

## Introduction to Conditional Statements

Conditional statements allow you to execute different blocks of code based on whether a condition is true or false. JavaScript provides several types of conditional statements:

- **if** statement
- **if...else** statement
- **if...else if...else** statement
- **switch** statement

### if Statement

The **if** statement allows you to execute a block of code if a specified condition is true.

```
let hour = new Date().getHours();  
    if (hour < 12) {  
        document.write("Good morning!");  
    }
```

### if...else Statement

The **if...else** statement allows you to execute one block of code if a specified condition is true and another block of code if the condition is false.

```
let hour = new Date().getHours();  
    if (hour < 12) {  
        document.write("Good morning!");  
    } else {  
        document.write("Good afternoon!");  
    }
```

### if...else if...else Statement

The **if...else if...else** statement allows you to specify multiple conditions to execute different blocks of code based on the different conditions.

```
let hour = new Date().getHours();  
    if (hour < 12) {  
        document.write("Good morning!");  
    }
```

```
    } else if (hour < 18) {  
document.write("Good afternoon!");  
    } else {  
document.write("Good evening!");  
    }
```

## switch Statement

The **switch** statement allows you to select one of many code blocks to be executed.

```
let day = new Date().getDay();  
switch (day) {  
    case 0:  
document.write("Sunday");  
        break;  
    case 1:  
document.write("Monday");  
        break;  
    case 2:  
document.write("Tuesday");  
        break;  
    // More cases...  
    default:  
document.write("Other day");  
}
```

Conditional statements are essential for controlling the flow of execution in JavaScript programs.