

The Python Bible “How to ask an Excellent Question” Checklist

Hi There! Use the following checklist to ask an excellent question in the course forums when you have a problem related to python programming. Either myself or someone else will be there to help you as quick as a flash!

1) Make a great question title ☐

- a. I have added the [Help] Tag at the start of my title ☐
- b. My Question title is Clear and descriptive and it is obvious what the problem is ☐

2) My Question has a complete description ☐

- a. I have written down the observed behaviour (What has happened) ☐
- b. I have written down the expected behaviour (What was supposed to happen) ☐
- c. I have added a link to my code using gist.github.com ☐
- d. I have mentioned what I think the problem might be and the location. ☐
- e. I have provided a list of at least 3 things that I have tried to solve the problem ☐
- f. My Description uses full sentences with correct grammar and punctuation ☐

3) I have included other relevant information

- a. Error messages in full ☐
- b. Version of python used ☐
- c. Screen shots where necessary ☐

You did it! From the bottom of my heart, **thank you so very much for using this checklist** and contributing to the course community. By asking your question in this way, you make it **a pleasure to help you** and you make it easier for everyone else to learn from your experience. So from myself and from everyone else in the community forum, **THANKYOU!**

All the best,

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