Hints for Project 3

Note: Suggest to read both Project 3 **documentation** and hints.

Rules for Array

```
VarDecl: IDENTIFIER LBRACKET INTCON RBRACKET{
        //This is an array declaration.
        // Allocate the memory space for the array by assign the offset
        // Keep its offset in the symbol table
        // Pay attention to the offset computation/update
 }

Variable: IDENTIFIER LBRACKET Expr RBRACKET{
        //Generate instructions to load the array element to the register
        //How to calculate its address? (base + offset)
        // base comes from IDENTIFIER, offset comes from offset

}
```

Translation of if statement

```
int a;

int main() {

  write("enter a:");
  read(a);
  if (a != 0) {
    write(1);
  }
  write("complete!");
}
```

```
    lw $s1, 0($s0)
    li $s0, 0
    sne $s2, $s1, $s0
    beq $s2, $zero, .L0
    li $s1, 1
    move $a0, $s1
    li $v0, 1
    syscall
    li $v0, 4
    la, $a0, .newline
    syscall
    j .L1
.L0:    nop
.L1:    nop
    la $s1, .string1
    move $a0, $s1
    li $v0, 4
    syscall
```

What is the purpose of the label .L0?

What is the purpose of the label .L1?

Translation of if-then-else

```
int main()
{
   write("enter a:");
   read(a);

   if (a > 0) {
     write(1);
   } else {
     write(0);
   }
   write("Compelte");
}
```

```
     lw $s1, 0($s0)
     li $s0, 0
     sgt $s2, $s1, $s0
     beq $s2, $zero, .L0
     li $s1, 1
     move $a0, $s1
     li $v0, 1
     syscall
     li $v0, 4
     la, $a0, .newline
     syscall
     j .L1
.L0:     nop
     li $s1, 0
     move $a0, $s1
     li $v0, 1
     syscall
     li $v0, 4
     la, $a0, .newline
     syscall
.L1:     nop
     la $s1, .string1
     move $a0, $s1
     li $v0, 4
     syscall
```

Test: LPAREN Expr RPAREN

{ refer to the else_lable}

TestAndThen: Test CompoundStatement

{ refer to the end_lable
generate the else_lable
}

IfStatement:
IF TestAndThen ELSE CompoundStatement

{ generate the end_lable}

.L0 is the else-label

.L1 is the end-label

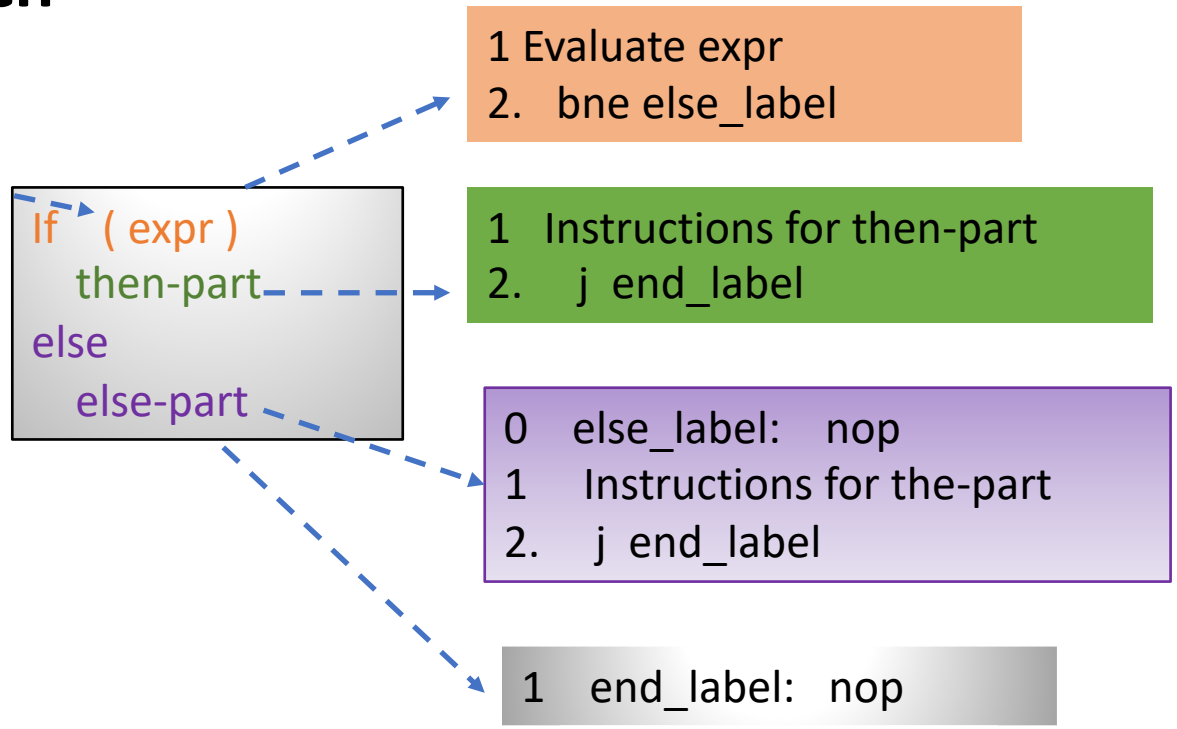
A label could be an attribute of a symbol.

Rules for Branch

```
Test: LPAREN Expr RPAREN{
        //What is  $$?
        // Hint: What if $2 is false?
}

TestAndThen      : Test CompoundStatement {
       // hint: generate  the “end”  branch
}

IfStatement: IF TestAndThen ELSE CompoundStatement{
    // At this time point, the instructions for TestAndThen and
    // CompoundStatement are generated.
   // hit: generate the “end” target
}
```



- You need to generate branch instructions
- You need to generate labels
- You can use labels before using them

Translation of While Loop

```
while (a<=10) {
  write(a);
  s=s+a;
  a=a+1;
}
write(s);
```

```
.L0:    nop
    add $s0, $gp, 4
    lw $s1, 0($s0)
    li $s0, 10
    sle $s2, $s1, $s0
    beq $s2, $zero, .L1
    add $s0, $gp, 4
    lw $s1, 0($s0)
    move $a0, $s1
    li $v0, 1
    syscall
    li $v0, 4
    la, $a0, .newline
    syscall
    add $s0, $gp, 8
    add $s1, $gp, 8
    lw $s2, 0($s1)
    add $s1, $gp, 4
    lw $s3, 0($s1)
    add $s1, $s2, $s3
    sw $s1, 0($s0)
    add $s0, $gp, 4
    add $s1, $gp, 4
    lw $s2, 0($s1)
    li $s1, 1
    add $s3, $s2, $s1
    sw $s3, 0($s0)
    j .L0
.L1:    nop
    add $s0, $gp, 8
    lw $s1, 0($s0)
    move $a0, $s1
    li $v0, 1
    syscall
```

.L0 is the start-label

Indicate the starting of an iteration

.L1 is the end-label

Indicate the end of the loop

Rules for While loop

```
WhileToken    : WHILE{
   // Indicate the beginning of an iteration
}

WhileExpr      : LPAREN Expr RPAREN{
        //  evaluate  Expr
       //  branch to  the end of the branch if false
}

WhileStatement: WhileToken WhileExpr Statement{
    // Generate the instruction to repeat the iteration
    // Generate the label for the exit/end of the loop
}
```