

My First Touch Develop Game

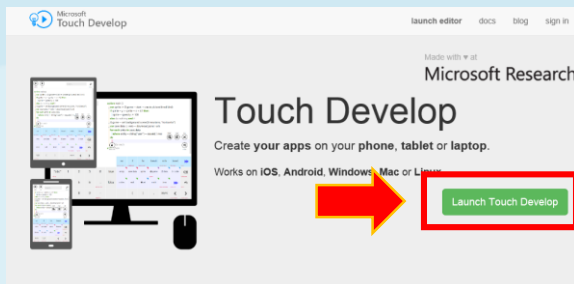
Make a Random Number Generator

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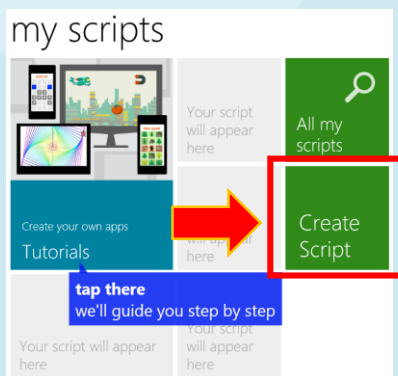
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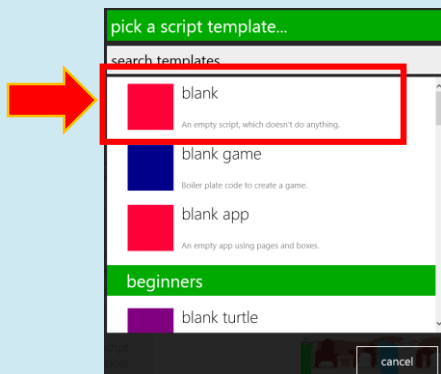
1. Using a web browser like Internet Explorer, Firefox, or Chrome, **go to the Touch Develop website** at <http://www.touchdevelop.com>
2. **Click on the Launch Touch Develop button**, on the Touch Develop website.



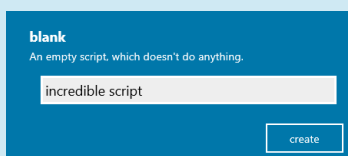
3. **Click on Create Script** so you can start a new program from the beginning.



4. **Click on Blank** to start with a blank main() function.

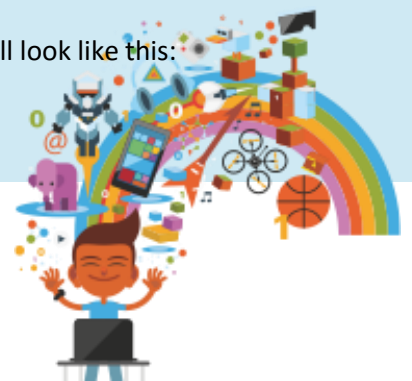



5. **Type a new name** for your program – you can always change it later! **Click the Create button** when ready.



6. **Click on the line between main() and end**, add the following code: **media->create portrait board**.
7. **Click on store in var** and make sure the name is "board". Your code will look like this:

```
var board := media → create portrait board(480, 800)
```



8. Click on the **bottom + sign** on the line you just wrote to add a new line under it. 
9. Click on **board** in the lower half of the screen, then **-> post to wall**.
10. Click on the **bottom + sign** on the line you just wrote to add a new line under it.
11. Click on **board** in the lower half of the screen, and **then add on tap**. Hint: Check under the More magnifying glass symbol.



12. Click on the line **between where and end** in this new block of code, and then **click on math**.
13. Click on **->random**, and then **change the 2 to 101**.
14. Click on the **space after (101)** and then **click on ->to string**.
15. Click on **store in var**, your code will look similar to this:

```
var s := math → random(101) → to string
```

16. Click on the **bottom + sign** on the line you just wrote and add a new line under it.
17. Click on **board**, then **click ->create text**.
18. Delete the **""** signs and put **s** (the random number variable) before the last parentheses. Your code will look similar to this:

```
var sprite := board → create text(100, 40, 20, s)
```

19. Click on the **bottom + sign** on the line you just wrote and add a new line under it.
20. Click on the **variable name of your text** (likely **sprite**), and then **click on ->set color**. Your code will look similar to this:

```
sprite → set color(colors → random)
```

21. Click on the **bottom + sign** on the line you just wrote and add a new line under it.
22. Click on **board**, and then **click ->post to wall**.
23. Click on the **bottom + sign** on the line you just wrote and add a new line under it.
24. Click on the **variable name of your text** (likely **sprite**), and then **click on -> hide**.
25. Compare your final code with this code then **click on the Run Main button** at the top of the screen!

```
function main ()
  var board := media → create portrait board(480, 800)
  board → post to wall
  board → on tap(tapped)
    where tapped(x : Number , y : Number) is
      var s := math → random(101) → to string
      var sprite := board → create text(100, 40, 20, s)
      sprite → set color(colors → random)
      board → post to wall
      sprite → hide
    end
  end
end function
```

Congratulations! You've created your own random number program in Touch Develop!

