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Add Component





Player



Static



Tag

Untagged



Layer

Default



Transform



Player (Script)



Script

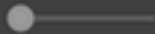


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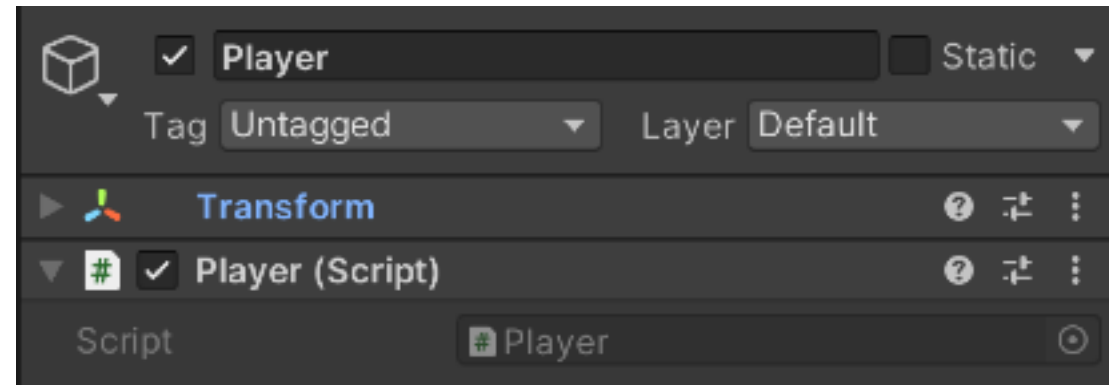
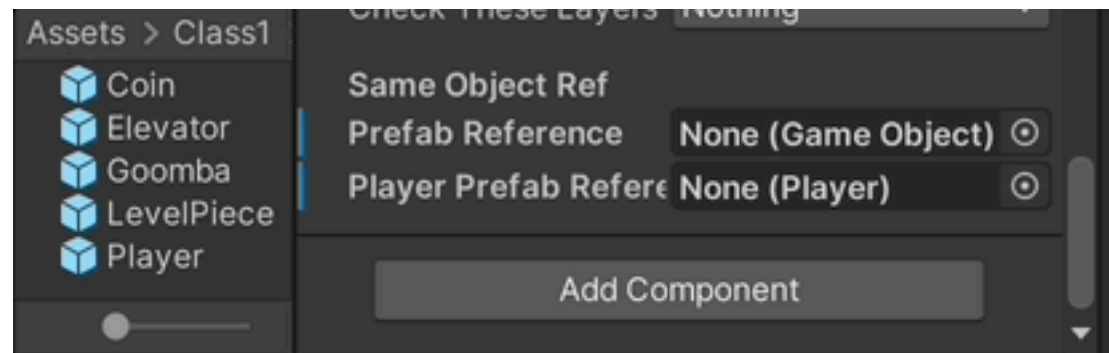


Referencing (Game)Objects - by Component

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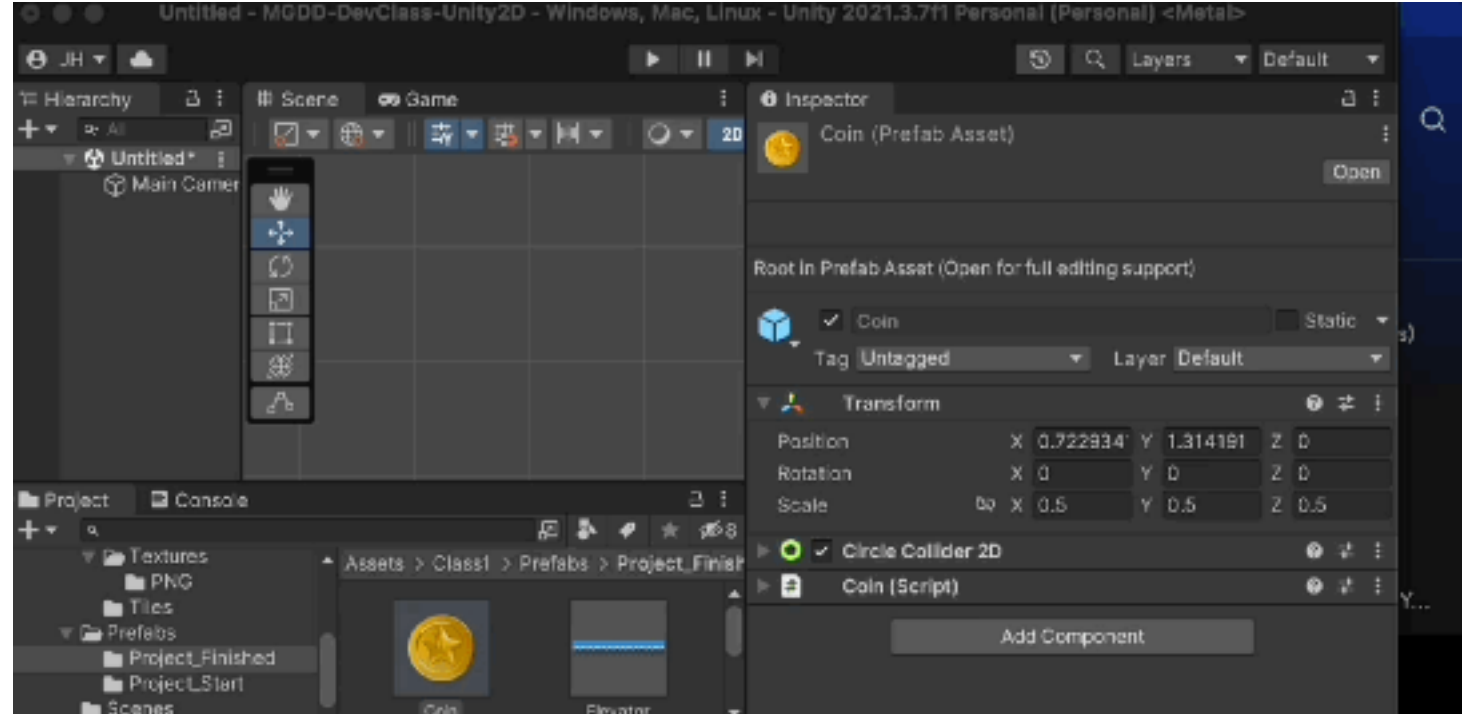
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Using Prefabs

- Drag prefabs from Project view into a scene

Learn how to work with prefabs! They are powerful, but can get complicated.



See our Github page for selected tutorials on using prefabs.

