

Duration: 10 - 15 minutes Age range: Grades 3 - 5th (adjustable)

# **Lesson Objectives:**

- 1. Apply the use of loops
- 2. Problem Solving
- 3. Third Objective

### **Lesson Materials:**

- 1. Cards with different small movements. (Each team gets all the same cards)
  - Arrow cards
  - Start card
  - Stop card
  - Dance cards
    - Spin
    - Jump
    - Clap hands
  - Number Cards
    - Each group gets the same number cards.

#### **Lesson Introduction:**

1. Create your own dance plan as a group

# **Lesson Activity:**

- Explain that they need to create either their own dance. The cards can be placed in any order to be complete.
  - Must Start with Start and end with Stop
  - Must use all of the cards and numbers

- 2. Create groups, 3-5 per group
- 3. Once the all groups are done creating their plan everyone tries their own
- 4. Groups rotate and try out other groups' dances.

## **Lesson Conclusion:**

- 1. There are all sorts of ways to create dance programs, the same is true for computer programs.
- 2. Today you all were programers making your own 'computer program'