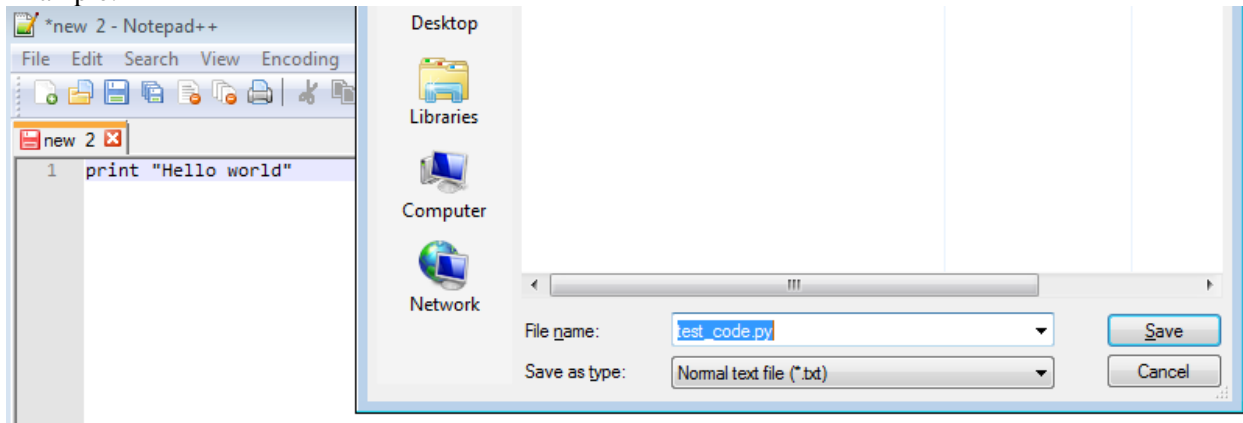


# Quick reference: Scripts

## *Creating a script*

1. Open your plain text editor (Notepad++, TextWrangler, etc)
2. Type your code
3. Save the file with a `.py` extension

Example:



## *Running a script*

1. Open a terminal window
2. Navigate to where your script is stored using `cd <directory name>` and `cd ..` to move around
3. Run your script with the following command:  
`python <script name>`

Example:

```
Microsoft Windows [Version 6.1.7601]
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C:\Windows\System32>cd ..
C:\Windows>cd ..
C:\>cd Users
C:\Users>cd Sarah
C:\Users\Sarah>cd TestCode
C:\Users\Sarah\TestCode>python test_script.py
Hello world
```