

// A program (class) called 'HelloWorld', in a file called 'HelloWorld.java'

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public class HelloWorld {  
  
    // The following is a method declaration of the method called "main".  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
  
        // This line is a comment.  
  
        // The computer executes statements in order from top to bottom  
        // (unless we tell it otherwise), skipping comments.  
  
        // The following statement is a call to the method System.out.println  
        // with the string literal "Hello World!" as an argument.  
        //  
        // The final semicolon is very important: it ends the statement.  
        // Missing semicolons are the most frequent mistakes when writing  
        // programs.  
        System.out.println("Hello World!");  
  
        // S.o.println prints the argument and moves to a new line, while  
        // S.o.print prints the argument but does not go to a new line.  
        //  
        // Pay attention to spaces!  
        System.out.print("My name is ");  
  
        // The special character \n is called the "newline character".  
        // The following statement is equivalent to S.o.println("Matteo");  
        System.out.print("Matteo\n");  
  
        // String literals can be concatenated with a + sign.  
        //  
        // Pay attention to spaces!  
        System.out.print("This is my first" + " Java ");  
  
        System.out.println("program\nCool");  
    }  
}
```