



## **Programming Python with an On-Line Interpreter**

An on-line interpreter lets you take Python anywhere you go. That way, you can make programs when you do not have a school purchased tutorial program, or experiment with programs on your own. If you want to make fast efficient code, consider installing the Python compiler at <u>https://www.python.org/</u>. To run the on-line interpreter:

- 1. Open a browser
- 2. Search for https://trinket.io/python
- 3. If you make an account you can save right inside the program itself.

To save programs externally, way one:

- 1. Click the char icon
- 2. Click email
- 3. Send the program to yourself.

To save programs externally, way2:

- 1. Highlight all the text. (CTRL A)
- 2. Copy it. (CTRL C)
- 3. Open a program like notepad that you can save.
- 4. Click in the program
- 5. Paste your Python program. (CTRL P)
- 6. Save to E: (your flash drive.)





**Example of using turtle graphics in Trinket:** 

## import turtle wn = turtle.Screen() t = turtle.Turtle()

t.speed(0)
for i in range(36):
 t.forward(200)
 t.right(170)

The first three lines set Python up for turtle graphics. In this program all graphics apply to a turtle named **t**. You will need to type the turtle name (**t**) before each command, followed by a period. The variable **wn** is the name of the screen. These names can be whatever you want them to be.