

2: Basic Principles for Computation

# Learning outcomes

- Explain the role and basic functions of the IDE
- Produce some basic Python programs
- Apply computational thinking to puzzle solving





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  - ▶ Other Python IDEs are available





Basic Python programs

# Your first Python program

```
print "Hello, world!"
```

## Your second Python program

```
print "This is a very long line of code which had to ←
  be split to fit on the slide, but you should type ←
  it as a single line."
```

# Assigning to variables

```
a = 7
print a
```