# Welcome To the FANTASTIC World of Robots!



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# Today's Goals:

- Learn about robots and robotics (and)
  - 2. See some COOL ROBOTS!



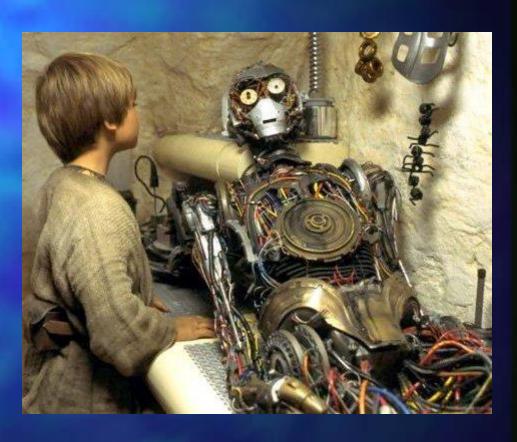
# What is a Robot?

• A man once said, "I can't define a robot, but I know one when I see one."



# Robotics: a Definition

**Robotics** is the science of robots: It is the design, construction, operation, and activities of a robot. It includes: electronics, mechanics, mathematics, computer programming, chemistry, and much more.



# Types of Robots

- Humanoid robots (androids)
- cleaning robots
- **Entertainment robots**
- Medical robots
- Space robots
- Animal robots
- Industrial robots
- Military Robots
- etc.



# **Robot Basics**

#### The basic robot:

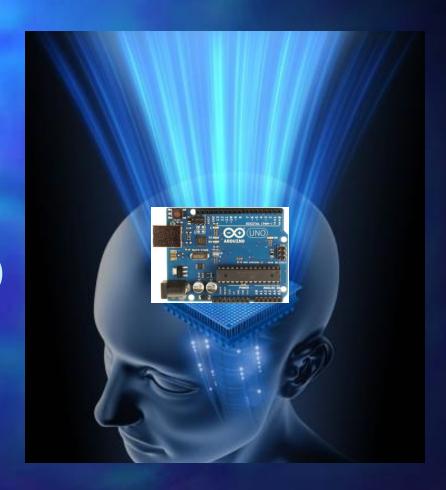
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- 2. Sensors
- 3. Electronics (motors)
- 4. Mechanics (Gears)



# Robot Basics - Brain

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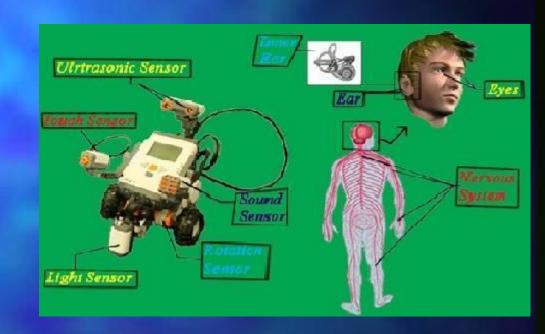
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## Sensors vs. Sensors

#### **Our FIVE Senses:**

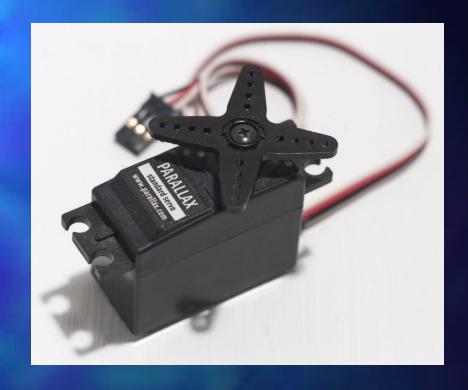
- 1. Sight
- 2. Hearing
- 3. Touch
- 4. Taste
- 5. Smell



# **Electronics and Gears - Motors**

#### The basic robot:

- 1. Brain (a computer)
- 2. Electro-mechanics
- 3. Sensors.



### **SEE MORE ROBOTS!**

Come to the Riverside Robot Expo & Star Wars Reads Day!



THIS SATURDAY at the Woodcrest Library!

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