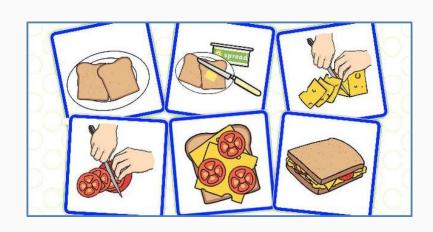
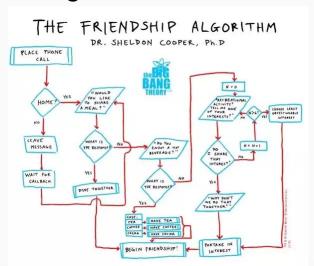


What are Algorithms?

An **algorithm** is a detailed step-by-step set of instructions used to solve a problem or complete a task.

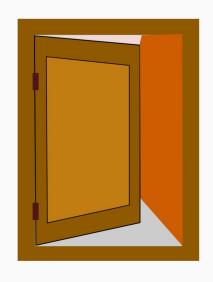
They are usually generalized and repeatable; they create a particular <u>output</u> given a set of <u>inputs</u>. In a way, <u>recipes</u> are like algorithms!





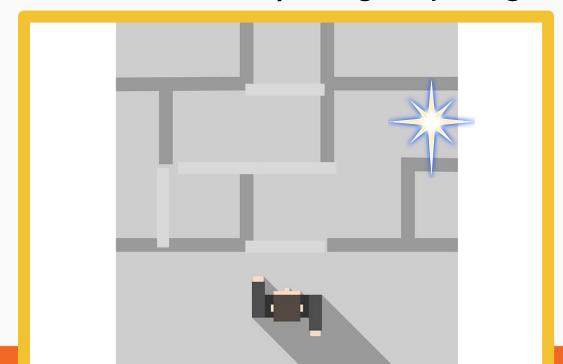


Get our volunteer out of the door! Hurry...the bathroom is calling!





Get me to the star! Today, I will be your own personal robot! You must work with your group to get me there.





List the set up inputs that will guide the group to get me to the star.

Step 1	
Step 2	
Step 3	
Step 4	
Step 5	
Step 6	

Your Turn! (Homework)
The <u>output</u> is to teach us how to make your favorite sandwich. List the set up inputs that will guide us in making that sandwich.

Step 1	
Step 2	
Step 3	
Step 4	
Step 5	
Step 6	

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provided, use as many steps as needed. Step 7 Step 8 Step 9 Step 10 Step 11 Step 12