The Mindtriggerz Project
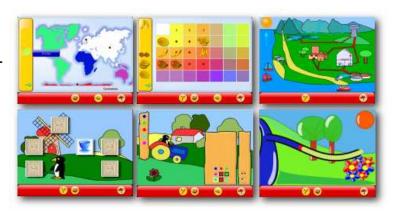## "Triggering young minds with technology"

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The Mindtriggerz Project is a community based effort in which donated computers are refurbished and given to children residing in Lexington who could not otherwise afford them. Our primary focus is on children in the Cardinal Valley area, our target age group is pre-elementary and elementary school children.

Mindtriggerz computers are equipped with an Open Source operating system and are pre-installed with the educational suites "Childs Play" and "GCompris." Activities include:

- Computer discovery: keyboard, mouse, different mouse gestures
- Algebra: table memory, enumeration, mirror images
- Science: the water cycle, the submarine, electric simulations
- Geography: place the country on the map
- Games: chess, memory, connect
- Reading: reading practice
- Other: learn to tell time, puzzles, painting, vector drawing, cartoon making

To qualify for a Mindtriggerz computer, families are asked to make a strong commitment to learn and work together. Priority is given to homes in which no other computer technology is present.

Instruction, technical support and follow up will be provided by members of the Mindtriggerz Project.

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