

Setup for Angular Classes

Infrastructure

- Projector connectable to the instructor's laptop
- Whiteboard and/or flipcharts for lectures
- A connection to the Internet

Hardware

- One computer for every two students with at least 1Gb of free disk space

Security needs

- Authorization to download a zip file from <http://github.com> or read it from a USB thumb drive and to extract the files.
- Authorization to run "npm install" to pull files from the npm repository. Note that this is not the traditional install, but is a lower-risk way of downloading JavaScript files into a local folder.

Software

One or more modern browsers

Examples: Google Chrome, Firefox, Edge, Opera, and Safari. Multiple browsers will allow the student to experience browser differences.

Versions	Any - latest is preferred
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Sources	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• http://google.com/chrome• http://mozilla.org/firefox• http://microsoft.com/edge
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Validation steps	Open any of those browsers and browse to any site. If you can see the site, it is installed properly.
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A text editor

One with JavaScript syntax highlighting and code completion would be best. Visual Studio Code is preferred. Atom, Brackets, and WebStorm are acceptable.

Versions	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Visual Studio Code -- 1.16 or better
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Sources	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• http://code.visualstudio.com• http://atom.io• http://brackets.io• http://jetbrains.com/webstorm
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Validation steps	If the editor opens, it is installed properly.
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Bash shell

This comes standard on all Apple and Linux machines. It is an extra install on

Windows. The most popular way to install on Windows is through Git-for-windows	
Version	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2.13 or better
Source	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://git-for-windows.github.io/
Installation instructions	Click the download button. Choose your preferred installer, probably Git-X.X.X-32-bit.exe or Git-X.X.X-64.exe. Once it downloads, run the executable and follow the installer's instructions.
Validation steps	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Hit the Windows button. 2. In the search box, type "bash". You should see "Git Bash". 3. Click it. 4. A command window will come up. Type in <code>bash --version</code> 5. If you see a version number, it is installed properly.

node and npm

Both of these tools are installed together as part of the same package. node is needed to create a local web server and run project setup scripts. npm is needed to download and configure JavaScript libraries.

Versions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • node 6.9 or higher • npm 3 or higher
Sources	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • http://nodejs.org/download
Installation instructions	The download page give you a choice between LTS and Current. Either is fine. LTS is preferred. Download the installer and follow the instructions provided.
Validation steps	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Open a bash window and type in <code>node --version</code> 2. If you see a version number, node is installed properly. 3. Type in <code>npm --version</code> 4. If you see a version number, npm is installed properly.

The Angular CLI

This database server will allow us to better simulate real-world problems and solutions by working with data.

Version	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1.0 or higher
Installation instructions	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Open a command line window and type in... <code>npm install --global @angular/cli</code>
Validation steps	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Open a command line prompt and type in <code>ng --version</code> 2. If you see version 1.0 or higher, it is installed properly

MongoDB

This database server will allow us to better simulate real-world problems and solutions by working with data.	
Versions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • node 4 or higher • npm 3 or higher
Sources	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://www.mongodb.com/download-center#community
Installation instructions	<p>You will have a choice of the level. Choose "Community Edition". You may have a choice between LTS and Current. Either is fine. LTS is preferred.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Download the installer and choose to run it. 2. Follow the instructions in the installer. 3. Create a directory called "C:\data\db" (/data/db on Mac/Linux). 4. Add mongo's bin directory to the path. If you don't know how to that, here's a video: http://bit.ly/addmongotopath
Validation steps	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Open a bash window with the authority of a normal user 2. Type in <pre>mongod</pre> 3. You'll see several messages. One of the last ones says that mongo is listening on a port, usually 27017. 4. Leave that window running as-is. 5. Open a new bash window. 6. Type in <pre>mongo</pre> 7. You'll see a command prompt. Type in <pre>show dbs</pre> 8. You should see a database called "local" 9. Type in <pre>use local</pre> 10. Type in <pre>show collections</pre> 11. You should see a collection called "startup_log" in the list 12. Type in <pre>db.startup_log.find()</pre> 13. If you see any output other than an error message, MongoDB is installed properly.