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Jumpstart for Beginners:

Programming Concepts

The staff of the Liberty BASIC Programmer's Encyclopedia is developing this introductory course on programming concepts as a collaborative project using the methods described in the [TOPS instructional system](#).

Before You Start

This tutorial, **Jumpstart for Beginners: Programming Concepts**, is intended for complete beginners who are interested in learning about computer programming. **Jumpstart** will not teach you everything you need to land a job as a programmer, but it **will** help you:

- learn basic programming concepts
- practice using those concepts
- add to your knowledge step-by-step
- write real programs in **Liberty BASIC**, a real programming language

Next, a few hints on getting the most out of **Jumpstart**.

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