



Exercise 2.5: Create a Simple Deployment

Creating a pod does not take advantage of orchestration abilities of Kubernetes. We will now create a Deployment which gives us scalability, reliability, and updates.

1. Now run a containerized webserver **nginx**. Use **kubectl create** to create a simple, single replica deployment running the nginx web server. It will create a single pod as we did previously but with new controllers to ensure it runs as well as other features.

```
student@ckad-1:~$ kubectl create deployment firstpod --image=nginx
deployment.apps/firstpod created
```

2. Verify the new deployment exists and the desired number of pods matches the current number. Using a comma, you can request two resource types at once. The **Tab** key can be helpful. Type enough of the word to be unique and press the **Tab** key, it should complete the word. The deployment should show a number 1 for each value, such that the desired number of pods matches the up-to-date and running number. The pod should show zero restarts.

```
student@ckad-1:~$ kubectl get deployment,pod

NAME                                READY UP-TO-DATE AVAILABLE AGE
deployment.extensions/firstpod 1/1    1            1      2m42s

NAME                                READY STATUS  RESTARTS AGE
pod/firstpod-7d88d7b6cf-lrsbk 1/1    Running 0        2m42s
```

3. View the details of the deployment, then the pod. Work through the output slowly. Knowing what a healthy deployment and looks like can be helpful when troubleshooting issues. Again the **Tab** key can be helpful when using long auto-generated object names. You should be able to type firstpod**Tab** and the name will complete when viewing the pod.

```
student@ckad-1:~$ kubectl describe deployment firstpod

Name:                firstpod
Namespace:           default
CreationTimestamp:    Fri, 25 Jul 2018 16:46:57 +0000
Labels:              app=firstpod
Annotations:         deployment.kubernetes.io/revision=1
Selector:            app=firstpod
Replicas:            1 desired | 1 updated | 1 total | 1 available....
StrategyType:        RollingUpdate
MinReadySeconds:     0
<output_omitted>

student@ckad-1:~$ kubectl describe pod firstpod-6bb4574d94-rqk76

Name:                firstpod-6bb4574d94-rqk76
Namespace:           default
Priority:             0
PriorityClassName:    <none>
Node:                ckad-1/10.128.0.2
Start Time:          Wed, 25 Jul 2018 06:13:18 +0000
Labels:              pod-template-hash=2660130850
                    app=firstpod
Annotations:         cni.projectcalico.org/podIP: 192.168.200.65/32
Status:              Running
```

```
IP:          192.168.200.65
Controlled By: ReplicaSet/firstpod-6bb4574d94
```

```
<output_omitted>
```

4. Note that the resources are in the default namespace. Get a list of available namespaces.

```
student@ckad-1:~$ kubectl get namespaces
```

NAME	STATUS	AGE
default	Active	20m
kube-node-lease	Active	20m
kube-public	Active	20m
kube-system	Active	20m

5. There are two other namespaces. Look at the pods in the kube-system namespace.

```
student@ckad-1:~$ kubectl get pod -n kube-system
```

NAME	READY	STATUS	RESTARTS	AGE
calico-node-5ftrr	2/2	Running	0	24m
calico-node-f7zrw	2/2	Running	0	21m
coredns-fb8b8dccf-cmkds	1/1	Running	0	24m
coredns-fb8b8dccf-grltk	1/1	Running	0	24m
etcd-v141-r24p	1/1	Running	0	23m

```
<output_omitted>
```

6. Now look at the pods in a namespace that does not exist. Note you do not receive an error.

```
student@ckad-1:~$ kubectl get pod -n fakenamepace
```

```
No resources found.
```

7. You can also view resources in all namespaces at once. Use the `--all-namespaces` options to select objects in all namespaces at once.

```
student@ckad-1:~$ kubectl get pod --all-namespaces
```

NAMESPACE	NAME	READY	STATUS	RESTARTS	AGE
default	firstpod-69cfdfd8d9-kj6ql	1/1	Running	0	44m
kube-system	calico-node-5ftrr	2/2	Running	0	92m
kube-system	calico-node-f7zrw	2/2	Running	0	89m
kube-system	coredns-fb8b8dccf-cmkds	1/1	Running	0	92m

```
<output_omitted>
```

8. View several resources at once. Note that most resources have a short name such as `rs` for ReplicaSet, `po` for Pod, `svc` for Service, and `ep` for endpoint. Note the endpoint still exists after we deleted the pod.

```
student@ckad-1:~$ kubectl get deploy,rs,po,svc,ep
```

NAME	READY	UP-TO-DATE	AVAILABLE	AGE
deployment.extensions/firstpod	1/1	1	1	4m

NAME	DESIRED	CURRENT	READY....
replicaset.extensions/firstpod-6bb4574d94-rqk76	1	1	1

NAME	READY	STATUS	RESTARTS	AGE
pod/firstpod-6bb4574d94-rqk76	1/1	Running	0	4m

NAME	TYPE	CLUSTER-IP	EXTERNAL-IP	PORT(S)	AGE
service/basicservice	NodePort	10.108.147.76	<none>	80:31601/TCP	21m
service/kubernetes	ClusterIP	10.96.0.1	<none>	443/TCP	21m

NAME	ENDPOINTS	AGE
endpoints/basicservice	<none>	21m
endpoints/kubernetes	10.128.0.3:6443	21m

9. Delete the ReplicaSet and view the resources again. Note that the age on the ReplicaSet and the pod it controls is now less than a minute. The deployment controller started a new ReplicaSet when we deleted the existing one, which started another pod when the desired configuration did not match the current status.

```
student@ckad-1:~$ kubectl delete rs firstpod-6bb4574d94-rqk76
replicaset.extensions "firstpod-6bb4574d94-rqk76" deleted

student@ckad-1:~$ kubectl get deployment,rs,po,svc,ep

NAME                                READY  UP-TO-DATE  AVAILABLE  AGE
deployment.extensions/firstpod      1/1    1            1           7m

NAME                                DESIRED  CURRENT...
replicaset.extensions/firstpod-6bb4574d94-rqk76  1        1        ....

NAME                                READY    STATUS    RESTARTS  AGE
pod/firstpod-7d99ffc75-p9hbw        1/1      Running   0          12s

NAME                                TYPE      CLUSTER-IP  EXTERNAL-IP  PORT(S)    AGE
service/kubernetes                  ClusterIP  10.96.0.1    <none>        443/TCP    24m

NAME                                ENDPOINTS    AGE
endpoints/kubernetes                10.128.0.2:6443  80m
endpoints/basicsservice              <none>        21m
```

10. This time delete the top-level controller. After about 30 seconds for everything to shut down you should only see the cluster service and endpoint remain for the cluster and the service we created.

```
student@ckad-1:~$ kubectl delete deployment firstpod
deployment.extensions "firstpod" deleted

student@ckad-1:~$ kubectl get deployment,rs,po,svc,ep

NAME                                TYPE      CLUSTER-IP  EXTERNAL-IP  PORT(S)    AGE
service/basicsservice              NodePort  10.108.147.76 <none>        80:31601/TCP 35m
kubernetes                          ClusterIP  10.96.0.1    <none>        443/TCP    24m

NAME                                ENDPOINTS    AGE
endpoints/basicsservice              <none>        21m
kubernetes                          10.128.0.3:6443  24m
```

11. As we won't need it for a while, delete the basicsservice service as well.

```
student@ckad-1:~$ kubectl delete svc basicsservice
service "basicsservice" deleted
```