Putting it all together

Have a look at final.py

To finish off the game, we need to add some bullets for the rocket to fire at the UFO. We can use a bullet png image.

```
bulletImage = pygame.image.load('bullet.png')
```

We also need some variables for the position of the bullet on screen

```
bullet_X = 0
bullet_Y = y #y is the y position of the rocket
```

How many pixels to move the bullet at a time

```
bullet_Xchange = 0
bullet Ychange = 5
```

and a condition as to whether a bullet has been fired or not

```
bullet_state = "nofire"
```

Next, we need to update the event handler, so we can fire the bullet with the space bar. We move the position of the bullet image to the same position as the rocket plus about 30 pixels so it looks like its coming out of the front of the rocket. Draw the bullet on the screen and set the bullet state to "fire". This is how the program knows when a bullet has been fired or not.

```
for event in pygame.event.get():
    if event.type == pygame.QUIT:
        running = 0 #close
    elif event.type == pygame.KEYDOWN:
        if event.key == pygame.K_LEFT:
            x = x - 10 #shift image left 10 pixels
        elif event.key == pygame.K_RIGHT:
            x = x + 10 #shift image right 10 pixels
        elif event.key == pygame.K_SPACE: # file bullet
        if bullet_state == "nofire":
            bullet_X = x + 30 #move bullet to rocket position
            gamewindow.blit(bulletImage, (bullet_X, bullet_Y))
        bullet state = "fire"
```

Next, we need to move the bullet up until it goes off the top of the screen which is 0 on the y axis

```
if bullet_Y <= 0:
   bullet_Y = y #reset bullet back to start where rocket is
   bullet_state = "nofire"
if bullet state == "fire":</pre>
```

```
gamewindow.blit(bulletImage, (bullet_X, bullet_Y))
bullet_state = "fire"
bullet Y -= bullet Ychange #move bullet up screen
```

Now, what happens when a bullet hits the ufo? This is called a collision. First, we need to add some variables to contain the actual position of the ufo. Here, we've taken the center of the rectangle containing the ufo image.

```
ufo_X_pos = ufo_rect.centerx
ufo_Y_pos = ufo_rect.centery
```

We need to define a function. We take the x pos and y pos of the ufo, along with the x and y position of the bullet and run it through a formula to calculate the distance between them.

$$distance = \sqrt{(ufo_X_pos - bullet_X)^2 + (ufo_Y_pos - bullet_Y)^2}$$

If the distance is less than 35 pixels, we consider that a hit and return true.

```
def isCollision(ufo_X_pos, ufo_Y_pos, bullet_X, bullet_Y):
    distance = math.sqrt(math.pow(ufo_X_pos - bullet_X, 2) +
        (math.pow(ufo_Y_pos - bullet_Y, 2)))
    if distance < 35:
        return True
    else:
        return False</pre>
```

After we've defined the collision detection function, we can call the function to check the distance between the bullet and the ufo

```
collision = isCollision(ufo_X_pos, ufo_Y_pos, bullet_X, bullet_Y)
```

Once the UFO is hit, we can reset the bullet position, and the bullet state then show an explosion image to show the player the ufo has been hit

```
if collision:
   bullet_Y = y #reset bullet back to position of rocket
   bullet_state = "nofire"
   gamewindow.blit(exp, (ufo_X pos, ufo_Y pos))
```

Once the ufo has been hit, we can redraw the ufo on a random position on the screen.

```
ufo_rect.centerx = random.randint(0, 700)
ufo rect.centery = random.randint(0, 500)
```

Lab Exercises

- 1. There are a few bugs in the code, try it out and see if you can find them and improve the program.
- 2. How would you improve the program?
- 3. Could you add a scoring system?

```
For text you'll need (specify typeface and size):
    gameFont = pygame.font.Font('fontfilename', 32)
To specify text to display and color name in quotes:
    gameText = gameFont.render('My text...', True, 'color')
To render the text in the window at x,y co-ordinates:
    gamewindow.blit(gameText,(x,y))
```

- 4. Could you add another UFO?
- 5. What about adding a background image?
- 6. Try adding Sound Effects.

```
You'll need to load sounds:
```

hitSound.play()

```
bulletSound = pygame.mixer.Sound('bullet.wav')
hitSound = pygame.mixer.Sound('hit.wav')
To play the sound:
   bulletSound.play()
```