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To: All Heads of Primary Schools (State and Non-State) and Sections

From: Mr. Keith Aquilina – Education Officer Digital Literacy

Subject: Malta Robo League

Malta Robo League is a STEM education program designed for young children (7 to 11 years). Teams made up of 2 to 6 members will be guided by an adult mentor to explore and research a real-world problem related to this year's theme '**Our Planet**'. Teams are challenged to design and develop a solution which includes a model using any robotic or electronic kit. Each team will share a presentation of their work during the Malta Robotics Olympiad. This program will enable participants learn how to apply their classroom knowledge to a real-world application.

Time line to accomplish this project will be as follows:

- Mentor Information Session: 25th January (Tasks, Rules & Regulations)
- Mentor training: 1st February
- Registration deadline: 15th February
- Practice time: February till end of April
- Expo Presentation: May 2018 @ MRO

Interested individuals can choose to apply either privately, as part of an entity or through a school. For more information on Malta Robo League, see attached documents or contact Mr Keith Aquilina, Education Officer (Digital Literacy), Directorate of Digital Literacy & Transversal Skills on keith.aquilina@ilearn.edu.mt

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