# Vim

#### Basic commands

:w [file] Write to file

Exit, saving changes :x

Exit as long as there have been no changes :q

:q! Exit and ignore any changes

Save file and exit :wq

# **Inserting Text**

Insert before cursor

Insert before line

### Motion

- Move left
- j Move down
- Move up Move right
- Move to next word
- W Move to next blank delimited word
- Move to the end of the word

## Cut and paste

1. Position the cursor where you want to begin cutting

- 2. Press v (or V if you want to cut whole lines)
- 3. Move the cursor to the end of what you want to cut
- 4. Press d
- 5. Move to where you would like to paste
- 6. Press p to paste after the cursor, or P to paste before