# Manual for Wheel of Fortune

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## System Specification

## Software Needed

- Windows/Mac/Linux Operating System
- Latest version of Ruby
  - o Gems:
    - RSPEC Needed to run the tests
- Access to the terminal/command line

## Running the Software

- To run the test, use the following command
  - 'rpsec wad\_wof\_spec\_01.rb'
  - There should be no red error messages and a row of green dots at the top (see screenshot below)
  - Ignore any warnings presented
  - o Ensure the wordfile text file is **not** empty,
- To run the game, use the following command
  - o 'ruby wad\_wof\_run\_01.rb'

## The Building Blocks

#### Start

The start function does two things:

- It displays a welcome message by calling the put method from the *output* object
- It calls the *created\_by* and *student\_id* functions and outputs their results using the put method from the *output* object

#### Created By

Returns a string containing the name of each of the developers

## Student Id

Returns a string containing the student ID of each of the developers

#### **MenuOptions**

Returns a string containing the following menu options:

- (1) Play [Begins the game] [Invokes displaybegingame function]
- (2) New [Creates a new game session] [Invokes displaynewgamecreated function]
- (3) Analysis [Returns a breakdown of the last game played] [Invokes displaygameanalysis function]
- (4) Exit [Exits from the game]

#### **MenuPrompt**

Returns a prompt telling the user to select an option from the menu

## **DisplayBeginGame**

Displays a begin game message using the puts method from the output *object* when menu option 1 is selected

## *DisplayNewGameCreated*

Displays a new game created message using the puts method from the *output* object when menu option 2 is selected

## **DisplayGameAnalysis**

Displays a game analysis message using the puts method from the *output* object when menu option 3 is selected

#### **Finish**

Displays a game finished message using the puts method from the output object

## **DisplayInvalidInputError**

Displays an error message if an invalid input is entered using the puts method from the *output* object

#### ResetGame

Resets the values of the game variables to their default values and prepares the game for a fresh start

## ReadWordFile(filename)

Opens the specified file and loops through each line within the file. It then increments the amount of lines and stores the line in the *wordtable* object, removing the newline character at the end, before returning the value of amount

#### GenSecretword

Gets a random value from the *wordtable* object and sets the value of the *secretword* object to a capitalised version of it.

#### CheckWordUpcase?

Checks if the value of the secretword variable is in uppercase and returns true if it is, or false if it isn't

## SetSecretword(word)

Sets the value of *secretword* to the incoming value from the word variable

## **GetSecretword**

Returns the value of the secretword object

## *CreateTemplate*

Creates a local variable called *template* which will store the current state of the template. Splits the value of the *secretword* object into an array of characters before looping over each character and adding an underscore ("\_") into the *template* variable per character. It then sets the *template* object to the value of the local *template* variable before returning it

## **GetSecretTemplate**

Returns the value of the secretword object and its corresponding template object in an array

#### *IncrementTurns*

Increases the amount of turns taken by 1

## **GetTurnsLeft**

Sets the value of the *turnsleft* object to the value of the *turnsleft* variable. It then takes 1 away from amount of possible goes, using the constant variable *GOES*, and sets the *turnsleft* object to the value.

## DisplayWinner(won)

Returns a win/lose message depending on the value of the won variable. If true, it'll return a win message. If false, it'll return a lose message.

## DisplayCredits(i, names, ids)

Splits the *names* and *ids* arrays from the input into local variables before returning with the value of each array at the index *i* from the input

## Screenshot of Tests Working