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Challenge 1: Getting Started

Part 1:

Watch the <u>first chapter only</u> title "Programming Basics" of the lynda.com videos: *Foundations of Programming: Fundamentals*.

Then respond to the following following prompts:

- 1. Imagine asking a friend to meet you at a restaurant. What instructions would a computer program need that your friend would not in order to understand how to get there?
- 2. What is the difference between source code and machine code? What does the CPU do? Where are instructions and data stored?
- 3. What is an IDE and why is it useful?
- 4. What kind of language is Objective-C? Why do you think we use it for making device specific applications? Why wouldn't we want to use an interpreted language for making iPhone and iPad apps?

Part 2:

Now that you have finished the easy part, read chapters 1 through 11 of The Big Nerd Ranch book and complete all the exercises.