

# Dart Programming Language

- **Dart** is an **open-source general-purpose** programming language. It is originally developed by **Google** and later approved as a standard by **ECMA**.
- **Dart** is a new **programming language** meant for the **server** as well as the **browser**.
- Introduced by **Google**, the **Dart SDK** ships with its **compiler**- the **Dart VM**. The **SDK** also includes a utility **-dart2js**, a **transpiler** that generate **JavaScript** equivalent of a **Dart Script**.
- **Dart** is **Object-Oriented Language** with **C-Style syntax** which can optionally **trans compile** into **JavaScript**.
- **Dart** supports a varied **range** of **programming aids** like **interfaces**, **classes**, **collections**, **generics**, and **optional typing**.
- **Dart** can be extensively used to **create single-page applications**.
- **Single page applications** apply only to **website** and **web applications**.
- **Single page applications** enable **navigations** between different **screens** of the **website** without loading a different **webpage** in the **browser**. A classic example is **Gmail**.

## Comparison between Dart and JavaScript:

Serial Number	Feature	Dart	JavaScript
01.	Type System	Optional, Dynamic	Weak, Dynamic
02.	Classes	Yes, Single Inheritance	Prototypical
03.	Interfaces	Yes, Multiple Interfaces	No
04.	Concurrency	Yes, with Isolates	Yes, with HTML% web Workers

## Dart Environment:

There are **two** methods of setting up the **Dart Environment**:

### Executing Script Online with DartPad:

- You may **test** your **scripts** online by using the **online editor** "<https://dartpad.dev/>".
- The **Dart Editor** executes the **script** and **displays** both **HTML** as well as **console Output**.
- **DartPad** also enables to **code** in a more **restrictive fashion**. This can be achieved by checking the strong **mode** option on the **bottom right** of the editor.

### Setting up the Local Environment:

- Using IDE/Text Editor:
  1. **Install** the **Dart SDK**.
  2. **Verify** the **installation**.
  3. **Download** the **editor** you like, for example: **WebStorm**, **IntelliJ IDEA** etc.
  4. After **Installation**, **open** your **editor**.
  5. **Click** on **New**, **name** your **project** and **create** it.
  6. **Right click** on your **project**, new then **Dart file** and **name** it.
  7. **Write** a **program** and **run** to **test** it.

# Variables:

Built-in **Variables** in **Dart**:

1. Number
  - a. **Int**
  - b. **double**
2. **Strings**
3. **Booleans**
4. **Lists** (Also known as **Arrays**)
5. **Maps**
6. **Runes** (For expressing Unicode characters in a **String**)
7. **Symbols**

**Note:** All **Data Types** in **Dart** are **Objects** which means their **Default Value** will be **NULL** until we **Initialize** it.

## SYNTAX OF DECLARING A VARIABLE:

```
var variable_name = value;
```

**OR**

You can write them with **Specific Data Types**.

**For Example:** `"int variable_name = value".`

### CODE OF VARIABLES:

```
void main(){ // main part of the program
// TODO: Numbers Variables declaration
int number = 10; // integer variable declaration
var value = 20; // integer variable declaration
print(number); // printing the value
print(value); // printing the value

// TODO: Double Variables Declaration
double doubleValue = 5.08; // double variable declaration
double doubleValue_1 = 0x12345678; // double variable declaration
print(doubleValue_1); // printing the value
print(doubleValue); // printing the value

// TODO: String Variables Declaration
String first_name = "Ahtesham"; // string variable declaration
var last_name = "Awan"; // string variable declaration
print(first_name); // printing the value
print(last_name); // printing the value

// TODO: Boolean Variables Declaration
```

```
bool isValid = true;           // Boolean variable declaration
var isValid = false;          // Boolean variable declaration
print(isValid);               // printing the value
print(isNotValid);           // printing the value
}
```

**Question:** Why to use **Final** and **Constant Keyword**?

**Answer:** If you **Never** want to **Change Value** of a **Variable** in your program, then you have to use **Constant** or **Final Keyword**.

## To Declare Final Variable:

**Note:** You can use “**const**” and “**Final**” Keyword only, but you can also use **Data Types**.

**For Example:**

```
final name = 'Ahtesham';
```

```
final String = 'Ahtesham';
```

## To Declare Constant Variable:

**For Example:**

```
const PI = 3.14;
```

```
const double PI = 3.14;
```

## Difference Between Final and Constant Keyword:

**Final Variable** can only be **Set Once** and it is **Initialized** when **Accessed**.

**For Example:** When you will use the **Variable Name** then only its **Value** will be **Initialized** and **Memory** will be **Allocated** otherwise not.

**Constant Variable** is **Implicitly Final** but it is a **Compile Time Constant**. i-e **Constant Variable** **Initialized** during the **Compilation** and it used **Memory**.

**Instance Variable (Variables with in a Class)** can be **Final** but cannot be **Constant** so in that case

If you want **Constant Variable** in a **Class**, then you have to use '**static**' keyword along with '**const**'.

## Literals:

If you **Define** some values as **10**, **2.5**, **'name'**, then these **Values** are known as **Literals**. You can assign the **Literals** to the **Variables**.

# String Literal:

You can define a **String Literal** in **Single Quotes** as well as **Double Quotes**.

**For Example:** 'Single Quoted String', "Double Quoted String".

# String Interpolation:

**String Interpolation** includes **Different Operation** on **String** Like;

- Combining Two Strings.
- Length Calculation of String and so on.

**Note:** You can apply **Interpolations** on **Int**, **Double**, **Boolean** as well.

## CODE OF STRING VARIABLE AND INTERPOLATION:

```
void main(){
  String s1 = 'Single'; // string declaration and initialization
  String s2 = "Double"; // string declaration and initialization
  print(s1); // printing string s1
  print(s2); // printing string s2

  String s3 = 'It\'s easy'; // string declaration and initialization
  print(s3); // printing string s3
  String s4 = "It's easy"; // string declaration and initialization
  print(s4); // printing string s4

  // TODO: How to combine two strings in dart
  // First way of writing a string
  String s5 = 'This is going to be a very long String' +
    'This is Just a demo to write a long String in Dart Programming Language';

  // Best Way of writing a long String in Dart is
  String s6 = 'This is going to be a very long String'
  'This is just a demo to write a long String in Dart Programming Language';
  print(s5); // printing string s5
  print(s6); // printing string s6

  // TODO: String Interpolation
  // This is not a good way of combining two or more strings in Dart
  String s7 = 'Ahtesham'; // string declaration and initialization
  String s8 = 'My Name is'; // string declaration and initialization
  print(s8 + s7); // printing string s7 and s8

  // Best Way of Combining Two Strings in Dart is
  String s9 = 'Ahtesham'; // string declaration and initialization
  print('My Name is $s9'); // printing string s9

  // TODO: To calculate length of string
  print('Length of String Ahtesham is: ' + s9.length.toString());
  // Another way of calculating length of string is
  print('Length of String Ahtesham is: ${s9.length}');
```

```
// TODO: Integer Interpolation
int length = 10; // integer variable declaration and initialization
int breadth = 20; // integer variable declaration and initialization
print("The Sum of Length and Breadth is: ${length + breadth}");
print("The Sum of $length and $breadth is: ${length + breadth}");
}
```

## Conditional Statements/Control Flow Statements/Decision Statements/If-else Conditions:

In these statements, we take some **Decisions** on some certain **Types** of **Conditions**.

## Conditional Expressions:

There are **Two** types of **Conditional Expressions**:

**condition? exp1: exp2;**

This expression is read as **"If Condition is True, then Return exp1, and if Condition is not True, then Return exp2"**.

**exp1 ?? exp2;**

This expression is read as **"If exp1 is not NULL then Return exp1, and if it is NULL then Return exp2"**.

## **CODE OF IF-STATEMENT, IF-ELSE STATEMENT, MULTIPLE IF-ELSE STATEMENT, AND CONDITIONAL EXPRESSIONS:**

```
void main(){
// TODO:if statement
var salary = 25000; // integer variable declaration
if(salary > 20000){ // if condition
    print('Congratulations! You have got Promoted'); // printing a string
}

// TODO:if-else statement
var number = 10; // integer variable declaration
if(number < 0){ // if condition
    print('$number is a Negative Number'); // printing a string
}else{ // else statement
    print('$number is a Positive Number'); // printing a string
}

// TODO: Multiple if-else statement
var marks = 70; // integer variable declaration
if(marks > 90 && marks <= 100){ // if condition
    print('A+ Grade'); // displaying result
}else if(marks >= 80 && marks <= 90){ // else if condition
    print('A Grade'); // displaying result
}
```

```

} else if (marks >= 70 && marks <= 80) { // else if condition
    print('B Grade'); // displaying result
} else if (marks >= 60 && marks <= 70) { // else if condition
    print('C Grade'); // displaying result
} else if (marks >= 50 && marks <= 60) { // else if condition
    print('D Grade'); // displaying result
} else { // else statement
    print('F Grade'); // displaying result
}

// TODO: Conditional Expressions
int a = 2; // integer variable declaration
int b = 3; // integer variable declaration
a < b ? print('$a is smaller') : print('$b is smaller');

String name = "Ahtesham"; // string variable declaration
// String name = null; // string variable declaration
String nameToPrint = name ?? "Guest User"; // conditional statement
print(nameToPrint); // displaying result
}

```

## Switch Case Statement:

- Switch Case Statement is same as the if-else conditions statements.
- Only for "int" & "String" Data Types.

### CODE OF SWITCH STATEMENT:

```

void main(){
    String grade = 'A'; // string variable declaration
    switch(grade){ // switch statement
        case 'A': // case definition
            print("Excellent"); // printing result
            break; // break statement
        case 'B': // case definition
            print("Very Good"); // printing result
            break; // break statement
        case 'C': // case definition
            print("Good. Keep it up"); // printing result
            break; // break statement
        case 'D': // case definition
            print("Need to Work Hard"); // printing result
            break; // break statement
        case 'F': // case definition
            print("Failed"); // printing result
            break; // break statement
        default: // case definition
            print("Invalid Input"); // printing result
    }
}

```

## Loops Iterators/Loop Control Statement:

# For Loop:

Syntax is:

```
for (initializer; condition; increment/decrement counter variable) {  
    // body of loop  
}
```

## CODE OF FOR LOOP:

```
void main() {  
    print("For Loop Execution: "); // printing a string  
    for (int i = 0; i <= 5; i++) { // for loop  
        print(i); // printing output  
    }  
    // TODO: Nested For Loops  
    for (int value1 = 1; value1 <= 3; value1++) { // outer for loop  
        for (int value2 = 1; value2 <= 3; value2++) { // inner for loop  
            print("$value1 $value2"); // printing the value of value1 & value2  
        }  
    }  
}
```

# While Loop:

Syntax is:

```
while (condition on counter variable) {  
    // body of loop  
    // increment/decrement the counter variable  
}
```

## CODE OF WHILE LOOP:

```
void main(){  
    print("While Loop Execution: "); // printing a string  
    int i = 0; // integer variable declaration and initialization  
    while(i <= 5){ // while loop  
        print(i); // printing output  
        i++; // incrementing the value of i  
    }  
}
```

# Do-While Loop:

Syntax is:

```
do {
```

```
// body of loop  
// increment/decrement the counter variable  
} while (condition on counter variable);
```

### CODE OF DO-WHILE LOOP:

```
void main(){  
    print("Execution of Do-While Loop: "); // printing a string  
    int i = 0; // integer variable declaration and initialization  
    do{ // do while loop  
        print(i); // printing output  
        i++; // incrementing the value  
    }while(i <= 5); // while condition  
}
```

## Difference between these 3 loops:

If you know **Exact Numbers** of **Iterations**, then use **for-loop** (For **Definite Numbers**).

If you don't know the **Exact Numbers** of **Iterations**, then use **while/do-while** loop (For **Indefinite Numbers**).

## Difference between while & do-while loop:

In **While Loop**, we first **Check** the **Condition** and then we **Check** the **Condition**.

## Break Statement:

**Break Statement** is used when you want a **Certain Value** to be **Print Out**.

### CODE OF BREAK STATEMENT:

```
void main(){  
    for(int a = 1; a <= 10; a++){ // for loop  
        print(a); // printing value of a  
        if(a == 5){ // if condition to check the value of a  
            break; // break statement  
        }  
    }  
}
```

## Continue Statement:

### CODE OF CONTINUE STATEMENT:

```
void main(){  
    // TODO: Continue Statement
```



```

for(int number_1 = 1; number_1 <= 10; number_1++){ // for loop definition
  if(number_1 == 5){ // if condition
    continue; // value 5 will be skipped
  }
  print(number_1); // printing value of number_1
}

// TODO: Continue statement in Nested and Labelled For Loops
outerLoop: for(int i = 1; i <= 3; i++){ // outer loop definition
  innerLoop: for(int j = 1; j <= 3; j++){ // inner loop definition
    if(i == 2 && j == 2){ // if condition
      // continue outerLoop; // this will skip the value 2 2
      continue innerLoop; // this will skip the value 2 2
    }
    print('$i $j'); // printing values of i and j
  }
}
}

```

## Functions/Methods in Dart:

**Functions** are defined as "Collection of Statements Grouped Together to Perform an Operation".

### Syntax:

```

return_type function_name (list_of_parameters) {
// body of function}

```

### CODE OF FUNCTION:

```

void main(){
  function(); // function call
  int result = add(2, 3); // function call with 2 parameters and storing value
  print(result); // printing result
}

// TODO: Function with void type
void function(){ // void function definition
  print("I am in Void Function"); // printing a line
}

// TODO: function definition with integer return type
int add(int number1, int number2){
  return number1 + number2; // summation of 2 numbers and returning value
}

```

## Properties of Functions:

1. **Functions** in **Dart Programming Language** Are **Objects** which means **Functions** can be **Assigned** to a **Variable** or **Passed** as **Parameter** to other **Functions**.
2. All the **Functions** in **Dart** Return a **Value**.
3. If **No Return Value** is **Specified**, then **Function** returns **NULL**.
4. **Specifying Return Type** is **Optional** but it is recommended as **Per Code Conventions**.

# Functions as Expressions/Expressions in Functions:

We can **Optimize** our **Functions** by using the concept of **FAT Arrow**.

**Note:** You can't use **Curly Braces** with **FAT Arrow**.

**Syntax** is:

```
return_type function_name(list_of_parameter) => expression;
```

**CODE OF FUNCTION AS EXPRESSION/EXPRESSION IN FUNCTION:**

```
void main(){
  function();      // function call
  print(add(1, 2)); // function call
}

// TODO: Above functions with the concept of FAT ARROW
void function() => print("I am written by using FAT Arrow Concept");
int add(int number1, int number2) => number1 + number2;
```

## Dart Optional Positional Parameters:

Parameters are of **Two** types:

1. **Required**
2. **Optional**
  - Optional Parameters** are further **Divided** into **Three Parameters**
    - a. **Position**
    - b. **Named**
    - c. **Default**

## Required Parameters:

You can't **Skip** all the **Parameters** You **Passed** to a **Function**.

### 2.a Position Parameters:

**Syntax** is:

Put your **Parameters** in **Square Brackets []**. It will **Return Null Value** till you don't it.

### 2.b Optional Named Parameter:

Basically used to **Prevent Errors** if there are **Larger Number** of **Arguments**.

**Syntax** is:

Put **Arguments** in **Curly Brackets {}**.

## 2.c Optional Default Parameters:

You can **Assign Default Values** to **Parameters**.

**Syntax** is:

Put **Default Valued** argument in **Curly Brackets {}**.

### CODE OF PARAMETERS IN FUNCTIONS:

```
void main(){
// TODO:For Required Parameters
printCities("Islamabad", "Karachi", "Rawalpindi"); // function call
print("\n"); // printing a new line

// TODO: For Optional Positional Parameter
printCountries("Pakistan", "Iran", "Iraq"); // function call
printCountries("Pakistan", "Iran"); // function call
print("\n"); // printing a new line
// TODO: For Optional Named Parameters
var result = findVolume(10, breadth: 3, height: 10); // function call
print(result); // printing result
print("\n"); // printing a new line
// TODO: For Optional Default Parameters
var result_1 = find_Volume(10, 3); // function call
print(result_1); // printing result
}

// TODO: Function with Required Parameters Definition
void printCities(String name1, String name2, String name3){
print("Name 1 is: $name1"); // printing value
print("Name 2 is: $name2"); // printing value
print("Name 3 is: $name3"); // printing value
}

// TODO: Function with Optional Positional Parameters Definition
void printCountries(String name1, String name2, [String name3]){
print("Name 1 is: $name1"); // printing value
print("Name 2 is: $name2"); // printing value
print("Name 3 is: $name3"); // printing value
}

// TODO: Optional Named Parameters
int findVolume(int length, {int breadth, int height}){
return length * breadth * height; // returning result
}

// TODO: Optional Default Parameters
int find_Volume(int length, int breadth, {int height = 10}){
return length * breadth * height; // returning result
}
```

## Exception Handling in Dart:

- When **Normal Flow** of **Program** is **Disrupted** and the **Application Crashes**.
- Due to some **Exception** or **Bugs** in our **Code**.
- Some of the **Common Exceptions** are:
  - **Format Exception**.
  - **IO Exception**.
  - **IntegerDivisionByZero** etc.

## How exception arises in our code:

**For Example:** If we **Divide** a **Number** by **Zero** then it will **Crash** our **Application**.

## To handle Exception Handling we have many cases:

### Case I (ON Clause):

When you **Don't Know** the **Exception Name**.

**Syntax** is:

```
try {
    // body of try clause
} on exception_name {
    // body of ON Clause
}
```

### Case II (CATCH Clause):

When you **Don't Know** the **Exception**.

```
try {
    // body of try clause
} catch (identifier) {
    // body of catch clause
}
```

### Case III (CATCH Clause with Exception Object & Stack Trace Object):

By using **STACK TRACE**, we can **Know What** are the **Events** occur **Before Exception** was **Thrown**.

**Syntax** is:

```
try {
// body of try clause
} catch (list of identifiers) {
// body of catch clause
}
```

## Case IV (Custom Class Exception Handling):

In this case we **Define** a **Custom Class** for **Handling Exception** in our **Application**.

### For Example:

Let take example of a **Bank** in which a **User** Can't **Deposit Negative Money**, so there should be an **Error Shown** to **User** that you can't **Enter Negative Number**.

### **CODE OF EXCEPTION HANDLING:**

```
void main(){
// TODO: How exception arises in our code
int result = 12 ~/ 4; // tilt operator to convert double value to integer

// TODO: Case I: ON Clause(when you don't know the exception name)
try{ // try clause
int result = 12 ~/ 0; // integer variable declaration & division
print(result); // displaying result
}on IntegerDivisionByZeroException { // on class with exception name
print("Can't be divided by Zero"); // printing a string
}

// TODO: Case II: CATCH Clause(When you don't know the exception)
try{ // try clause
int result = 12 ~/ 0; // integer variable declaration & division
print(result); // displaying result
}catch(e){ // catch clause with identifier
print("The Exception thrown is $e"); // this will show the exception
}

// TODO: CATCH clause with Exception Object & Stack Trace Object.
try{ // try clause
int result = 12 ~/ 0; // integer variable declaration & division
print(result); // displaying result
}catch(e, s){ // catch class with identifiers
print("STACK TRACE is: $s"); // printing a string
}

// TODO: Custom Exception Handling
try{ // try clause
depositMoney(-200); // function call
}catch(e){ // catch clause with identifier
print(e.errorMessage()); // printing a message by function call
}
}
```

```
// TODO: Custom Class Exception Handling
class depositException implements Exception{ // class declaration
    String errorMessage(){ // string type function definition
        return "You can't enter ammount less than 0"; // returning a string
    }
}

// TODO: Method Defined
void depositMoney(int money){ // function definition
    if(money < 0){ // if condition
        throw new depositException(); // throwing exception
    }
}
```

## Class and Objects:

- A **Class** is an **Extensible Program-Code-Template** for **Creating Objects**, providing **Initial Values** for **State (Member Variables)** and **Implementation of Behavior (Member Functions or Methods)**.
- To **Define** a **Class**, the **Syntax** is:

```
class class_name {
// Body of Class
}
```

## How to create objects of a class?

```
var object_name = new class_name ();
```

OR

```
var object_name = class_name ();
```

- Use **"."** **Operator** to **Access** the **Properties** of a **Class**.
- **Declared Properties** of a **Class** are known as **Instance Variables** or **Field Variable**.
- By **Default**, the **Value** of **Instance Variables** or **Field Variables** is **Null**.
- You can **Create** as many as **Objects** you want.

### CODE OF CLASS AND OBJECTS:

```
void main() {
// creating object First Method
var student_1 = new Student(211, "Ahtesham"); // object declaration
student_1.name = "Ahtesham"; // assigning value
student_1.id = 211; // assigning value
print("ID = ${student_1.id} and Name = ${student_1.name}"); // print result
}
```

```

student_1.study();           // function call
student_1.sleep();          // function call
print("");                  // printing a new line

// Creating object Second Method
var student_2 = Student(212, "Aamir"); // object declaration
student_1.name = "Aamir"; // assigning value
student_1.id = 212; // assigning value
print("ID = ${student_2.id} and Name = ${student_2.name}"); // print result
student_1.study(); // function call
student_1.sleep(); // function call

}

// TODO: Declaration & Definition of a Class
class Student{
    int id; // Instance/Field Variables
    String name; // Instance/Field Variables

    Student(int id, String name){
        this.id = id;
        this.name = name;
    }
    // TODO: Functions definition
    void study(){ // function definition
        print("${this.name} is Studying"); // print statement
    }

    void sleep(){ // function definition
        print("${this.name} is Sleeping"); // print statement
    }
}

```

## Constructors:

- **Constructors** always **Execute** before our other **Code** gets **Executed**.
- **Constructors** doesn't have any **Return Type**.
- **Constructors** are used to **Create Objects**.
- You can **Initialize** the **Instance/Fields variables** within the **Constructor**.
- You can't have **Default Constructor** & **Parameterized Constructors** at the same time.
- You can have as many as **Named Constructors** you want.

## Types of Constructors:

### Default Constructor:

- We can't see the **Default Constructors** in our **Code** but it is already **Declared** with our **Class**.
- You can also **Declare** your **Default Constructor**.
- **Syntax** is:

```
class_name(){
    // Body of the default constructor
}
```

## Parameterized Constructor:

- You can **Pass** a **List of Parameters** into a **Constructor**.
- Syntax** is:

```
class_name(list_of_parameters){
    this.instance_name = instance_name;
    this.instance_name = instance_name;
    // and so on
}
```

- Another way of **Defining** a **Parameterized Constructor** is:

```
class_name(this.instance_name, this.instance_name, ...);
```

## Named Constructor:

- You can **Define** your **Own Constructor**.
- Syntax** is:

```
class_name.constructor_name(){
    // body of named constructor
}
```

- Another way of **Defining** a **Named Constructor** is:

```
class_name.constructor_name(this.instance_name, this.instance_name, ...);
```

## CODE OF CONSTRUCTORS AND CONSTRUCTOR TYPES:

```
void main(){
    // TODO: For Parameterized Constructors
    var student_3 = Student(45, "Obaid"); // object declaration
    print("ID = ${student_3.id} and Name = ${student_3.name}"); // printing
    // TODO: For Named Constructor
    var student_4 = Student.myCustomConstructor(); // constructor call
```



```

student_4.id = 54;    // assigning value to instance variable
student_4.name = "Arshad"; // assigning value to instance variable
print("ID = ${student_4.id} and Name = ${student_4.name}"); // printing
var student_5 = Student.myAnotherCustomConstructor(56, "Asad");
print("ID = ${student_5.id} and Name = ${student_5.name}");
}

// TODO: Declaration & Definition of a Class
class Student{
  int id;    // Instance/Field Variables
  String name; // Instance/Field Variables
  // TODO: Constructors Concepts
  // TODO: Default Constructor
  // Student(){
  //   print("This is our Default Constructor");
  // }
  // TODO: Parameterized Constructor
  Student(int id, String name){
    this.id = id;    // assigning value to instance variable
    this.name = name; // assigning value to instance variable
  }
  // Another way of defining Parameterized Constructor is
  // Student (this.id, this.name);
  // TODO: Named Constructor
  Student.myCustomConstructor(){
    print("This is my Custom Named Constructor");
  }
  // Another way of defining Custom Constructor is
  Student.myAnotherCustomConstructor(this.id, this.name);
}

```

## Summary:

- A **Class** is a **Blueprint** to create **Object**.
- You can **Define Constructors** in **Class**.
- You have **Default Constructor**, **Parameterized Constructors**, **Named Constructors**.
- In **Class**, you have **Special Type** of **Constructor** called "**Named Constructor**".
- You can **Pass** as many as **Arguments** into a **Constructors** you need.
- **Variables** declare in a **Class** are known as **Instance/Field Variables**.
- **Variables** declare in a **Function** within a **Class** are known as "**Local Variables**".
- **Defined Objects** are known as "**Reference Variable**".
- **Reference variables** are used to create **Objects**.
- You can **Create** as many as **Classes** of anything.

## Getter and Setter in Dart:

- In **Dart**, whenever we defined **Instance Variable**, then this **Variable** acts as **Default Getter** and **Setter**.
- The **Instance/Field Variables** acts as **Default Getter** and **Setter**.
- You can **Define** your own **Custom Getter** and **Setter**.

## Declaration of Private Variable:

- You **Can't** declare **Private Variable** in **Dart**.
- You **Can't** have **Private** or **Public Keywords** in **Dart**.
- But you **Can** put "\_" before any **Variable** to **make** it **Private** within its own **Library** but you **cannot** make it **Private** to its own **Class**.

### CODE OF GETTER, SETTER, AND PRIVATE VARIABLE:

```
void main(){
// TODO: Default Getter & Setters
  var student_1 = Student(); // declaration of object
// For default getter and setter
  student_1.name = "Ahtesahm"; // assigning value to instance variable
  print(student_1.name); // printing result

// For Custom getter and setter
  student_1.percentage = 438.0; // assigning value to instance variable
  print(student_1.percentage);
}

class Student{
// Instance variables come with default getter & setter
  String name; // instance variable
// Defining Custom Getter and Setter
  double _percent; // declaration of Private variable

  void set percentage(double marksSecured) => _percent = (marksSecured/500)*100;

  double get percentage => _percent;
}
```

## Inheritance:

- **Inheritance** is a **Mechanism** in which **One Object** acquires the **Properties** of its **Parent Class** **Object**.
- **Super Class** of any **Class** is an **Object**.
- **Inheritance** provides **Default Implementation** of:
  - **toString()**, **Return** the **String Representation** of the **Object**.
  - **hashCode** **Getter**, **Returns** the **Hash Code** of an **Object**.
  - **Operator ==**, use to **Compare Two Objects**.

## Advantages of Inheritance:

- **Code Reusability**.
- **Method Overriding**.
- **Cleaner Code**, no repetition.

### CODE OF INHERITANCE:

```

void main(){
// TODO: Inheritance
var dog = Dog();    // object declaration of child class
dog.breed = "Labredor"; // assigning value
dog.color = "Black"; // assigning value
dog.eat();    // function call of parent class
dog.bark();    // function call
print(dog.color);

var cat = Cat(); // object declaration of child class
cat.color = "White"; // assigning value
cat.age = 2;    // assigning value
cat.eat();    // function call of parent class
cat.meow();    // function call

var animal = Animal(); // object declaration of parent class
animal.color = "Brown"; // assigning value
animal.eat(); // function call
}

// Parent Class
class Animal { // parent class definition
String color; // string declaration
void eat() { // method definition
// function definition
print('Eat'); // printing a string
}
}

// Child Class
class Dog extends Animal { // child class definition
// inheriting properties
String breed; // string declaration
String color = "Black"; // declaration and assigning value

void bark(){ // function definition
print('Bark'); // printing a string
}
}

// Child Class/Sub Class
class Cat extends Animal{ // inheriting properties
int age; // integer variable declaration

void meow(){ // function definition
print('Meow'); // printing a string
}
}

```

## Method Overriding:

**Method Overriding** is a **Mechanism** by which a **Child Class Redefines** a **Method** in **Parent Class**.

### CODE OF METHOD OVERRIDING:

```

void main(){
var dog = Dog(); // object declaration

```

```

dog.eat();    // method call
}

// Parent Class
class Animal{    // class definition
    String color = "Brown";    // string declaration

    // TODO: For MethodOverriding
    void eat(){    // function definition
        print("Animal is eating");    // printing a string
    }
}

// Child Class/Sub Class
class Dog extends Animal {    // child class definition
    // inheriting properties
    String breed; // string declaration
    String color = "Black";    // assigning value and declaration of variable

    // TODO: For method overriding
    void eat(){    // method definition
        super.eat();    // super keyword to call super class function
        print("Dog is eating");    // printing a string
    }
    void bark(){    // function definition
        print('Bark'); // printing a string
    }
}

```

## Constructors in Inheritance:

In **Dart**, whenever we **Define** a **Constructor** in **Child Class**, it **Implicitly** called **Constructor** of **Super Class**. Remember that whenever we have **Child Class** and **Super Class** it is **Mandatory** that your **Super Class** should have **Zero Argumented Constructor**.

If your **Child Class** have an **Argumented Constructor**, then you have to **Manually** called **Super Class Constructor**.

When you **Write Named Constructor** in **Child Class**, then **Super Class** should have **Zero Argumented Constructor**. If it **Doesn't Have**, then you have to **Manually Define** it.

### CODE OF CONSTRUCTORS IN INHERITANCE:

```

void main(){
    // TODO: For Constructors in Inheritance
    // TODO: For Default Constructor
    // var dog = Dog();    //object declaration

    // TODO: For Parameterized Constructor

```

```

// var dog = Dog("Labredor");    // object declaration
// var dog = Dog("Lebrador", "White"); // object declaration

// TODO: For Named Constructors
// var dog = Dog.myNamedConstructor(); // object declaration
}

// TODO: For Constructors in Inheritance
class Animal{    // parent class definition
    String color;    // string variable declaration
// For Default Constructor
// Animal(){    // constructor definition
//     print("This is Animal Class Default Constructor"); // printing a string
// }

// For Parameterized Constructor
Animal(String color){    // constructor definition
    print("This is Animal Class Parameterized Constructor");
}

// For Named Constructor
Animal.myNamedConstructor(){ // constructor definition
    print("This is Animal Class Named Constructor");
}
}

class Dog extends Animal{ // child class definition
    String breed;    // string variable declaration
// Default Constructor
// Dog(){    // constructor definition
//     print("This is Dog Class Default Constructor");
// }

// Dog():super(){    // constructor definition
//     print("This is Dog Class Default Constructor");
// }

// TODO: For Parameterized Constructor
Dog(String breed, String color):super(color){ // constructor definition
    print("This is Dog class Parameterized Constructor");
}

// TODO: For Named Constructor
Dog.myNamedConstructor(): super.myNamedConstructor(){
    print("This is Dog class Named Constructor");
}
}

```

## Abstract Class:

To **Define Abstract Class**, use keyword **"abstract"** before keyword **"class"**. **Abstract Class** can't be **Instantiated**; you **Can't Create Objects** of **Abstract class**. **Abstract Class** can have **Abstract Methods**,

**Normal Methods**, and **Instance/Field Variables**. Whenever you will **Extend** the **Sub Class** by **Abstract Class** then you have to **Override** the **Function** of the **Abstract Class**.

## Abstract Methods:

**Abstract Methods** Only **Exist** in **Abstract Class**. To define **Abstract Method**, you just need to put **Semicolon** after **Parenthesis**.

### CODE OF ABSTRACT CLASS AND ABSTRACT METHOD:

```
void main(){
// var draw = Draw();
var circle = Circle(); // declaration of object of circle class
circle.draw(); // method call
}

abstract class Draw{ // abstract class
void draw(); // abstract method
}

class Circle extends Draw{ // class definition
void draw(){ // overriding abstract method
print("Drawing");
}
}
```

## Interface:

- **Dart** does not have any **Special Syntax** to **Declare INTERFACE**.
- An **INTERFACE** is a **Normal Class**.
- An **INTERFACE** is **Used** when you **Need Concrete Implementation** of **All** of its **Functions** within its **Sub Class**.
- It is **mandatory** to **Override** all **Methods** in the **Implementing Class**.
- You can **Implement Multiple Classes** but you **Cannot Extend Multiple Classes** during **Inheritance**.

### CODE OF INTERFACE:

```
void main(){
var remote = Remote(); // object declaration
remote.volumeUp(); // method call
remote.volumeDown(); // method call
var tv = Television(); // object declaration
tv.volumeUp(); // method call
tv.volumeDown(); // method call
}

class Remote{ // class definition
void volumeUp(){ // method declaration & definition
print("____Volume Up from Remote____"); // printing a string
}

void volumeDown(){ // method declaration & definition
```

```

    print("____Volume Down from Remote____"); // printing a string
  }
}

class AnotherClass{      // class definition
  void anotherMethod(){   // method declaration & definition
//  Code
  }
}

class Television implements Remote, AnotherClass{ // implementing interface
  void volumeUp(){        // overriding method of remote class
    print("____Volume Up in Television____");
  }

  void volumeDown() {     // overriding method of remote class
    print("____Volume Down in Television____");
  }

  void anotherMethod(){   // overriding method of AnotherClass
//  Code
  }
}

```

## Functional Programming in Dart:

### Lambda:

- A **Function** without a **Name**.
- **Lambda** is also known as **Anonymous Function**.
- Remember that **Function** in **Dart** is an **Object**. For Example:
  - `int sum = 4;`     // object
  - `String message = "Hello";`     // object
  - `Function addNumber = //some value;` // object

### To Declare a Lambda Function:

```
Function VariableName = (List of Parameters){
```

```
// Code of Lambda Function
```

```
}
```

**Note:** **Function** is a **Class**.

### CODE OF LAMBDA FUNCTION:

```

void main(){
  addSum(10, 20);   // function call
/*
*   To define a Lambda Function/Expression, there are two ways

```

```

**/

// First way of defining Lambda Function/Expression
Function addTwoNumbers = (int num1, int num2){
    var sum = num1 + num2; // calculating sum
    print(sum);           // printing result
};

// To call a Lambda Function/Expression
addTwoNumbers(20, 50);

// Second Way of defining Lambda Function/Expression
var multiplyByTwo = (int number) => print(2*number);

// To call a Lambda Function/Expression
multiplyByTwo(2);
}

// Normal Function Definition
void addSum(int value1, int value2){
    var sum = value1 + value2; // declaration and assigning result
    print(sum);               // printing result
}

```

## Higher Order Functions:

- A **Function** that can **Accept** another **Function** as a **Parameter**.
- A **Function** that can **Return** a **Function**.
- A **Function** that can do **both**.

### CODE OF HIGHER-ORDER-FUNCTIONS:

```

void main(){
// Defining Lambda Function/Expression
Function addNumbers =
    (int number_1, int number_2) => print((number_1 + number_2));
// Calling Higher-Order-Function
/*
* 1. Calling Higher-Order-Function.
* 2. Passing a String "Hello".
* 3. Calling Lambda Function/Expression
*/
someOtherFunction("Hello", addNumbers); // calling function

// Calling Higher-Order-Function
var myFunc = taskToPerform(); // declaration of Variable & Function call
print(myFunc(10));           // passing value to Function
/*
* At Run-Time:
* 1. myFunc will become multiplyByTwo

```



```

* 2. number * 2
* 3. 10 * 2
* 4. Output: 20
* */
}

void someOtherFunction(String message, Function myFunction){
    print(message);           // printing message
// Calling Function Parameter
    myFunction(2,4);          // function call
/*
* At Run-time:
* 1. addNumbers(2,4)
* 2. print(number_1 + number_2)
* 3. print(2 + 4)
* 4. Output: 6
* */
}

Function taskToPerform(){
// Defining Lambda Function/Expression
    Function multiplyByTwo = (int number) => number*2;
// Returning Lambda Function
    return multiplyByTwo; // returning function
}

```

## Closure Function:

- It is a **Special Function**.
- Within in a **Closure Function** you can **mutate (modify)** the **value** of **variables** present in the **Parent Scope**.
- A **Closure** is a **Function** that has **access** to the **Parental Scope**, even after the **Scope** has been **closed**.
- A **Closure** is a **Function** that has **access** to **Variables** in its **Lexical Scope**, even when the **Function** is **used Outside** of its **Original Scope**.
- By word **Parent Scope**, we mean **main () method** of the **Program**.

### Code for Closure Function:

```

void main(){
    String message = "Dart is Good"; // string variable declaration & initialization
    Function showMessage = (){        // lambda function definition
        message = "Dart is Awesome"; // assigning value to string
        print(message);              // printing value
    };
    showMessage();                    // function call

    Function talk = (){              // function definition
        String msg = "Hi";           // string variable declaration & initialization
        Function say = (){           // lambda function definition
            msg = "Hello";            // assigning value to variable
            print(msg);               // displaying value
        };
        return say;                  // returning function
    };
}

```

```
};
var speak = talk();           // variable declaration & initialization
speak();                       // function call
}
```

## List:

- In **Dart**, **Array** is known as **LIST**.
- **List** is **Ordered Collection**.
- **Elements** are **Ordered** in a **Sequence**.
- **Default Value** of **Elements** is **NULL**.
- Each **Element** in **List** contains **Address** called **Index** of **Element**.
- **Index** of **Element Start** with **0**.

## Types of List:

There are **Two** types of **List**.

1. **Fixed Length List.**
2. **Grow-able List.**

## Fixed Length List:

- **Once** the **Length** is **Defined**, you **Can't Change** it.
- You can't apply **List Operations** on the **Fixed Length List** such as **add ()**, **remove ()**, **clear ()** etc.

## Syntax of defining Fixed Length List is:

```
List<type_parameter> list_name = List(length);
```

**Type\_Parameter** may be **Integer**, **Double**, **String**, **Boolean Data Types**.

### Code of Fixed Length List:

```
void main(){
// TODO: Fixed Length List
List<int> numberList = List(5); // declaration of Fixed Length list
numberList[0] = 23; // assigning value
numberList[3] = 85; // assigning value
numberList[4] = 100; // assigning value

// TODO: Method 1: To access List Elements(MANUALLY)
print(numberList[0]); // output will be 23
print(numberList[1]); // output will be null
print(numberList[2]); // output will be null
print(numberList[3]); // output will be 85
print(numberList[4]); // output will be 100

print("\n"); // printing new line

// TODO: Method 2: To access List Elements (FOR LOOP)
for(int element in numberList){ // body of for-in loop
```

```

    print(element); // printing out elements of list
}

print("\n"); // printing new line

// TODO: Method 3: To access List Elements(FOR-EACH LOOP)
numberList.forEach((element)=> print(element)); // printing out elements of list
print("\n"); // printing new line

// TODO: Method 4: To access List Elements(PRIMITIVE FOR LOOP)
for(int index = 0; index < numberList.length; index++){
    print(numberList[index]); // printing out elements of list
}
print("\n");
}

```

## Grow-able List:

- **Grow-able List Increase** or **Decrease** as your **Per-Requirements**.
- It is **Extendable List**.
- By **Default**, **List** is **Empty**.

## Syntax of defining Grow-able list is:

```
List list_name = List();
```

**Another Way** is if you **Know** some **Values**:

```
List list_name = [values];
```

## Operations on Grow-able List:

**To add elements in the list, use add () method. Syntax is:**

```
list_name.add(value);
```

**To remove elements from the list, use remove(value) method with value. Syntax is:**

```
list_name.remove(value);
```

**You can remove element from the list by using index number, use removeAt () method. Syntax is:**

```
list_name.removeAt(index_value);
```

**To update element of the list, the syntax is:**

```
list_name[index_value] = "value"; // for string
```

```
list_name[index_value] = value; // for integer & double
```

**Code of Grow-able List:**

```

void main(){
// TODO: Grow-able List
List numberList = List(); // declaration of grow-able list
List countryList = ["Pakistan", "USA", "UK"]; // Another declaration
numberList.add(73); // adding element to the list
numberList.add(67); // adding element to the list
numberList.add(90); // adding element to the list
numberList.add(99); // adding element to the list

numberList[0] = 200; // updating element in the list
numberList.remove(99); // removing element 99
numberList.removeAt(1); // removing element at index 1
// numberList.clear(); // removing all the elements in the list
// TODO: Method 1: To access List Elements(MANUALLY)
// print(numberList[0]); // output will be 23
// print(numberList[1]); // output will be null
// print(numberList[2]); // output will be null
// print(numberList[3]); // output will be 85
// print(numberList[4]); // output will be 100

print("\n"); // printing new line

// TODO: Method 2: To access List Elements (FOR LOOP)
for(int element in numberList){ // body of for-in loop
    print(element); // printing out elements of list
}

print("\n"); // printing new line

// TODO: Method 3: To access List Elements(FOR-EACH LOOP)
numberList.forEach((element)=> print(element)); // printing out elements of list

print("\n"); // printing new line

// TODO: Method 4: To access List Elements(PRIMITIVE FOR LOOP)
for(int index = 0; index < numberList.length; index++){
    print(numberList[index]); // printing out elements of list
}
print("\n");
}

```

## Set:

- **Unordered Collection** of **Unique Items**.
- It **Doesn't** contain **Duplicate Elements**.
- You **Can't** get **Elements** by **INDEX**, since the **Items** are **Unordered**.

## Declaration of Set:

To **Define** a **Set**, **Syntax** is:

## Method 1:

```
Set<Data Type> Set_Name = Set.from([Item1, Item2, Item3, ...]);
```

## Method 2:

```
Set<Data Type> Set_Name = Set();
```

## To access the elements of the set:

Set use the **Same Methods** of **Accessing Elements** as of **List** except of **Index Method** because **Set** contains **Unordered Elements**.

## Operations on Set:

You can perform many **Operations** on **Set** as like **Grow-able List** like;

- **remove(value).**
- **contain(value).**
- **add(value).**
- **isEmpty.**
- **length.**
- **clear()** and much more.

### Code of Set:

```
void main(){
// Method 1: To define a Set
//Set<String> countriesSet = Set.from(["Pakistan", "Australia", "Saudia"]);

// Method 2: To define a Set
Set<int> numberSet = Set();
numberSet.add(73);    // adding 73 to set
numberSet.add(61);    // adding 61 to set
numberSet.add(79);    // adding 79 to set
numberSet.add(99);    // adding 99 to set
print("\n");    // printing new line

// Operations on Set
print("Length of Set: ${numberSet.length}"); // output will be 4
print(numberSet.contains(61)); // output will be true
print(numberSet.contains(101)); // output will be false
numberSet.remove(73);    // remove 73 from set
print(numberSet.isEmpty); //output will be false
print(numberSet.isNotEmpty); // output will be true
// numberSet.clear();    // it will clear all the elements

// TODO: Method 2: To access List Elements (FOR LOOP)
for(int element in numberSet){ // body of for-in loop
print(element); // printing out elements of list
```

```

}

print("\n"); // printing new line

// TODO: Method 3: To access List Elements(FOR-EACH LOOP)
numberSet.forEach((element)=> print(element)); // printing out elements of list
}

```

## Hash-Set:

- **Implementation** of **Unordered Set**.
- It is **Based** on **Hash Table** based on **Set Implementation**.

## Map:

- It is **Unordered Collection** of **Key-Value Pairs**.
- **Key Value** can be of any **Object Type**.
- The **Value** can be **Repeated**.
- Each **Key** in the **Map** should be **Unique**.
- Commonly called as **Hash** or **Dictionary**.
- **Size of Map** is not **Fixed**; it can be **Increased** or **Decreased** as **Per the Number of Elements**.

## Hash-Map:

- **Implementation** of **Map Class**.
- **Based** on **Hash-Table** that is **Each Element** is **Identified** by its **Hash Value**.

## Syntax to define a Map:

```
Map<key(Data-type), value> mapName = Map();
```

## Another Way to implement the Map is in terms of Literals.

```
Map<key(Data-Type), value> mapName = {
```

```
key:value,
```

```
key:value,
```

```
key:value
```

```
// and so on };
```

## To add values in Map:

```
mapName[key] = value;
```

## To read values from Map:

```
mapName[key];
```

## To read all keys from Map:

```
for(var/Data-Type key in mapName.keys){  
  
    print(key);  
}
```

## To read all values from Map:

```
for(var/Data-Type value in mapName.value){  
  
    print(value);  
}
```

## To print Keys and Values at the same time:

- Done in Terms of Lambda Expression.

```
mapName.forEach(key, value) => print($key $value);
```

## Operations on Map:

Different **Operations** can be performed on **Map** like;

- `containsKey(key);`
- `update(key, value here will be updated in terms of Lambda Expression);`
- `remove(key);`
- `isEmpty;`
- `clear();`
- `length and much more.`

### Code of Map/Hash Map:

```
void main(){  
    // Declaration of Map  
    Map<String, String> fruits = Map();  
    fruits["apple"] = "Green";    // adding key and value  
    fruits["orange"] = "Orange"; // adding key and value  
    fruits["grapes"] = "Purple"; // adding key and value  
    fruits["guava"] = "Yellow";  // adding key and value  
  
    // To Access element of Map
```

```

print(fruits["apple"]);    // output will be Green
print(fruits["orange"]);  // output will be Orange
print(fruits["grapes"]);  // output will be Purple
print(fruits["guava"]);   // output will be Yellow

// To Access keys in Map
print("\nKeys in Map are:"); // printing a string
for(String key in fruits.keys){ // for-in loop to print keys
    print(key);                // printing keys
}

// To Access values in Map
print("\nValues in Map are:"); // printing a string
for(String value in fruits.values){ // for-in loop to print values
    print(value);                // printing values
}

// To access keys and value at the same time
print("\nTo Access Keys and Values from Map at the Same Time:"); // printing a string
fruits.forEach((key, value) =>
    print("Key is: $key and Value is: $value")); // printing keys and values

// Another way to define Map
Map<String, int> countryDialCodes = {
    "Pakistan" : 92, // assigning key and value
    "India" : 91,    // assigning key and value
    "USA" : 1        // assigning key and value
};

// To Access element of Map
print(countryDialCodes["Pakistan"]); // output will be 92
print(countryDialCodes["India"]);    // output will be 91
print(countryDialCodes["USA"]);      // output will be 1

// To Access keys in Map
print("\nKeys in Map are:"); // printing a string
for(String key in countryDialCodes.keys){ // for-in loop to print keys
    print(key); // printing keys
}

// To Access values in Map
print("\nValues in Map are:"); // printing a string
for(int value in countryDialCodes.values){ // for-in loop to print values
    print(value); // printing values
}

// To access keys and value at the same time
print("\nTo Access Keys and Values from Map at the Same Time:"); // printing a string
countryDialCodes.forEach((key, value) =>
    print("Key is: $key and Value is: $value")); // printing keys and values

// Operations on Maps
print(fruits.containsKey("apple")); // output will be true
print(countryDialCodes.isNotEmpty); // output will be true
print(fruits.isEmpty);              // output will be false
countryDialCodes.remove("India");   // this will remove India key and value
print(fruits.length);               // output will be 4

```



```
fruits.clear();           // this will clear all values
}
```

## Callable Class:

- When **Dart Class** is called like a **Function**.
- It **Implements** the **call() Function**.
- You can **Pass** as many as **Arguments** to **call() Function** you want.
- While **Returning** some **Value** from **call() Function**, you must need to **Mention Return Type**.

### Code of Callable Class:

```
void main(){
// Object declaration
var personOne = Person(); // object declaration
// personOne(); // this will call the whole class

// call method with passing arguments
// personOne(23, "Ahtesham"); // this will call the whole class

// call method with return type
var msg = personOne(23, "Ahtesham"); // variable declaration and initialization
print(msg); // printing result
}

// Class Definition
class Person{
// Call method declaration and definition
// call(){ // call method definition
// }

// Call method with passing arguments
// call(int age, String name){ // call method definition
// print("Name: $name Age: $age"); // printing result
// }

// Call method with return type
String call(int age, String name){ // call method definition
return "Name: $name Age: $age"; // returning string
}
}
```