In Year 2, you learnt:

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Year 3



Knowledge Organiser: Computing

Programming B – Events and actions

motion	extension block	setup	
event	pen up	code	
sprite	set up	debug	
algorithm	design	errors	
logic	action	resize	
move	debugging		

• a sequence shows the order in which things happen

- computer programs run in sequence
- a sequence of commands has an outcome
- the 'design' is the task of designing artwork and algorithms



move 50 ste			
pen down move 50 ste		I would improve this program by	
		These two sprites are similar because	_ ///
		but different because	•
N	If you	then	
\boldsymbol{N}	The sprite is _	because	
M	In my opinion	'setup' is important when using a sprite for drawing because	
	I believe these	e pen blocks have been used because	000
		When debugging first then flext	S L

Key Facts

- characters in Scratch can be moved using 'events'
- 'events' are used to sense 'inputs', which then trigger scripts to run
- input devices allow us to give instructions to computers
- initialisation is the process of setting starting values (variables) for a program, so that the program starts in the same way each time
- a bug is an error in the design or the coding of the program
- debugging is finding and fixing an error in the design or the coding of the program
- Debugging: Review the task (what should the project do?) Test the project· Identify the bug· Fix the bug· Test the bug fix does the code now do what it