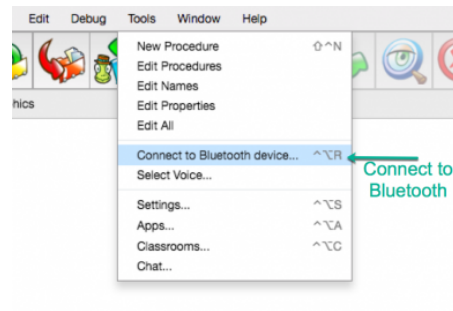
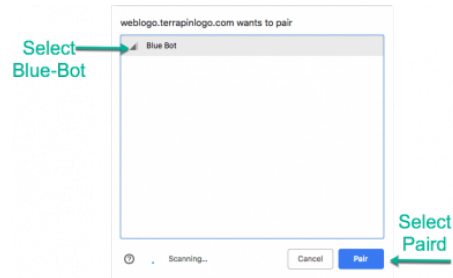


# Connecting the Blue-Bot with Logo software

Turn on the Blue-Bot  
 Log into Terrapin Logo software \*  
 Select Tools  
 Connect to Bluetooth



Select Blue-Bot  
 Select Pair



## Getting started with Blue-Bot and Logo

Make sure you are connected via Bluetooth.  
 If you are not sure how to do this please [click here](#)

### Try these first 3 simple commands. Commands can provide valuable information

**Ask the Blue-Bot if it is connected to Bluetooth.**

bluebot?  
 If it is connected it will return true  
 If not it will return false  
*true and false conditions is an important coding/programming concept.*

Listener

```
Connected to Blue Bot
> bluebot?
bluebot?
Result: TRUE
```

**Check the battery level.**

bluebot.battery  
 Bluebot will return how much charge the bluebot has with 1.0 being 100 percent charged  
*this is a great opportunity to talk about decimals, place value and percentage*

Listener

```
Connected to Blue Bot
bluebot.battery
Result: 0.5
>
```

**Clear the memory.**

bluebot.clear  
 Bluebot will clear any commands that are in its memory

Listener

```
Connected to Blue Bot
> bluebot.clear
bluebot.clear
> |
```

### Time to get Blue-Bot on the move!


**Move that Bot 101! .**

To move the bot always start with `bluebot.run`. This command won't do by anything itself. You have to tell Bluebot what to run.

```
bluebot.run [fd 1]
```

```
Listener
Connected to Blue Bot
bluebot.run [fd 1]
> |
```

Follow `bluebot.run` with a space, then an open bracket. Type a Logo command then close bracket. Press return. Try the example shown on the right  
`bluebot.run [fd 1]`  
 press return

 Note: many Logo commands can be entered typing the full command or an abbreviation. This can be very helpful, especially for younger programmers. [Click here](#) to find the basic logo commands and their abbreviations.

**Lets add some commands !**

**Multiple Steps .**


Lets add another 2 steps to your program. Add the following: `rt 90 fd 1`. Your program should look like the example on the right. Try it!

```
bluebot.run [fd 1 rt 90 fd 1]
```

```
Listener
Connected to Blue Bot
bluebot.run [fd 1 rt 90 fd 1]
>
```

**Blue-Bot/Logo Abbreviations**

<b>FORWARD</b>	fd	Blue-Bot moves forward in fixed-size units. A unit of one is about 6 inches or 15 cm). Blue-Bot quickly pauses after each unit of movement. This is great way to see 1-1 correlation.
<b>BACK</b>	bk	Blue-Bot moves backwards in the same way that it moves forward, moving in fixed units. For example <code>bluebot.run [bk 1]</code> would move Bluebot back 1 unit.
<b>LEFT</b>	lt	Blue-Bot turns left 45 or 90 degrees, depending what you tell it to do. For example <code>rt 90</code> will turn right 90 degrees, or <code>lt 45</code> will turn left 45 degrees.
<b>RIGHT</b>	rt	Blue-Bot turns right 45 or 90 degrees, depending what you tell it to do. For example <code>rt 90</code> will turn right 90 degrees, or <code>lt 45</code> will turn left 45 degrees.
<b>WAIT</b>	<i>no abbreviation</i>	This command corresponds to Blue-Bot's Pause button. Blue-Bot pauses in units of about two seconds. Therefore, the input to WAIT (which is a millisecond value) should be a multiple of 2000. Logo rounds wait times to the nearest multiple of two seconds.
<b>REPEAT</b>	<i>no abbreviation</i>	Blue-Bot has a simple built-in repeat feature that lets it execute a list of commands between 1 and 16 times. The REPEAT command cannot be nested.

 Terrapin Logo is not case sensitive

\*Requires Terrapin Logo software. Click [here](#) for more information.