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# **Mission 8 Assignment - Answer Bot**

In this project you will create a random answer generator. Instead of selecting messages yourself, like in the previous project, this time you'll have the computer decide for you!



You will create code during this lesson. When you encounter an error, make a note of what is happening and document your debugging process in the table below.

1. Read the introduction and complete Objective #1. You will get an error.

What is the error?

What is one way to fix the error?

2. Objective #2 and Objective #3 and then answer the question.

What does scale=3 do?

- 3. Complete Objective #4 and Objective #5. Try to do the code for #5 without help from CodeTrek.
- 4. Complete the Quiz and Objective #6. Try to do the code for #6 without help from CodeTrek.
- 5. Complete Objective #7.

#### **EXTENSION #1:**

Using a different button (not A) program a "kill switch" to end the program.

#### **EXTENSION #2:**

Define and call a function that displays the random colors in the pixels.

#### **CHALLENGE #1:**

Your function contains a lot of duplicated code. Create a loop that contains the instructions one time each with a counter for the condition. Don't forget to increment the counter. You can use the flowchart below as a hint for this challenge.

## **CHALLENGE #2:**

Your answers list only contains text. You learned in Mission 7 that you can determine the type of a variable. Add built-in images to your list. Then modify your code to print the strings and display the images.

### **CHALLENGE #3:**

You can add your own images to make your Answer Bot really cool. Use the <u>slides on working with JPG images</u> or the <u>document of JPG images</u> to prepare JPG images for the CodeX. Then create another list in your program and add some of your own JPG images. Write code so that when button B was pressed, a random image from your second list is displayed. (If necessary, you will need to make a different button as the kill switch.)



To turn in the assignment, download your code (FILE-DOWNLOAD), which will be a text file. Add your name in the filename. Then submit the file through Google Classroom or the class LMS.

Debugging Table		
As you create code, you will make mistakes. Keep track of the mistakes in the table below. Doing so will help you become a more confident programmer. Add rows to the table as needed.		
Error message that is displayed	Actual bug	How you fixed it
SUCCESS CRITERIA:  Program the buttons to print a random number.  Modify the code to print a random message from a list of possible answers.  Create a function that randomly assigns a color to each of the four neoPixels.		

Flowchart for Challenge #1:

(see below)



