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- ▶ `_id` is a reserved keyword
- ▶ Every document must have an id
- ▶ Every other property is optional
- ▶ A unique index is automatically created for the `_id` field.

DEMONSTRATION

OBSERVATIONS

- ▶ We can call `explain()` to see how a query was performed
- ▶ We can call `find()` to perform a query (much more on this later...)

DOCUMENT IDENTIFIER TYPE

- ▶ `_id` can be any type except array

PRACTICAL

- ▶ Experiment creating documents using different id data types
- ▶ In groups, determine a suitable unique identifier for the receipt model
- ▶ Continue modelling the receipt