

## INHERITANCE

Is an OOP technique used to **inherit** attributes and methods from one class to another.

## SUPERCLASS

The class where we will inherit the attributes and methods.

## EXTENDS Keyword

Used after the class name and it indicates that the certain class will inherit from another class.

## USING Inheritance

**Extends keyword after subclass name**

```
modifiers class subClassName extends superClassName  
{
```

```
    //Attributes & methods
```

```
}
```

```
class person {
```

```
    String name, sex;
```

```
    Int age;
```

```
    //methods
```

```
}
```

```
class toddler extends person
{

    void drink()
        {
            //Print “drinking milk”

        }
}
```

## **OVERRIDING Constructors**

You are required to call the constructor of the superclass.

```
class person
{

    person(arguments)
        {
            //constructor
        }

}
```

```
class toddler extends person
{

    toddler(arguments)
        {
            super(arguments);
        }
}
```

```
        //add attributes
    }

}
```

## **SUPER Keyword**

Super keyword can only be used by a subclass and it is used to call their superclass so we can access their constructors, attributes and methods.

## **OVERRIDING Methods**

To retain the Functionality from the Super Class use the Super Keyword w/ the Method Name.

```
class person
{

    void checkStatus()
    {
        //output attributes
    }

}

class toddler extends person
{

    void checkStatus()
```

```
{  
  super.checkStatus ();  
  //add Functionalities  
}  
  
}
```