Java Syntax Cutout



A bare bones class!

```
public class CompSci
{
```

}

All Java programs start with a class.

bare bones + a main!

```
public class CompSci
{
   public static void main(String[] args)
   {
      System.out.println("Comp Sci!");
   }
}
```

OUTPUT Comp Sci!

syntax rules

```
public class CompSci
{    //open brace
    public static void main(String[] args)
    {
        System.out.println("Comp Sci!");
    }
}    //close brace
```

Braces — You gotta have 'em! Every class and every method must have a { and a } .

syntax rules

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You must put a semi-colon at the end of all Java program statements (;).

{ and ; rule

Never put a; before an open { brace

```
;{ //illegal }; //legal
```



indentation

```
public class CompSci
  public static void main(String[] args)
    System.out.println("Comp Sci!");
```

Indent all code 3 spaces to make it easier to read.

Open compscijava



System.out frequently used methods

Name	Use
print(x)	print x and stay on the current line
println(x)	print x and move to next line down
printf(s,x)	print x according to s specifications

reference command / method

System.out.print("compsci");

OUTPUT compsci



System.out.print("compsci");
System.out.print("compsci");

OUTPUT compscicompsci



System.out.println("compsci");

OUTPUT compsci



System.out.println("compsci"); System.out.println("compsci");

OUTPUT

compsci compsci



Open one.java



```
\n newline
\t tab
\r carriage return
\b backspace
```

System.out.println("c\tompsci");

OUTPUT c ompsci



```
\n newline
\t tab
\r carriage return
\b backspace
```

System.out.println("com\tpsci");

OUTPUT com psci



\n	newline
\t	tab
\r	carriage return
\b	backspace

System.out.println("comp\nsci");



Open two.java



System.out.println("\\compsci\"/");

```
OUTPUT
\compsci"/
```



System.out.println("\\'comp\'sci\'/");

```
OUTPUT
\'comp'sci'/
```

Escape Sequences frequently used combinations

Name	Use
\t	tabs over five spaces
\n	moves to front of next line
\b	deletes previous character
\r	moves to front of current line
11	nets one backslash \
\"	nets one double quote "
\'	nets one single quote '

Java-Comments

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/* */ block comments
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```
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*/
System.out.println("stuff");
```

System.out.printf("%s","compsci\n");

OUTPUT compsci



Open three.java

EKKOKS

Syntax errors occur when you type something in wrong, causing the code to not compile.

//missing semicolon - ; expected
System.out.println("stuff")

//case problem – should be System system.out.println("stuff")

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Runtime errors occur when something goes wrong while the program is running.

```
//an out of bounds exception is thrown
String s = "runtime_error";
System.out.println( s.charAt(15) );
```

Open four.java

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