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**Africa Code Week (ACW)**  
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Head Teacher

Dear Sir/Madam,

**R.E: Invitation for your school to participate in the 2022 Africa Code Week (ACW).**

Warm Greetings from the Africa Code Week (ACW) Implementing partners in Uganda: **Mindset Coders, The WIT Ltd, ICT Teachers Association of Uganda (ITAU), Code Academy Uganda, KAWA, Maarifasasa, Teachers in Need and Irish Aid.**

Africa Code Week (ACW) is an initiative to empower future generations with the coding tools and skills they need to thrive in the 21st century workforce and become key actors in Africa's economic development. In 2022, it is planned that for 2 weeks of October, 54 African countries will have 21,000+ teachers mobilized and free coding workshops involving 1,800,000 children and youths across the continent.

*“It takes an empowered village to raise a child in the digital age”*  
*Claire Gillessen-Duval (SAP, Founding Member and Global Lead ACW)*

Following the success of the past 7 years of ACW activities and in an effort to reach more students, we are writing to request for your support in identifying students from your school to participate in the ACW activities this year. A group of approximately 30 students or more (aged 11-16 years) from your school will attend a minimum of two ‘Scratch’ workshops (an open source learning platform developed by the MIT Media Lab to simplify the face of coding for the younger generations)

These workshops will be **FREE** and hosted in the schools’ computer lab (if you have the lab with functioning computers) and will last roughly **2-3 hours**. We also have coding unplugged materials that can still allow us to carry out a coding workshop for schools without computers. Furthermore, they can be scheduled at a time that is convenient for the teachers and pupils of these schools. The training will be delivered by our trainers between the **17th and 28th of October, 2022.**

We thank you for your positive consideration and look forward to working closely with students from your school.

Yours sincerely,

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