



PRESS ADVISORY

Great Falls Public Schools Hour of Code Event

WHAT: Students from both CMR and GFHS who are taking Computer Science/Programming will be teaching students at North and East Middle schools a coding lesson. They will be teaching JavaScript with Karel the Dog. High school students will prepare a 45 minute lesson to teach some basic programming syntax. The goal is to have high school students apply and share what they are learning and to excite middle school students about learning to code.

The Hour of Code is a global movement reaching tens of millions of students in 180+ countries. Teachers in Great Falls Public Schools have been participating in the event for several years. The event encourages students of all ages to try computer coding. They can choose from a variety of self-guided tutorials, for kindergarten and up. Tutorials work on any modern browser, tablet, smartphone, or even with no computer at all.

WHEN: Monday, December 7th from 10:53-11:45 at East
Friday, December 11th from 10:05-10:55 at North

WHERE: East Middle School in Room G12
4040 Central Avenue
North Middle School in Room 114
2601 8th Street NE

WHO: Nick Herd, East math teacher
Nicole Crouch, North math teacher
GFH and CMR students

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