

# Session Dos

## Input

We can use the `input()` function to get input from the user.

```
print('Enter your name:')  
x = input()                # The input value is assigned to x  
print('Hello, ' + x)       # Concatenation of 'Hello, ' and x
```

## Type casting

```
a = 2.5  
b = int(a)  
print(b)
```

Now let's type cast the input:

```
x = int(input())           # The input value is taken as integer.
```

## String Literals

String literals in python are surrounded by either single quotation marks, or double quotation marks.

'hello' is the same as "hello".

Strings can be output to screen using the print function. For example: `print("hello")`.

Like many other popular programming languages, strings in Python are arrays of bytes representing unicode characters. However, Python does not have a character data type, a single character is simply a string with a length of 1. Square brackets can be used to access elements of the string.

1. Get the character at position 1 (remember that the first character has the position 0):

```
a = "Hello, World!"  
print(a[1])
```

OUTPUT: e

2. Substring. Get the characters from position 2 to position 5 (not included):

```
b = "Hello, World!"  
print(b[2:5])
```

OUTPUT: llo

3. The strip() method removes any whitespace from the beginning or the end:

```
a = " Hello, World! "  
print(a.strip())           # returns "Hello, World!"
```

OUTPUT: Hello, World!

4. The len() method returns the length of a string:

```
a = "Hello, World!"  
print(len(a))
```

OUTPUT: 13

5. The lower() method returns the string in lower case:

```
a = "Hello, World!"  
print(a.lower())
```

OUTPUT:hello, world!

6. The upper() method returns the string in upper case:

```
a = "Hello, World!"  
print(a.upper())
```

OUTPUT: HELLO, WORLD!

7. The replace() method replaces a string with another string:

```
a = "Hello, World!"  
print(a.replace("H", "J"))
```

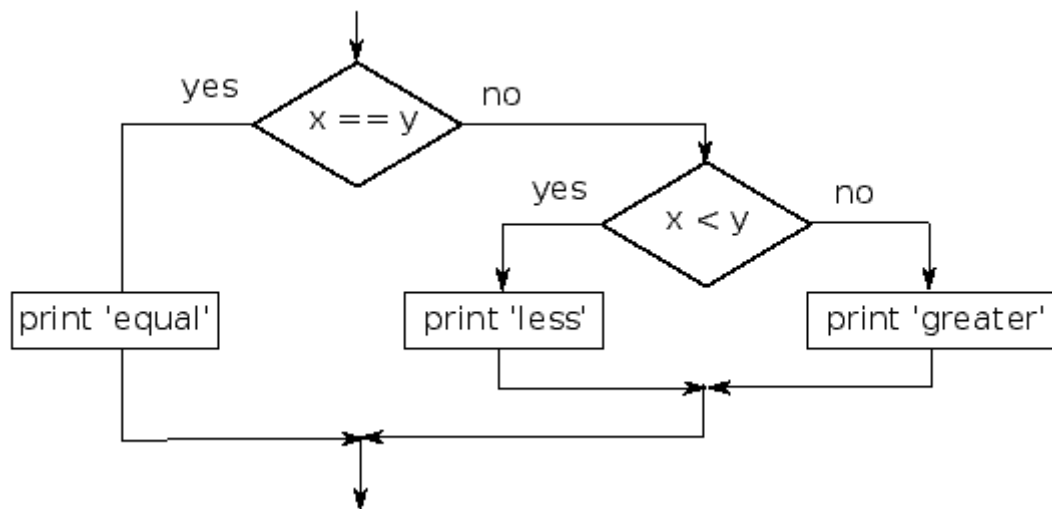
OUTPUT: Jello, World!

8. The split() method splits the string into substrings if it finds instances of the separator:

```
a = "Hello, World!"  
print(a.split(","))       # returns ['Hello', ' World!']
```

OUTPUT: ['Hello', ' World!']

## Conditionals



### Conditional operators:

Equals: `a == b`

Not Equals: `a != b`

Less than: `a < b`

Less than or equal to: `a <= b`

Greater than: `a > b`

Greater than or equal to: `a >= b`

```
a = 33
b = 200
if b > a:
    print("b is greater than a")
else:
    print("a is greater than b")
```

But the output is wrong. Now fix it!

### Problems

1. Find if the input number is odd or even.
2. Find if a number is negative or positive.
3. Find the maximum in three numbers.

## Logical operators

and	True if both the operands are true	x and y
or	True if either of the operands is true	x or y
not	True if operand is false (complements the operand)	not x

## Problems

1. Print the age level of a given age. The range for the levels are:

0 – 15 = Child

16 – 35 = Youth

36 – Infinity = Senior

Input: 10

Output: Child

2. Write a Python program to input all sides of a triangle and check whether triangle is valid or not.

3. Determine the grades from an input number. The range for the grades are -

Percentage	>=	90%	:	Grade	A
Percentage	>=	80%	:	Grade	B
Percentage	>=	70%	:	Grade	C
Percentage	>=	60%	:	Grade	D
Percentage	>=	40%	:	Grade	E
Percentage	<	40%	:	Grade	F