Introduction - Just Get Started

Welcome to JavaScript

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This course requires no downloads, configuration, or setup. Everything you need is built-in to the lessons using code editors, like this one. You can jump right in.

Hit "Run" below. It's that simple.

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1 // You can type and run code he 2 // the "Run" button below. 3
4 console.log("This will print or )
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These blocks are interactive. Try changing the words This will print out! to anything you like and pressing "Run" again. Congratulations. You've written your first line of JavaScript!

Welcome

You're here because you're interested in learning JavaScript. You need a starting point and somehow, you came across this course. Well, I'm excited to teach you.

My Experience

I've been through a coding bootcamp myself. I've taught at another one. I have a deep understanding of how students learn this language for the first time. I've implemented the lessons I've learned along the way into this course.

Web Development

JavaScript is the language of web development. Most interactions you have with websites, including buttons you click, forms you fill, and e-mails you send, are implemented with JavaScript.

This course is meant to be an introduction to the language. It'll enable you to start writing meaningful code on your own. After this course, you'll be ready for more advanced learning. You'll know enough to move on to a more advanced course or even learn yourself through examples and online tutorials.

Difficulty

Learning a computer language for the first time is not an easy task. My goal in creating this course was to make it as simple and accessible as possible. By making the introduction to the language less daunting, I hope to get more people interested in web development. The world needs more coders.

If this course is your first look at code, the flood of information can seem overwhelming. You may find yourself reading lessons multiple times. That is absolutely fine. Time will help it all sink in.

Quizzes

The quizzes are purposely difficult. If you find yourself getting questions wrong, don't worry. Just make sure you understand the answers after knowing what they are.

Future Steps

If you end up enjoying this course or feel that it is too basic for you, feel free to check out the next one in my series: Step Up Your JS. As a thank you for checking out this introductory course, here's a coupon you can use for 50% off: step-up-half.

I'm excited to introduce you to the world of JavaScript. Go ahead and get started with the next lesson.