

# IHF: CODE

PYTHON — SESSION 1

**WHAT IS PROGRAMMING?**

**WHAT IS PYTHON?**

**WHAT'S IT USED FOR?**

**WHO USES IT?**

# RACING WITH PYTHON

**HELLO, WORLD!**

# HELLO, WORLD! — EXAMPLE

```
print("Hello, World!")
```



# NAMING PYTHON FILES

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<what\_the\_script\_does>.py

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hello\_world.py

number\_guess.py

tic\_tac\_toe.py

calculate\_totals.py

send\_emails.py

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```

```
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**TEXT EDITOR**

# HELLO, WORLD!

**CODE:**

```
print("Hello, <your name here>")
```

**TO RUN:**

```
$ python <file_name>.py
```

# VARIABLES

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```
<variable_name> = <value>
```

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```
name = "Charlie"  
age = 27  
left_to_pay = 29.99  
has_paid = False
```

# VARIABLES

- ▶ Any mix of letters, numbers and some special characters
  - ▶ Must start with a letter
  - ▶ Keep lowercase
- ▶ Use underscore where there are spaces

# DATA TYPES

**STRINGS**



# STRINGS

```
name = "Alice"  
address = "123 Station Road"  
favourite_food = "Pizza"
```

**ESCAPING**

# ESCAPING

`\"` = Double Quote

`\n` = New line

`\t` = Tab

# ESCAPING

```
favourite_food = "Pizza from \"Dough N' Sauce\""  
shopping_list = "Apples\nBread\nMilk\nEggs"
```

# CODING TIME

## SECTION A

**INTEGER**

# INTEGER

```
age = 17
```

```
days_in_january = 31
```

```
bottles_sitting_on_the_wall = 99
```

# FLOAT



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```
price = 12.99  
percent = 34.57  
pi = 3.1415
```

# BOOLEAN

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```
has_paid = True  
vip = False
```

**NONE**

# NONE

```
last_film_seen = None  
items_in_basket = None
```

# NUMERICAL OPERATORS

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OPERATOR	ACTION	EXAMPLE
+	Addition	1 + 2
-	Subtraction	3 - 1
*	Multiplication	3 * 7
/	Division	9 / 3
**	Exponent	4 ** 2
%	Modulus (remainder)	10 % 3

# NUMERICAL OPERATORS

```
print(1 + 2)
print(5 - 3)
print(3 * 7)
print(49 / 7)
print(4 ** 2)
print(10 % 3)
```



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x = 3

y = 6

area = x \* y

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**CONCATENATION**

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Highest	()	Brackets
	**	Exponent
	*	Multiplication
	/	Division
	+	Addition
Lowest	-	Subtraction

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sum = 4 + 5 \* 2

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# CODING TIME

## SECTION B

**COMMENTS**

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```
# The total including VAT
```

```
total = sub_total + vat
```

```
has_paid = False # If the user has paid or not
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**CASTING**



# CASTING – INTEGERS

```
x = int(1)    # x will be 1  
y = int(2.6)  # y will be 2  
z = int("3")  # z will be 3
```

# CASTING – FLOATS

```
w = float(4)      # w will be 4.0
x = float(5.6)    # x will be 5.6
y = float("6")    # y will be 6.0
z = float("7.3")  # z will be 7.3
```

# CASTING – STRINGS

```
x = str("abc8") # x will be 'abc8'  
y = str(9)      # y will be '9'  
z = str(10.0)   # z will be '10.0'
```

**LENGTH**

# LENGTH

```
name = "Alice"
```

```
name_length = len(name) # 5
```

```
sentence_length = len("Hello, World!") #13
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**INDEX**

# INDEX

H

E

L

L

0

0

1

2

3

4



# INDEX

C	H	A	R	L	I	E
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

```
name = "CHARLIE"  
print(name[0]) # Prints 'C'  
print(name[1]) # Prints 'H'
```

**INPUT**

# INPUT

```
name = input("What's your name? ")  
print("Hello " + name)
```

```
age = int(input("How old are you? "))  
age_in_10_years = age + 10  
print("In 10 years you will be " + str(age_in_10_years))
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**UPPER / LOWER**

# UPPER/LOWER

```
name = "Alice"  
print(name.upper()) # ALICE  
  
print("HeLlO".lower()) # hello
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# **CODING TIME**

## **SECTION C**



# CONDITIONALS

IF

# IF

```
if True:  
    print("This is always shown")
```

```
if False:  
    print("This is never shown")
```

# IF

```
if <expression>:  
    # Will only be run if the expression is True  
    <code>
```

# COMPARATORS

COMPARATOR	DESCRIPTION	EXAMPLE
==	Equals	"Alice" == "Alice"
!=	Does not equal	"Bob" != "Charlie"
<	Less than	4 < 10
>	Greater than	12 > 8
<=	Less than or equal to	7 <= 7
>=	Greater than or equal to	8 >= 5

# COMPARATORS

```
name = "Alice"
if name == "Alice":
    print("Hello Alice")

if name != "Charlie":
    print("You are not Charlie")

age = 24
if age >= 21:
    print("You are 21 or over")
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ELSE



# ELSE

```
if 1 == 1:  
    print("Yes")  
else:  
    print("No")
```

# ELSE

```
if <expression>:  
    # Will only be run if the expression is True  
    <code>  
else:  
    # Will only be run if the expression is False  
    <code>
```

# ELSE

```
name = "Alice"
if name == "Alice":
    print("Hello Alice")
else:
    print("You are not Alice")

age = 24
if age >= 21:
    print("You are 21 or over")
else:
    print("You are 20 or younger")
```

# ELSE

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if name == "Alice":
    print("Hello Alice")
else:
    print("You are not Alice")

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if age >= 21:
    print("You are 21 or over")
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# CODING TIME

SECTION D

# EXERCISES

**Finish off any exercises you did not complete in the session**

**FURTHER HELP**

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