

Perfect 👍

This is the **right order** to learn JavaScript.

I'll explain **each concept clearly** in this pattern:

👉 **Theory → Syntax → Example → Common mistakes → Practice Tasks**

We'll cover:

1. Functions
2. Arrow Functions
3. setTimeout

No Promises yet — only foundations.

1 JavaScript Functions

◆ What is a Function? (Theory)

A **function** is a reusable block of code that:

- Runs **only when called**
- Can **take input** (parameters)
- Can **return output**

📌 Think of a function like a **machine**:

Input → Processing → Output

◆ Syntax

```
function functionName(parameters) {  
    // code  
    return value;  
}
```

◆ Example 1: Simple Function

```
function greet() {  
    console.log("Hello World");
```

```
}
```

```
greet(); // calling the function
```

Output

```
Hello World
```

◆ Example 2: Function with Parameters

```
function add(a, b){  
    return a + b;  
}
```

```
console.log(add(5, 3));
```

Output

```
8
```

◆ Example 3: Function without return

```
function showMessage(name){  
    console.log("Welcome " + name);  
}
```

```
showMessage("Riya");
```

Output

```
Welcome Riya
```

✖ Common Mistakes

```
add(2, 3); // ✖ nothing shown
```

👉 You must **print or use the return value**

```
console.log(add(2, 3)); // ✓
```

Tasks (Functions)

Task 1

- Write a function `square(num)` that returns the square of a number

Task 2

- Write a function `isEven(num)` that prints "Even" or "Odd"
-

Arrow Functions () => {}

◆ What is an Arrow Function? (Theory)

Arrow functions are:

- A **shorter way** to write functions
- Introduced in **ES6**
- Widely used in **modern JavaScript (React, Node)**

Same logic, less code

◆ Syntax

Normal function

```
function add(a, b) {  
    return a + b;  
}
```

Arrow function

```
const add = (a, b) => {  
    return a + b;  
};
```

◆ Short Arrow Function (Most common)

```
const add = (a, b) => a + b;
```

- ✓ No return
 - ✓ No {}
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◆ Example 1: Arrow function

```
const greet = () => {  
    console.log("Hello");  
};  
  
greet();
```

◆ Example 2: Arrow with parameter

```
const double = (num) => num * 2;  
  
console.log(double(4));
```

Output

```
8
```

◆ Example 3: Arrow function inside function

```
function calculate(a, b) {  
    const multiply = () => a * b;  
    return multiply();  
}
```

```
console.log(calculate(3, 4));
```

✖ Common Mistakes

```
const add = (a, b) => {
```

```
a + b; // ✗ missing return  
};
```

 Correct:

```
const add = (a, b) => a + b;
```

Tasks (Arrow Functions)

Task 3

- Convert a normal function to arrow function:

```
function subtract(a, b) {  
    return a - b;  
}
```

Task 4

- Write an arrow function `isPositive(num)` that returns true or false
-

3 setTimeout (Asynchronous Basics)

◆ What is `setTimeout`? (Theory)

`setTimeout`:

- Executes code **after a delay**
- Does **not block** JavaScript execution

 JavaScript says:

“I’ll run this later, continue other work now.”

◆ Syntax

```
setTimeout(function, timeInMilliseconds);
```

◆ Example 1: Basic timer

```
setTimeout(() => {
```

```
console.log("Hello after 2 seconds");
}, 2000);
```

Output

(after 2 seconds)

Hello after 2 seconds

◆ Example 2: Code order (IMPORTANT)

```
console.log("Start");
```

```
setTimeout(() => {
  console.log("Middle");
}, 1000);
```

```
console.log("End");
```

Output

Start

End

Middle

👉 This proves JavaScript is **asynchronous**

◆ Example 3: setTimeout with function call

```
function showMessage() {
  console.log("This runs later");
}
```

```
setTimeout(showMessage, 1500);
```

✖ Common Mistake

```
setTimeout(showMessage(), 1500); // ✗ wrong
```

Why?

Because showMessage() runs **immediately**

Tasks (setTimeout)

Task 5

- Print "Loading..." immediately
- Print "Data Loaded" after 3 seconds

Task 6

- Create a function delayedSum(a, b)
 - Print the sum **after 2 seconds**
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FINAL PRACTICE (Very Important)

Task 7 (Combine all concepts)

Write a function that:

1. Takes a number
 2. After 2 seconds
 3. Prints its square using an arrow function
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What You've Learned

Concept	Status
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Functions	
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Arrow Functions	
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setTimeout	
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Async basics	
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Next Step (Recommended)

After you finish these tasks:

- I'll explain **Callbacks** → **Promises** → **async/await**
- Using the **same examples** you already know

Just tell me when you're ready **100**

Perfect 

Now we'll do **exactly the same structured learning** for:

Callbacks → **Promises** → **async / await**

Same style as before:

 **Theory** → **Syntax** → **Example** → **Common mistakes** → **Tasks**

Take your time with this — these are **core JavaScript concepts** used everywhere.

PART 1: CALLBACKS

◆ What is a Callback? (Theory)

A **callback** is:

A function **passed as an argument** to another function,
to be **called later**, usually after some work is done.

 JavaScript idea:

“When you finish your work, call this function.”

◆ Syntax

```
function mainFunction(callback) {  
    // do something
```

```
    callback();  
}  


---


```

◆ **Example 1: Simple Callback**

```
function greet(name, callback) {  
  console.log("Hello " + name);  
  callback();  
}
```

```
function sayBye() {
```

```
  console.log("Goodbye!");  
}
```

```
greet("Ravi", sayBye);
```

Output

Hello Ravi

Goodbye!

◆ **Example 2: Callback with setTimeout**

```
function getData(callback) {  
  setTimeout(() => {  
    callback("Data received");  
  }, 2000);  
}
```

```
getData((result) => {  
  console.log(result);  
});
```

Output

(after 2 seconds)

Data received

✗ Problem: Callback Hell 🤦

```
getUser(id, (user) => {  
  getOrders(user, (orders) => {  
    getPayment(orders, (payment) => {  
      console.log(payment);  
    });  
  });  
});
```

✗ Hard to read

✗ Hard to debug

✗ Hard to maintain

💡 Tasks (Callbacks)

Task 1

- Write a function calculate(a, b, callback)
- Callback should print the sum

Task 2

- Use setTimeout inside a function
 - Call a callback after 2 seconds with "Done"
-

🤝 PART 2: PROMISES

◆ What is a Promise? (Theory)

A **Promise** is an object that:

- Represents a **future value**

- Can be **success** or **failure**

📌 Promise says:

“I promise I will give you the result later.”

◆ **Promise States**

State Meaning

pending Working

fulfilled Success

rejected Failed

◆ **Syntax**

```
let promise = new Promise((resolve, reject) => {  
    // async work  
});
```

◆ **Example 1: Basic Promise**

```
function getData() {  
    return new Promise((resolve, reject) => {  
        setTimeout(() => {  
            resolve("Data received");  
        }, 2000);  
    });  
}
```

```
getData().then((result) => {  
    console.log(result);  
});
```

Output

(after 2 seconds)

Data received

◆ Example 2: Promise with Error

```
function checkNumber(num) {  
  return new Promise((resolve, reject) => {  
    if (num > 0) {  
      resolve("Positive number");  
    } else {  
      reject("Not positive");  
    }  
  });  
}
```

```
checkNumber(-1)  
.then(msg => console.log(msg))  
.catch(err => console.log(err));
```

Output

Not positive

✓ Callback vs Promise (Clear Difference)

Callback

```
getData(result => {  
  console.log(result);  
});
```

Promise

```
getData().then(result => {
```

```
    console.log(result);  
});
```

- ✓ Cleaner
 - ✓ Chainable
 - ✓ Better error handling
-

Tasks (Promises)

Task 3

- Convert this callback to a Promise:

```
function wait(callback) {  
  
  setTimeout(() => {  
  
    callback("Finished");  
  
  }, 2000);  
  
}
```

Task 4

- Write a Promise that resolves after 3 seconds with "Success"
-

PART 3: ASYNC / AWAIT

◆ What is async/await? (Theory)

async/await is:

- A **cleaner way** to use Promises
- Makes async code look **synchronous**

Behind the scenes:

async/await uses Promises

◆ Syntax

```
async function functionName() {  
  
  let result = await promise;
```

```
}
```

◆ Example 1: Promise → async/await

Promise version

```
getData().then(result => {  
  console.log(result);  
});
```

async/await version

```
async function fetchData() {  
  let result = await getData();  
  console.log(result);  
}
```

```
fetchData();
```

- ✓ Same behavior
 - ✓ Much easier to read
-

◆ Example 2: Error Handling

```
async function check() {  
  try {  
    let result = await checkNumber(-2);  
    console.log(result);  
  } catch (error) {  
    console.log(error);  
  }  
}  
  
check();
```

Common Mistakes

Using await without async

```
let data = await getData(); //  error
```

 Correct

```
async function test() {  
  let data = await getData();  
}  
 
```

Tasks (async/await)

Task 5

- Rewrite Task 4 using async/await

Task 6

- Create an async function that:
 - Waits 2 seconds
 - Returns the square of a number

FINAL COMPARISON (Very Important)

Feature	Callback	Promise	async/await
Readability			  
Error handling			  
Modern JS			  
Used in React/Node			

FINAL MASTER TASK (Must Do)

Task 7 (Real-world style)

1. Create a function that returns a Promise
 2. Promise resolves after 2 seconds with a number
 3. Use async/await to:
 - o Get the number
 - o Print its square
-

What You've Achieved

- ✓ Understood **why callbacks exist**
 - ✓ Understood **why Promises were introduced**
 - ✓ Learned **modern async/await syntax**
 - ✓ Ready for **real-world JavaScript & React**
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Next (Optional but Recommended)

- Event Loop & Call Stack (very important)
- Real API calls using fetch
- How async works in React

Tell me what you want next — you're doing great 

Excellent choice 

Hoisting and Closures are two topics that *separate beginners from strong JavaScript developers.*

I'll teach them in the **same clear structure** you liked:

 **Theory → Syntax → Examples → Common mistakes → Practice Tasks**

Take it slowly and *run the examples in your head or console.*

PART 1: HOISTING

◆ What is Hoisting? (Theory)

Hoisting means:

JavaScript **moves declarations to the top of their scope before execution**

 Important:

- Only declarations are hoisted
- Not initializations

 JavaScript does **two phases**:

1. **Memory Creation Phase**
 2. **Execution Phase**
-

◆ Hoisting with var

Example

```
console.log(x);
```

```
var x = 10;
```

Output

```
undefined
```

Why?

JavaScript sees it as:

```
var x; // hoisted
```

```
console.log(x);
```

```
x = 10;
```

 Declaration hoisted

 Value not hoisted

◆ Hoisting with let and const

```
console.log(a);
```

```
let a = 5;
```

Output

✖ ReferenceError

Why?

- let and const **are hoisted**
- BUT they are in **Temporal Dead Zone (TDZ)**

📌 TDZ = Cannot access before declaration

◆ Hoisting with Functions

Function Declaration (Hoisted fully ✓)

```
sayHello();
```

```
function sayHello() {  
  console.log("Hello");  
}
```

Output

Hello

Function Expression (Not hoisted ✖)

```
sayHi();
```

```
var sayHi = function () {  
  console.log("Hi");  
};
```

Output

TypeError: sayHi is not a function

◆ Hoisting Summary Table

Type	Hoisted?	Accessible before declaration
var	✓	undefined
let	✓	✗ Error
const	✓	✗ Error
Function declaration	✓	✓
Function expression	⚠	✗

Tasks (Hoisting)

Task 1

Predict the output:

```
console.log(a);
```

```
var a = 20;
```

Task 2

Predict the output:

```
hello();
```

```
function hello() {
```

```
    console.log("Hi");
```

```
}
```

Task 3

Predict the output:

```
console.log(b);
```

```
let b = 10;
```

PART 2: CLOSURES

◆ What is a Closure? (Theory)

A **closure** is:

A function that **remembers variables from its outer scope**, even after the outer function has finished executing.

 Simple words:

Inner function remembers outer variables

◆ Basic Closure Example

```
function outer() {  
  let count = 0;  
  
  function inner() {  
    count++;  
    console.log(count);  
  }  
  
  return inner;  
}  
  
const counter = outer();  
  
counter();  
counter();  
counter();
```

Output

2

3

Why?

- outer() finished execution
- BUT inner() still remembers count

→ That memory is a **closure**

◆ Closure with Parameters

```
function multiplier(x) {  
  return function(y) {  
    return x * y;  
  };  
}
```

```
const double = multiplier(2);  
console.log(double(5));
```

Output

10

◆ Closure in setTimeout

```
function timer() {  
  let message = "Hello after delay";  
  
  setTimeout(() => {  
    console.log(message);  
  }, 2000);  
}
```

```
timer();
```

Output (after 2 seconds)

Hello after delay

- ✓ message is remembered
 - ✓ This is closure + async
-

◆ Common Closure Mistake (var in loops)

```
for (var i = 1; i <= 3; i++) {  
    setTimeout(() => {  
        console.log(i);  
    }, 1000);  
}
```

Output

4
4
4

Why?

- var has **function scope**
 - Same i shared
-

✓ Fix using let

```
for (let i = 1; i <= 3; i++) {  
    setTimeout(() => {  
        console.log(i);  
    }, 1000);  
}
```

Output

1

2

3

◆ Real-world Use of Closures

- ✓ Data hiding (private variables)
 - ✓ Counters
 - ✓ Event handlers
 - ✓ React hooks
-

Tasks (Closures)

Task 4

Create a function `createCounter()` that:

- Starts from 0
 - Increases by 1 every time it's called
-

Task 5

Create a function `greet(name)` that returns another function which prints:

Hello <name>

Task 6 (Think carefully 🧠)

Predict the output:

```
function test() {  
  let x = 10;  
  return function () {  
    console.log(x);  
  };  
}
```

```
const fn = test();
```

```
fn();
```

FINAL COMPARISON (Very Important)

Concept Key Idea

Hoisting Declarations moved to top

Closure Function remembers outer variables

MASTER TASK (Must Try)

Write a program that:

1. Uses **hoisting**
 2. Uses **closure**
 3. Uses **setTimeout**
 4. Prints numbers 1 to 3 correctly after 1 second
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What Next?

You now understand:

- ✓ Execution context
- ✓ Scope
- ✓ Memory
- ✓ Async behavior

Next powerful topics:

- JavaScript Event Loop (VERY IMPORTANT)
- Scope chain
- this keyword
- How JavaScript works internally

Tell me what you want next — you're learning the **right way** 