Lesson 3 Notes

Identifiers

* Capital letters and underscore help distinguish between two words
  + Ex. firstName
  + Ex. first\_name

Built-in Function in Python

* Functions: define the behaviors and actions of a program.
* Call the function by name: enter name of the function, then add ()
  + Ex. functionName()

Taking user input with the input() function

* variableName = input(“ [ prompt for user input”] )
* Use casting for numerical input
  + Casting turns one kind of data into another
  + dataType (dataValue)
    - num = int (input (“please enter an integer:”) )