Javascript Moving to ES6





What

- Lets discuss the latest features of javascript
- ECMAScript Compatibility table
- Updated <u>Spec</u>



ES6 Must know features

```
let + const

template strings

Arrow functions

=>

Destructuring

[...]

Shorthand Properties

default + rest + spread

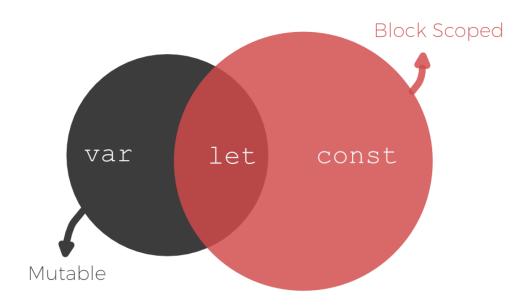
...arr ...obj
```

```
Modules (later)
Promises (later)
iterators + for..of (later)
```



Let vs Var vs Const

- Let & const improves scoping options in JS.
- var is still a useful signal for variables that are used throughout the function.
- Having both, and using both, means scoping intent is clearer to understand and maintain and enforce.





Practice make perfect





Later on...

We will use the newest features of javascript, so what will happen in older browsers?

We will use a process called:
Compilation (more accurately: Transpilation)



Transpilation

- Transpilation is a subset of compilation:
 - converts code from one high level language to another.
- we will use babel to convert code:

```
const func = x => `Kiki ${x} Mimi`

var func = function func(x) {
    return "Kiki " + x + " Mimi";

coding___;
coding___;
```

Victorious!



