

# B binary

A **Binary Code** is any code that turns information into only two signals. Perfect for when you need to say something with a ninja signal mirror, bumps or holes on a page, or an electrical switch that can only be in two positions: ON or OFF

You can use binary code to write letters and words!  
This is called the ASCII (“ask-ee”) alphabet.

<b>A</b>	1 0 0 0 0 0 1	<b>N</b>	1 0 0 1 1 1 0
<b>B</b>	1 0 0 0 0 1 0	<b>O</b>	1 0 0 1 1 1 1
<b>C</b>	1 0 0 0 0 1 1	<b>P</b>	1 0 1 0 0 0 0
<b>D</b>	1 0 0 0 1 0 0	<b>Q</b>	1 0 1 0 0 0 1
<b>E</b>	1 0 0 0 1 0 1	<b>R</b>	1 0 1 0 0 1 0
<b>F</b>	1 0 0 0 1 1 0	<b>S</b>	1 0 1 0 0 1 1
<b>G</b>	1 0 0 0 1 1 1	<b>T</b>	1 0 1 0 1 0 0
<b>H</b>	1 0 0 1 0 0 0	<b>U</b>	1 0 1 0 1 0 1
<b>I</b>	1 0 0 1 0 0 1	<b>V</b>	1 0 1 0 1 1 0
<b>J</b>	1 0 0 1 0 1 0	<b>W</b>	1 0 1 0 1 1 1
<b>K</b>	1 0 0 1 0 1 1	<b>X</b>	1 0 1 1 0 0 0
<b>L</b>	1 0 0 1 1 0 0	<b>Y</b>	1 0 1 1 0 0 1
<b>M</b>	1 0 0 1 1 0 1	<b>Z</b>	1 0 1 1 0 1 0

ASCII can be written out in columns, where each row holds one letter. You color in a circle to mean 1, and leave a circle empty to represent 0.

So the word CAT would look like this:

● ○ ○ ○ ○ ● ● C  
1 0 0 0 0 1 1

● ○ ○ ○ ○ ○ ● A  
1 0 0 0 0 0 1

● ○ ● ○ ● ○ ○ T  
1 0 1 0 1 0 0

