

# Robotics Club Week 1

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## 1 Agenda

- Welcome Programmers
- Introductions - Mentors & Students
- Select note taker
- RoboRio
- Languages available for FRC
- Why we switched to Java
- Solar flare & previous robots
- How all groups play together
- Java environment
- Koans

## 2 welcome

These are the most important links you will need. Everything you want to know can be found here.

<http://glencoerobotics.com/forum/>

<https://www.chiefdelphi.com/forums/portal.php>

<http://wpilib.screenstepslive.com/s/4485>

## 3 Programming Groups

- Robot
- Apps

Don't have to stick to a group

## 4 Skills we teach

1. Code Collaboration - pair programming
2. analyzing problems
3. how a computer thinks
4. incorporating math into code
5. Working with people outside your domain - Electrical and mech.
6. learning how to learn a language
7. Learning Java (Notice this is last)

## 5 RoboRio

<https://wpilib.screenstepslive.com/s/4485/m/13503/c/86641>

<http://www.ni.com/pdf/manuals/374474a.pdf>

<https://decibel.ni.com/content/docs/DOC-30419>

## 6 Languages for FRC

### 6.1 java

<https://wpilib.screenstepslive.com/s/4485/m/13503/l/599679-installing-eclipse-c-java>

<https://www.chiefdelphi.com/forums/archive/index.php/t-128134.html>

### 6.2 C++

<https://wpilib.screenstepslive.com/s/4485/m/13503/l/599679-installing-eclipse-c-java>

[https://www.reddit.com/r/FRC/comments/4k24cu/java\\_vs\\_c/](https://www.reddit.com/r/FRC/comments/4k24cu/java_vs_c/)

### 6.3 Other

<https://github.com/robotpy/pyfrc>

## 7 Why we use Java

- Better visibility across mentors to assist students
- code checkins - pull requests

## 8 Robots

### 8.1 Eclipse

<http://www.thebluealliance.com/team/4488/2016>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ox0SjQpTp3U>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9W0QbL9n4Cs>

### 8.2 Solar Flare

<http://www.thebluealliance.com/team/4488/2015>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VpZazV3wP1s>

### 8.3 Wildfire

<http://www.thebluealliance.com/team/4488/2014>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tEhQnKbRz-0>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lmtvsggl81M>

### 8.4 Phantom

<http://www.thebluealliance.com/team/4488/2013>

## 9 Camera

We currently use a logitech c920 with a kangaroo mobile computer to perform the vision processing.

## 10 How groups interact

Mechanical, Electrical, Business, and Apps are all required. Without them we would have nothing to program.

## 11 Java Environment

We use Eclipse with the NI driver station. <https://wpilib.screenstepslive.com/s/4485/m/13503/l/599679-installing-eclipse-c-java> <https://wpilib.screenstepslive.com/s/4485/m/13503/l/599677-frc-driver->

## 12 Koans

<https://github.com/dcobbley/roboticsClubSeason/blob/master/Koans.pdf>

## 13 Extras

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nZf9F-3QKMw>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Qfe-zs2f2EM>