## Google Scripting Class

Log in to your Clemson Google Account

Go to Google Drive and open a new Spreadsheet. Name it Hangman.

Go to Tools, Script Gallery, Fun and Games, and search for **Hangman**. Install the one that says "Google" beside it, Continue, Accept. Tools, Script Manger, Run. Hangman, Start New Game, and play.

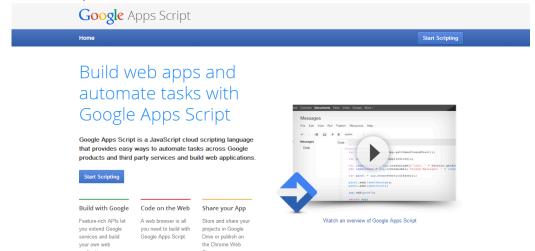
Go back to Google Drive and start a second new Spreadsheet. Name it UpsideDown. Type in some words in the first cell.

Go to Tools, Script Gallery, Fun and Games and search for **Flip Letters**. Install. Go to Script Manager and run.

Go to <u>developers.google.com</u> to read more about scripts and requirements. This uses JavaScript.

Go to <a href="mailto:script.google.com">script.google.com</a>. (Or go to Google Drive, Drive, Create, More, Script.)

You may see the screen below. Click on Start Scripting. This is a one time Welcome Page. It won't recur when you return.



You should see a dialog box that asks you if you want to start writing a script for a specific Google application, like Google Sheets (Spreadsheets app), Google Forms app etc. Click on Blank Project.

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## **First Example**

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Copy and paste this script replacing the default one:
function createAndSendDocument() {
  // Create a new Google Doc named 'Hello, world!'
  var doc = DocumentApp.create('Hello, world!');
  // Access the body of the document, then add a paragraph.
  doc.getBody().appendParagraph('This document was created by Google Apps Script.
You may add whatever message you want here.');
  // Get the URL of the document.
  var url = doc.getUrl();
  // Get the email address of the active user - that's you.
  var email = Session.getActiveUser().getEmail();
  // Get the name of the document to use as an email subject line.
  var subject = doc.getName();
  // Append a new string to the "url" variable to use as an email body.
  var body = 'Link to your doc: ' + url;
  // Send yourself an email with a link to the document.
  GmailApp.sendEmail(email, subject, body);}
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Click on Untitled project and change the name to SendDocument

Click triangle to run:



You may have to accept some security questions. Run a second time.

If you see this, click Dismiss:

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Script function not found: myFunction <u>Dismiss</u>
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Look at your Gmail and your Drive to see what it did!

## **Second Example**

Open a new spreadsheet naming it HelloSpreadsheet Click on Tools, Script Editor, Blank Project Create new script and replace default with this:

Rename it to HelloScript Click Run, Continue, Accept, Close Back in the spreadsheet, Click Tools, Script Manager, Run, Close Click Tutorial, Say Hello

Research:

FormEmailer: https://sites.google.com/site/formemailer/

AutoCrat

http://www.steegle.com/websites/google-sites-howtos/apps-script-contact-us-form-email

http://www.blogxpertise.com/2012/04/tip-making-google-doc-submission-form.html

http://www.labnol.org/internet/auto-confirmation-emails/28386/

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instance, we may do general overview of creating good data sets and then tackling Autocrat together, but then splitting off and doing FormMule for different purposes, as well as formRanger, but Teachers would only get Flubaroo, gClassFolders, Goobric, and Doctopus, whereas admin would dive really deep into FormMule and sheetSpider. Hope that makes sense. You can also see my current Super Scripts material at edutechserve.com/scripts.