

OOP (Week 1)

- Migration from modular program having structures and functions having classes & objects

↳ Procedural programming is based on creating procedures & functions

↳ In procedural programming, data and functions are separate entities.

↳ Objects oriented programming is based on creating objects.

⇒ • Classes provides encapsulation of member variable and member functions.

- Classes provide data hiding from outside world.

- Classes provide reusability of the code (saves time & effort).

- Procedural programming makes program more complex while object oriented programming makes program simple and easily understandable.

Syntax and Semantics

```
Class Class_Name {  
    // member variables
```

Public:

```
    // member functions.
```

```
};
```

- By default the data of the class is private.

- We can use Private & Public keyword in classes multiple time

e.g

```
class Class_Name {  
    Public:
```

```
        // member function.
```

Private:

```
        // member variable.
```

Public:

```
        // member function
```

```
};
```

- It is a convention (not compulsory but good practice) to write

1st letter of class name
as a capital letter.

Implicitly available member functions:

These functions are available in the class (by default), if we don't write them.

- i) Default Constructor.
- ii) Copy Constructor.
- iii) Assignment Operator. (=)
- iv) Address-of operator. (&)

Default Constructor:

for declaring the member variables of the object.

Copy Constructor:

for copying, member variables of one object into another.

Assignment Operator:

for copying, member variables of one object into another (after declaration of object).

Address-of operator (&)

↳ Gives the address of current object.

Access Modifiers:

i) Public:

↳ To allow the outside world to access member functions & member variable.

ii) Private:

↳ To hide ~~the~~ member variable & member functions from outside world.