Javascript Style Guide

We will be following Google's Javascript Style Guide. This will be a quick reference/highlight of the most important aspects of it.

https://google.github.io/styleguide/jsguide.html

Braces

- 1. Braces are used for all control structures (if, else, for do, while, etc)
- 2. After every brace, there will be an indentation of 4 spaces
- 3. Braces will stay on the same line

Statements

- 1. One statement per line
- 2. Semicolons are required for every statement
- 3. Limit column to 80

Whitespace

- 1. Vertical whitespace is subjective, but should be used to help convey what code is relevant to each other
- 2. In general, keep a space between reserved words, variables, operators, etc. Ignore this rule for parentheses
- 3. Do not horizontally align code for beautification purposes
- 4. Do not have unnecessary parentheses

Language Features

- 1. Use one variable per declaration
- 2. Declare a variable when needed, initialize as soon as possible
- 3. Do not use the array constructor
- 4. Do not use quoted and unquoted keys in an array
- 5. Do not use computed property names

Naming

- 1. Follow camel cases for most situations
- 2. Classes are UpperCamelCase
- 3. Acronyms and common abbreviations do not need to follow camel case