PHASE 1 | Building the Basics

Timeline: November 17 - December 10, 2024

Learning Focus: TypeScript Basics + User Management CRUD Project

Week 1: TypeScript Basics (Nov 17 - Nov 23, 2024)

• Day 1 (Nov 17):

- o **Topic:** Introduction to TypeScript
- Learn the benefits of TypeScript over JavaScript.
- o **Task:** Read an introductory article or video on TypeScript.
- Goal: Understand the difference between JavaScript and TypeScript, and why TypeScript is a good choice for larger projects.

• Day 2 (Nov 18):

- o **Topic:** Installing and Setting Up TypeScript
- o **Task:** Install TypeScript globally and in your project.
- o **Goal:** Set up your first TypeScript project with a tsconfig. json file.

Day 3 (Nov 19):

- Topic: Basic Types
- Task: Learn and practice TypeScript basic types: string, number, boolean, array, tuple, and enum.
- o **Goal:** Understand type annotations and type inference for variables.

Day 4 (Nov 20):

- Topic: Type Inference and Type Annotations
- o **Task:** Practice type inference and explicitly annotate types in variables.
- Goal: Understand how TypeScript detects types and how to explicitly set types for variables.

Day 5 (Nov 21):

- Topic: Variables (let, const, var)
- Task: Learn how to declare variables using let, const, and var in TypeScript.
- o **Goal:** Practice declaring variables and understanding the differences between let, const, and var.

• Day 6 (Nov 22):

- Topic: Interfaces
- o **Task:** Create simple interfaces for object types, arrays, and functions.
- Goal: Define object structures with interfaces and practice typing arrays and functions.

• Day 7 (Nov 23):

- o **Topic:** Review and Practice
- Task: Practice creating variables, defining types, and creating simple interfaces.
- o Goal: Reinforce your learning from the week through small exercises.

Week 2: TypeScript Basics (Nov 24 - Nov 30, 2024)

Day 8 (Nov 24):

- Topic: Classes and Objects
- Task: Learn how to create basic classes, define constructors, and add methods in TypeScript.
- o **Goal:** Understand object-oriented programming principles in TypeScript.

• Day 9 (Nov 25):

- o **Topic:** Methods in Classes
- Task: Learn how to define methods inside a class and how to instantiate objects.
- Goal: Understand how to use methods to manipulate data within class instances.

• Day 10 (Nov 26):

- o **Topic:** Constructor Functions and Constructor Types
- o **Task:** Understand how constructors work in TypeScript classes.
- o **Goal:** Learn to define and initialize class properties in constructors.

• Day 11 (Nov 27):

- o Topic: Function Types
- o **Task:** Learn how to type functions and define return types.
- Goal: Understand how to define functions with specific input and output types.

• Day 12 (Nov 28):

Topic: Type Aliases

- Task: Learn how to define custom types with the type keyword in TypeScript.
- o **Goal:** Practice creating custom types and using them in your code.

• Day 13 (Nov 29):

- o **Topic:** Review and Practice
- Task: Build small examples using classes, methods, and function types to consolidate knowledge.
- o **Goal:** Strengthen understanding through hands-on coding.

• Day 14 (Nov 30):

- o **Task:** Final review of Week 2 content, prepare for project work.
- Goal: Feel confident with the basics of TypeScript, including classes, methods, and function types.

Week 3: Project 1 (Learning Phase) (Dec 1 - Dec 7, 2024)

• Day 15 (Dec 1):

- o **Topic:** Set Up Project: User Management CRUD App
- Task: Set up a basic project structure with folders for models, controllers, and routes.
- Goal: Prepare the project structure for building the User Management CRUD app.

Day 16 (Dec 2):

- o **Topic:** Create: Add User
- Task: Implement a createUser function to add new users using TypeScript classes.
- o **Goal:** Learn how to add new user data in your app.

Day 17 (Dec 3):

- o Topic: Read: View Users
- Task: Implement a function to display all users using arrays and objects in TypeScript.
- Goal: Display a list of users from an array, reinforcing the use of objects and arrays in TypeScript.

• Day 18 (Dec 4):

- o Topic: Update: Modify User Data
- Task: Implement a function to update user details using TypeScript methods.
- Goal: Learn how to modify existing user data in the list.

• Day 19 (Dec 5):

- o **Topic:** Delete: Remove User
- o **Task:** Implement a function to delete a user from the list.
- Goal: Understand how to remove data from arrays in TypeScript.

• Day 20 (Dec 6):

- o **Topic:** CRUD Implementation and Testing
- Task: Test the CRUD functionality (Create, Read, Update, Delete) of your app.
- o Goal: Ensure all CRUD operations work as expected.

• Day 21 (Dec 7):

- o **Topic:** Final Review and Refinement
- Task: Refactor and improve the code. Ensure type safety, optimize code, and clean up any errors.
- o **Goal:** Finalize your User Management CRUD app with TypeScript.

Week 4: Midterm (Implementation Exam) (Dec 8 - Dec 10, 2024)

• Day 22 (Dec 8):

- Task: Midterm Project Implementation
- Goal: Complete a similar CRUD project from scratch (like the User Management app) and ensure that you've applied everything you've learned so far.
- Evaluation: Assess your ability to implement TypeScript features, such as classes, interfaces, types, and functions.

• Day 23 (Dec 9):

- o **Task:** Refine and Test the Midterm Project
- o **Goal:** Review and test the project thoroughly, checking for any bugs or issues.

Day 24 (Dec 10):

- o Task: Midterm Review and Evaluation
- Goal: Review the project, get feedback (if possible), and assess your mastery of TypeScript basics.

By the end of **Part 1**, you will have a **solid understanding** of TypeScript basics and a fully functioning **User Management CRUD application** that demonstrates the core concepts you've learned.