Constructors:

- Special methods in a class that get called when an object is instantiated.

- They have the same name as the class.

- They do not have a return type or void

- Their primary job is to initialize instance variables

- A constructor is optional – if you don't specify one, java will supply a default, empty constructor.

Example:

```java
public class SomeClass {

    public SomeClass(params) {              // the constructor
        …  initialize instance variables …
    }

}
```