

# Java ArrayList Cheatsheet

## Creating an ArrayList

```
import java.util.ArrayList;
```

```
ArrayList<Type> list = new ArrayList<>();
```

Example:

```
ArrayList<String> names = new ArrayList<>();
```

## Core Methods

`add(E e)`: Add element to end of list

`add(int index, E element)`: Add element at specific index

`get(int index)`: Get element at index

`set(int index, E element)`: Replace element at index

`remove(int index)`: Remove element at index

`remove(Object o)`: Remove first occurrence of object

`clear()`: Remove all elements

`size()`: Get number of elements

`isEmpty()`: Check if list is empty

`contains(Object o)`: Check if element exists

`indexOf(Object o)`: Get index of first occurrence

`lastIndexOf(Object o)`: Get index of last occurrence

`toArray()`: Convert to array

`equals(Object o)`: Compare lists

`subList(from, to)`: Get sublist (from inclusive, to exclusive)

## Advanced Methods

`clone()`: Create a shallow copy of the list

`ensureCapacity(int minCapacity)`: Ensure minimum capacity of list

`trimToSize()`: Trim list to current size

`addAll(Collection<? extends E> c)`: Add all from another collection

`addAll(int index, Collection<? extends E> c)`: Add all at specific index

containsAll(Collection<?> c): Check if all elements exist

removeAll(Collection<?> c): Remove all elements in given collection

retainAll(Collection<?> c): Keep only elements in given collection

iterator(): Return an iterator

listIterator(): Return a list iterator

## Example Code

```
import java.util.ArrayList;
```

```
public class Main {
```

```
    public static void main(String[] args) {
```

```
        ArrayList<String> list = new ArrayList<>();
```

```
        list.add("Kshama");
```

```
        list.add("Mishra");
```

```
        list.add("AI");
```

```
        System.out.println(list.get(0));    // Kshama
```

```
        list.set(2, "CS-AI");
```

```
        list.remove("Mishra");
```

```
        System.out.println(list.contains("AI"));    // false
```

```
        System.out.println(list.size());           // 2
```

```
        list.clear();
```

```
        System.out.println(list.isEmpty());        // true
```

```
    }
```

```
}
```