

Abstract keyword

Let's ~~also~~ assume as class car
it ~~has~~ tells that it has following features
It has the implementation of that
feature is not there.

So, if we create any object and call
that feature method, nothing would happen.
So
no one will be interested in creating that
object.

So anyone need this class?

Yeah, ?

When someone wants to design car
and they know that it will drive,
but how it will drive, they don't
know.

So, they just declare that method
so that whenever someone is
implementing Car, they will define
how car drive.

But when we just declare it will throw
error?

→ So, we will make that method abstract

that there is an error on drive as well as
on class.

→ ~~an~~ Abstract method only defined in ~~is~~ by
an abstract class

The class which is extending must define abstract method.



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So, class should be abstract
i.e.

```
abstract class Car {  
    public abstract void drive(); // declaration  
    // it can have non abstract method
```

```
class WagonR extends Car {  
    public void drive() {  
        System.out.println("driving");  
    }  
}
```

```
public class Demo {  
    main() {
```

```
        Car obj = new Car();
```

we can make car as reference

```
        Car obj = new WagonR();
```

```
        obj.drive();
```

Note

It is necessary to define the abstract method in child class?

Yeah, but we can also not define all the abstract method in child class,

only if

child class is also abstract.

So, we also need to extend that abstracted child class to implement the abstract method.

Reason:- we can't create object of that abstract child class.