

# Accessor, Mutator

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public class Dog {  
    private String name;  
    private int age;  
  
    // Constructor  
    public Dog(String name, int age) {  
        this.name = name;  
        this.age = age;  
    }  
  
    // Getter for name  
    public String getName() {  
        return name;  
    }  
  
    // Setter for name  
    public void setName(String name) {  
        this.name = name;  
    }  
  
    // Getter for age  
    public int getAge() {  
        return age;  
    }  
  
    // Setter for age  
    public void setAge(int age) {  
        if (age > 0) { // Validation
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        this.age = age;
    } else {
        System.out.println("Age must be positive.");
    }
}
}

public class Main {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        Dog myDog = new Dog("Buddy", 5);

        // Display the initial name of the dog
        System.out.println("My dog's name is: " + myDog.getName());

        // Change the dog's name using the setter
        myDog.setName("Max");
        System.out.println("My dog's new name is: " + myDog.getName());

        // Set the dog's age using the setter
        myDog.setAge(6);
        System.out.println("My dog's new age is: " + myDog.getAge());

        // Attempt to set an invalid age
        myDog.setAge(-1); // This will trigger validation logic in the setter
    }
}

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**OUTPUT**→My dog's name is: Buddy /My dog's new name is: Max/My dog's new age is: 6

Age must be positive.