

# Javascript Functions

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- Returning a function from a function.
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## 6.Call and Apply Method

-Defination:- They used to call methods from various objects that had this keyword.

-You can use one method to write different objects,Key names are same.

-Call and Apply syntax

call(objectName, function arguments goes here)

apply(objectName, [ function arguments goes here])

## 6.Bind Method

-Defination.

-Syntax

## Functions

-Functions are used to perform actions and allow us to write more maintainable code.

-Define the function with the function keyword function which has parenthesis ().

-Name your function, function nameOfFunction() this is followed by curly brackets {}.

-Call function,Invoke Function,Running Function.

-They can be reused in many instances.

## Syntax

```
function name_of_function(){  
    Code to be executed goes here  
}  
name_of_function()
```

## Example

```
function name_of_function(){ console.log("Data") }  
name_of_function()
```

**Output:-**Data

```
function name_of_function(){ return "Data"}  
var input = name_of_function()  
console.log(input)
```

**Output:-**Data

## Function Parameters & Arguments

- Parameter is one of the variables passed in a function.
- Arguments are data passed into the method parameters.

### Syntax

- x,y is our parameter which is the variable.
- 2,3 is our arguments which is the data passed

```
function add(x,y){  
    return x+y  
}
```

add(2,3)

**Output:-**5

### Example

```
function name(first_name,second_name){  
    return `Hello ${first_name} ${second_name}`  
}  
name("Manu","Koech")
```

**Output:-**Hello Manu Koech

## Function Declarations vs Function Arguments.

- The normal way of declaring a function is function declaration.
- With function declarations we declare our function with function name only.
- We call our function with the function name.
- With function expression we declare our function in a variable.
- In our values we declare our function but without the name as we do.
- When we call our function we call it with the variable name

### Function declaration.

```
function yourAge(birthYear){
```

```
        return 2022 - birthYear;
    }

```

```
let personAge = yourAge(2002);
```

**Output:-**20

### Function Expression

```
Let yourAge = function(birthYear){
    return 2022-birthYear
}

```

```
yourAge(2002)
```

**Output:-**20

### Arrow Functions

-Arrow Functions allows us to write shorter Function Syntax.

-In arrow function our function name is not declared.

-Also we don't have to mention the return.

-If you want to put one parameter it comes before the arrow function.

-If we declare 2 parameters then we put calibraces ( ) followed by an arrow function.

### **Note:-**

-Never Use an Arrow function as a method.

- Arrow Function does Not Accept this keyword as the result will be undefined

### Syntax

#### **-With function Expression**

```
let functionName = ()=>{}

```

```
functionName()

```

-With function Declaration

```
function functionName =>{}

```

```
functionName()

```

### Example

```
let yourAge = birthyear => 2022 - birth year;
```

```
let yourCurrentAge = yourAge(2002)
```

**Output:-** 20

let yourAge = (birthyear,currentYear)=>currentYear - birth year

let youCurrentAge= yourAge(yourAge(2002,2022))

**Output:-20**

### **Constructor Function**

-A constructor function is a regular function used to create multiple similar objects.

-Instead of creating many object with the same blueprint a constructor function is used to help us avoid repeating ourselves.

### **Syntax**

-Function name starts with a capital letter.

-This keyword is used to refer to the new object being created.

-When called we use new then name of function,We get the new instance of our object.

-The “new keyword” creates a new empty object,then assigns the argument to the properties of object

### **Example**

```
function Car(engine,model,year){  
    this.engine=engine,  
    this.model=model,  
    this.year=year,  
}  
const carOne = new Car(`V8`,`Toyota`,2002);  
const carTwo = new Car(`V9`,`Lexus`,2022);  
const carThree = new Car(`V8`,`BMW`,2005);
```

**Output:-**{`V8`,`Toyota`,2022}

**Output:-**{`V9`,`Lexus`,2022}

**Output:-**{`V8`,`BMW`,2005}

## Scoping

-This is the region where variable, functions and objects are accessible during runtime.

### Global Scope

-A variable declared outside the function is a global scope.

-Values inside the function can be changed also.

### Example

```
let hello = `Hello`;
function greet(){
  console.log(hello);
  console.log(hello = `How are you`);
}
greet()
```

Outputs:- Hello, How are you

### Local scope

-A variable declared inside a function, which means it can only be accessed inside the function.

-When called outside the function an error is output

### Example

```
function greet(){
  let hello = `Hello`;
  console.log(hello);
  console.log(hello = `How are you`);
}
greet()
```

## Hoisting

- This is the behavior of using a function or variable before it is Declared.
- It involves moving declaration of function,variables,classes to the top of the scope before code execution.
- Hoisting is only supported in function declarations and when calling variables.
- Hoisting is not supported in Function expressions.
- Hoisting is not supported in Arrow Functions.

## Syntax

Usage -> Declaration/Assignment

## Example

```
console.log(fullName);  
const fullName = `Emmanuel Koech`;
```

### Variable

**Output:-** Emmanuel Koech

```
yourName(`Emmanuel`)  
function yourName(name){  
  console.log(`Hello ${name}`)  
}
```

### Function Declaration

**Output:-**Emmanuel

```
yourName(`Emmanuel`)  
let yourName = function(name){  
  console.log(`Hello ${name}`)  
}
```

### Function Expression

**Output:-**Error

```
yourName(`Emmanuel`)  
let yourName= name=>console.log(`Hello ${name}`)
```

### **Arrow Function**

**Output:-** Hello Emmanuel

### **First Class and Higher order Functions**

-Functions in Javascript are first class citizens which means you can Assign/treat them as variables also they can be passed as an argument to other functions and lastly they can be returned by another function.

### **Syntax**

```
let myFunction = ()=>{console.log(Hello)}  
myFunction()
```

**Output:-**Hello

### **Treating Functions as variables(Function expression)**

```
let myFunction = ()=>{console.log(`Hello`)}  
let myOtherFunction = ()=>{console.log(`World`)}  
myFunctionOther(myFunction())
```

**Output:-**Hello, World

### **Passing Functions as arguments to other functions.**

```
let myFunction = ()=>{  
    return ()=>{console.log(`Hello`)}  
}
```

**Output:-**Hello

### **Returning a Function from another function**



2.Pass a function as an argument to another function.

```
const hiFunction = ()=>`Hello World`;  
hiFunction(function(){return "Hello World"})
```

3.Return a Function from another Function.

```
const hiFunction = (greeting)=>{  
    return function(name){ ` ${greeting},${name}`  
}  
hiFunction(`Hello`)(`Manu`)
```

-Higher Order functions are functions that use other functions arguments or return functions.