## **Image representation Activity**

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Grades: 6-8

Goal: Learn how binary information is used to display images

**Duration of lesson:** 1 hour

## Image representation

 http://csunplugged.org/sites/default/files/activity\_pdfs\_full/unplugged-02-image\_r epresentation.pdf

- Discuss their images and binary code.
- Show the image representation code, learn it. VIDEO
- Have students design an image, share their code with partner
- Rules:
  - Always start with "off"
  - Switch between on and off until end of the line.
  - If first # is 0, begin with color.
- Sidewalk chalk see LINK 16x16 each group has their own color.
- Complete the image outside.
- See: Video for example.
- Ponder How is the code more efficient? are there other ways to write code?