Git

- Git removes the need to copy files to and from the class share and your
 "H" drive as you collaborate on a project
- Git is like using a camera to take a snapshot of your files at a specific point in time
- Git is a checkpoint for your files.
- Git exists so you can: Modify/change/break/improve your code.
- Git is a collaboration tool that allows different people to work on all the parts of a project
- Git is a tool that protects yourself and others from yourself and others
- Git tracks files
- Git commit physically moves the box of copies into long-term storage
 - Status, Add, Commit
- A remote repository is a copy of our project that is stored "in the cloud"
- It is where we back up shared work and share it with others
- It is accessible anywhere there is an internet connection
- Git push tells git to upload all your changes to the server. It does not need to be done after every commit, because it will upload all
- Branches are smaller bit extending from a tree trunk
 - They represent different versions of our code
- Branches allow us to work on code fixes and features without breaking what we already have working
- Fixes and new features should <u>always</u> start on a branch

 The master branch is the "trunk" of your code tree and should only contain clean code ready for deployment.

 Git branch <name> tells git to maintain a new copy of our code with the given name

 Git branch on its own will list all branches available and display an asterisk next to the one we are currently working on



- Git checkout
branch> tells git to
 switch our working folder to the branch name specified.
- We use the merge command to combine branches
- Git merge <branch> combines the file changes in branch we name into our current working branch
- A merge conflict is when a file has changed in both of the branches
 - o Basically, git is asking for help because it is confused
- I believe that today's topic was pretty simple to understand. I like how we learned what to do when we are were met with a merge error. I believe by me learning this it helps me learn to make things easier when working on projects. I also believe that this was a lot of fun. (4/4)