

7-Day Docker Learning Plan for DevOps

Day 1: Docker Introduction & Installation

- What is Docker?
- Containers vs VMs
- Docker architecture (client, daemon, image, container, registry)
- Install Docker on your Linux system
- Run your first container: `docker run hello-world`

Practice: `docker version`, `docker info`

Day 2: Docker CLI Basics

- Run containers: `docker run -it ubuntu bash`
- Manage containers: `ps`, `stop`, `start`, `rm`, `logs`
- Images: `docker pull`, `docker images`, `rmi`
- Difference between `run`, `exec`, `attach`

Practice: `docker run -d nginx`, `docker exec -it <container_id> bash`

Day 3: Dockerfile & Custom Images

- What is a Dockerfile?
- Key instructions: `FROM`, `RUN`, `COPY`, `CMD`, `EXPOSE`, `ENV`, `WORKDIR`
- Build an image: `docker build -t myapp .`

Sample Dockerfile: `FROM ubuntu`

`RUN apt update && apt install -y curl`

`CMD ["bash"]`

Day 4: Docker Volumes & Data Management

- What are volumes?
- Bind mount vs named volume
- Volume commands: `docker volume create`, `inspect`, `rm`
- Share data between host and container

Practice: `docker run -v /home/jagan/data:/data ubuntu`

Day 5: Docker Networking

- Bridge, host, none networks
- Create your own Docker network

- Connect multiple containers

Practice: docker network create mynet

docker run -d --name db --network mynet mysql

docker run -it --network mynet ubuntu bash

Day 6: Docker Compose

- What is docker-compose?
- Write docker-compose.yml
- Commands: up, down, logs, build

Example:

version: '3'

services:

web:

image: nginx

ports:

- "8080:80"

Run it: docker-compose up -d

Day 7: Docker in DevOps Pipelines & Security

- How Docker is used in Jenkins/GitHub Actions
- Use Docker inside a pipeline
- Security tips: smaller images, user permissions
- Push to Docker Hub

Practice:

docker login

docker tag myapp jaganbehera009/myapp:v1

docker push jaganbehera009/myapp:v1

Bonus Resources

- <https://labs.play-with-docker.com/>
- <https://dockerlabs.collabnix.com/docker/cheatsheet/>
- <https://docs.docker.com/>