

Kubernetes

Let's understand some concepts of K8S

Kubectl -

This is a command-line utility that allows us to communicate with the Kubernetes cluster. Using `kubectl`, we can interact with the cluster to retrieve information or perform tasks. For example, the command `kubectl get pods` retrieves information about the Pods in the cluster. Note that `kubectl` must be installed separately.

Pod

A Pod is the smallest unit in a Kubernetes cluster. It acts as a wrapper for one or more containers. Inside a Pod, the container(s) run and share resources like storage, network, and configuration.

Namespace

A Namespace is a logical separation of resources within a Kubernetes cluster. It helps group related resources under a single umbrella, making tracking and managing them easier and more organized.

We can create a namespace through a single-line command or YAML file.

Such as

kubectl create namespace <namespace-name>

```
kind: Namespace
apiVersion: v1
metadata:
  name: nginx
```

Labels

Labels act as tags for resources in the key-value format. Labels are used for Pods, Services, Deployments, and more.

Selectors:

Selectors are used to identify specific resources for performing actions. They ensure that resources interact with the appropriate ones based on their labels.

Let's understand yaml file of a pod

```
apiVersion: v1
kind: Pod      # Type of resource
metadata:
  name: nginx  # Name of a Pod
  labels:
    type: web-server
    app: nginx
spec:
  containers:
  - name: nginx # Container name
    image: nginx:latest
    ports:
    - containerPort: 80

→ Nginx git:(master) ✗ kubectl get pod
NAME      READY   STATUS             RESTARTS   AGE
nginx     0/1     ContainerCreating   0          36s
```

This is all for today. I will continue tomorrow with other concepts and components of Kubernetes. Thank you.