

Strings

- All occurrences of String literals written in a Java application are instantiated as objects in a special section of the heap known as the **STRING POOL**
 - **When we first start our application, the JVM will scan for all String literals, and create objects immediately in the String pool for those literals**
 - String objects in the String pool DO NOT get garbage collected
- String objects created with the new keyword are instantiated in the normal section of the heap

