## **Algorithm**

- Algorithm is a step by step process for solving a computational problem
- **programming** is also same however, algorithms is something we write first before converting it (solution) into a program so, that our machines can understand it.
- The *procedure* used for solving various problems are called algorithm
- **Pseudo code** is something which can be written in any language (programming , syntax or pure English ) this is used just for understanding algorithm

## Ex of algorithm:

```
Algorithm Average( List , n )

{
Sun <- 0;
For each element x in list

Begin

Sum <- sum + x;

End;

Avg <- sum/n;

Return avg;
}
```