

Hands on Activity 2.1	
Arrays, Pointers and Dynamic Memory Allocation	
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6. Output

SCREENSHOT	<pre> 1 int main() { 2 Student student1("Roman", 28); 3 Student student2(student1); 4 Student student3; 5 student3 = student2; 6 return 0; 7 }</pre>
OBSERVATION	<p>The constructor is called when student1 is created.</p> <p>The copy constructor is called when student2 is created from student1.</p> <p>The default constructor is called for student3.</p> <p>The copy assignment operator is used to copy student2 to student3.</p> <p>The destructors for student1, student2, and student3 are called when they go out of scope at the end of main().</p>

Table 2-1. Initial Driver Program

SCREENSHOT	<pre> 1 int main() { 2 const size_t j = 5; 3 Student studentList[j] = {}; 4 std::string namesList[j] = {"Carly", "Freddy", "Sam", "Zack", "Cody"}; 5 int ageList[j] = {15, 16, 18, 19, 16}; 6 return 0; 7 }</pre>
OBSERVATION	<p>No dynamic memory allocation occurs here; everything is statically allocated.</p> <p>Each Student object in studentList is created using the default constructor.</p> <p>No output for the constructors since no custom initialization happens (default constructor).</p> <p>If the printDetails function were called, it would print "John Doe 18" five times, as that's the default value for the Student class.</p>

Table 2-2. Modified Driver Program with Student Lists

LOOP A	<pre> 1 for(int i = 0; i < j; i++){ //loop A 2 Student *ptr = new Student(namesList[i], ageList[i]); 3 studentList[i] = *ptr; 4 // Cleanup to avoid memory leaks 5 delete ptr; 6 } 7 </pre>
OBSERVATION	Loop A dynamically allocates a new Student object for each entry in namesList and ageList. Each dynamically allocated object is assigned to the corresponding index in the studentList array.
LOOP B	<pre> 1 for(int i = 0; i < j; i++){ //loop B 2 studentList[i].printDetails(); 3 } </pre>
OBSERVATION	Loop B iterates through the studentList array and calls the printDetails() method for each Student object, which prints the name and age of each student.
OUTPUT	<pre> Carly 15 Freddy 16 Sam 18 Zack 19 Cody 16 </pre>
OBSERVATION	This indicates that the student objects are correctly created and stored in the studentList array, and their details are printed correctly.

Table 2-3. Final Driver Program

MODIFICATIONS	<pre>int main() { const size_t j = 5; Student studentList[j] = {}; std::string namesList[j] = {"Carly", "Freddy", "Sam", "Zack", "Cody"}; int ageList[j] = {15, 16, 18, 19, 16}; for(int i = 0; i < j; i++){ //loop A Student *ptr = new Student(namesList[i], ageList[i]); studentList[i] = *ptr; delete ptr; // Free dynamically allocated memory } for(int i = 0; i < j; i++){ //loop B studentList[i].printDetails(); } return 0; }</pre>
OBSERVATION	The code now correctly deallocates memory for each dynamically allocated Student object, preventing memory leaks. The delete ptr; statement in Loop A ensures that the memory used by each Student object created with new is freed after being copied to the studentList array.

Table 2-4. Modifications/Corrections Necessary

7. Supplementary Activity

main.cpp



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1 #include <iostream>
2 #include <cstring>
3
4 using namespace std;
5
6 class Item {
7 protected:
8     char name[50];
9     double price;
10    int quantity;
11
12 public:
13     // Constructor
14     Item(const char* name, double price, int quantity) : price(price), quantity(quantity) {
15         strncpy(this->name, name, sizeof(this->name) - 1);
16         this->name[sizeof(this->name) - 1] = '\0'; // Ensure null termination
17     }
18
19     // Virtual Destructor
20     virtual ~Item() {}
21
22     // Copy Constructor
23     Item(const Item& other) : price(other.price), quantity(other.quantity) {
24         strncpy(this->name, other.name, sizeof(this->name) - 1);
25         this->name[sizeof(this->name) - 1] = '\0'; // Ensure null termination
26     }
27
28     // Copy Assignment Operator
29     Item& operator=(const Item& other) {
30         if (this != &other) {
31             strncpy(this->name, other.name, sizeof(this->name) - 1);
32             this->name[sizeof(this->name) - 1] = '\0'; // Ensure null termination
33             this->price = other.price;
34             this->quantity = other.quantity;
35         }
36         return *this;
37     }
38
39     // Calculate total price
40     double calculateTotal() const {
41         return price * quantity;
42     }
43
44     // Display item details
45     virtual void display() const {
46         cout << "Name: " << name << ", Price: PHP " << price
47              << ", Quantity: " << quantity
48              << ", Total: PHP " << calculateTotal() << endl;
49     }
50
51     // Check if name matches
52     bool isName(const char* nameToCompare) const {
53         return strcmp(name, nameToCompare) == 0;
54     }
55 };
56
57 class Fruit : public Item {
58 public:
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59 // Constructor
60 Fruit(const char* name, double price, int quantity) : Item(name, price, quantity) {}
61
62 // Copy Constructor
63 Fruit(const Fruit& other) : Item(other) {}
64
65 // Copy Assignment Operator
66 Fruit& operator=(const Fruit& other) {
67     if (this != &other) {
68         Item::operator=(other);
69     }
70     return *this;
71 }
72 };
73
74 class Vegetable : public Item {
75 public:
76 // Constructor
77 Vegetable(const char* name, double price, int quantity) : Item(name, price, quantity) {}
78
79 // Copy Constructor
80 Vegetable(const Vegetable& other) : Item(other) {}
81
82 // Copy Assignment Operator
83 Vegetable& operator=(const Vegetable& other) {
84     if (this != &other) {
85         Item::operator=(other);
86     }
87     return *this;
88 }
89 };
90
91 // Function to calculate the total sum of all items
92 double TotalSum(Item* list[], int size) {
93     double sum = 0.0;
94     for (int i = 0; i < size; ++i) {
95         sum += list[i]->calculateTotal();
96     }
97     return sum;
98 }
99
100 int main() {
101     // Create grocery list
102     const int initialSize = 4;
103     Item* GroceryList[initialSize] = {
104         new Fruit("Apple", 10.0, 7),
105         new Fruit("Banana", 10.0, 8),
106         new Vegetable("Broccoli", 60.0, 12),
107         new Vegetable("Lettuce", 50.0, 10)
108     };
109
110     int listSize = initialSize;
111
112     // Display all items
113     cout << "Initial Grocery List:\n";
114     for (int i = 0; i < listSize; ++i) {
115         GroceryList[i]->display();
116     }
117

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118 // Calculate and display total sum
119 double totalSum = TotalSum(GroceryList, listSize);
120 cout << "Total Sum: PHP " << totalSum << endl;
121
122 // Remove Lettuce
123 int indexToRemove = -1;
124 for (int i = 0; i < listSize; ++i) {
125     if (GroceryList[i] != nullptr && GroceryList[i] != "Lettuce") {
126         indexToRemove = i;
127         break;
128     }
129 }
130
131 if (indexToRemove != -1) {
132     delete GroceryList[indexToRemove];
133     for (int i = indexToRemove; i < listSize - 1; ++i) {
134         GroceryList[i] = GroceryList[i + 1];
135     }
136     GroceryList[listSize - 1] = nullptr; // Nullify the last pointer
137     --listSize;
138 }
139
140 // Display remaining items
141 cout << "\nAfter removing Lettuce:\n";
142 for (int i = 0; i < listSize; ++i) {
143     GroceryList[i] != nullptr ? GroceryList[i] -> display() : continue;
144 }
145
146 // Calculate and display new total sum
147 totalSum = TotalSum(GroceryList, listSize);
148 cout << "Total Sum after removal: PHP " << totalSum << endl;
149
150 // Cleanup remaining items
151 for (int i = 0; i < listSize; ++i) {
152     delete GroceryList[i];
153 }
154
155 return 0;
156 }
157

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Output

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/tmp/qumsJrNbt9.o
Initial Grocery List:
Name: Apple, Price: PHP 10, Quantity: 7, Total: PHP 70
Name: Banana, Price: PHP 10, Quantity: 8, Total: PHP 80
Name: Broccoli, Price: PHP 60, Quantity: 12, Total: PHP 720
Name: Lettuce, Price: PHP 50, Quantity: 10, Total: PHP 500
Total Sum: PHP 1370

After removing Lettuce:
Name: Apple, Price: PHP 10, Quantity: 7, Total: PHP 70
Name: Banana, Price: PHP 10, Quantity: 8, Total: PHP 80
Name: Broccoli, Price: PHP 60, Quantity: 12, Total: PHP 720
Total Sum after removal: PHP 870

=== Code Execution Successful ===

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8. Conclusion

From this activity, I have gained more understanding on the use of pointers and arrays by implementing static and dynamic memory in C++. I constructed a class called 'Student' and observed how constructors and destructors and other crucial functions work. I was able to make an array of students and provide dynamic memory allocation for any student. I also learned that memory is something that needs to be cleared after it has been used in order to avoid issues. In conclusion, I did decent, but I can do better to refresh knowledge on memory management and optimization of the code I wrote.

9. Assessment Rubric

