

the Master Course

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JS & DOM

Introduction

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Learning Objectives

Understand the HTML & DOM structure

To be able to apply changes to the DOM by responding to user interaction



DOM

Lets look at...

... Creating new Elements

createElement

DOM

This method creates a HTML element specified by tag name

HTML

```
<h1>To Do List</h1>
<input id="todoInput" type="text">
<button id="submitBtn">Submit</button>
<ul id="list">
  <li>Wake up</li>
  <li>Eat Breakfast</li>
</ul>
```

To Do List

- Wake up
- Eat Breakfast

createElement

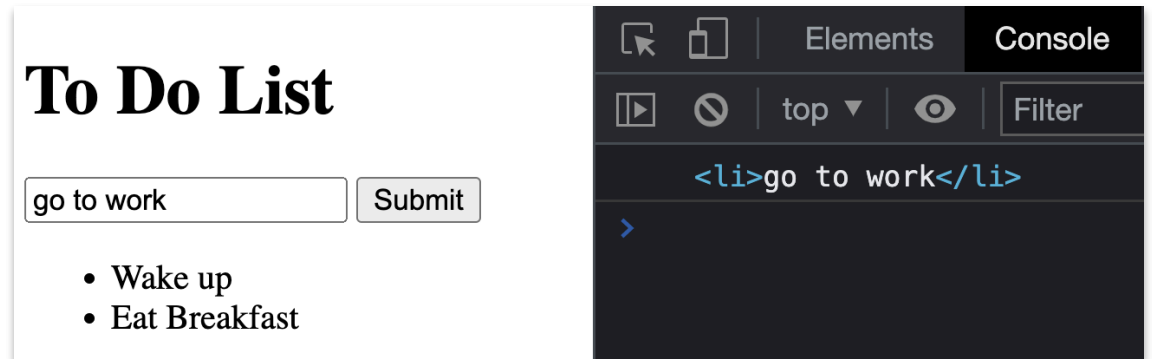
DOM

createElement creates the element but doesn't add it to the page.
For now its stored in the listItem variable

JS

```
const submitBtn = document.getElementById('submitBtn')
const input = document.getElementById('todoInput')

submitBtn.addEventListener('click', () => {
  const listItem = document.createElement("li")
  listItem.textContent = input.value
  console.log(listItem)
})
```



appendChild

DOM

This method adds an element to the end of another element. In this case it adds the li element to the end of the ul

JS

```
const submitBtn = document.getElementById('submitBtn')
const input = document.getElementById('todoInput')
const list = document.getElementById('list')

submitBtn.addEventListener('click', () => {
  const listItem = document.createElement("li")
  listItem.textContent = input.value
  list.appendChild(listItem)
})
```

To Do List

- Wake up
- Eat Breakfast
- go to work



DOM

Lets look at...

... Removing Elements

removeChild

DOM

This method removes a specified child from a specified element

HTML

```
<h1>To Do List</h1>
<input id="todoInput" type="text">
<button id="submitBtn">Submit</button>
<button id="removeBtn">Remove Last Item</button>
<ul id="list">
  <li>Wake up</li>
  <li>Eat Breakfast</li>
</ul>
```

To Do List

- Wake up
- Eat Breakfast

removeChild

DOM

Target the element you want to delete, then target its parent element. In this case we remove the last li from the ul

JS

```
const removeBtn = document.getElementById('removeBtn')

removeBtn.addEventListener('click', () => {
  const lastListItem = document.querySelector("li:last-child")
  list.removeChild(lastListItem)
})
```

To Do List

- Wake up



After remove button is clicked



DOM

Lets look at...

... `setTimeout()`

setTimeout

DOM

This method calls a function after a specified number of milliseconds. 1 second = 1000milliseconds

HTML

```
<h1 id="heading"></h1>
<button id="surpriseBtn">Click for Surprise!</button>
```

JS

```
const surpriseBtn = document.getElementById('surpriseBtn')
const heading = document.getElementById('heading')

surpriseBtn.addEventListener('click', () => {
  heading.textContent = 'SURPRISE!'
  setTimeout(() => {
    heading.textContent = ''
  }, 1000);
})
```

Click for Surprise!

Text then disappears
after 1 second



SURPRISE!

Click for Surprise!

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DOM

Lets look at...

... adding event listeners to
multiple elements

Multiple event listeners DOM

Targeting each li element and giving each one a separate event listener to do the same thing isn't DRY code

HTML

```
<h1>To Do List</h1>
<input id="todoInput" type="text">
<button id="submitBtn">Submit</button>
<ul id="list">
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  <li>Eat Breakfast</li>
</ul>
```

To Do List

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- Eat Breakfast

forEach

DOM

This method calls a function for each element in an array. The function takes a parameter which is a name for the current value

JS

```
const list = document.getElementById('list')
const allListItems = document.querySelectorAll('li')

allListItems.forEach((listItem) => {
  listItem.addEventListener('click', (event) => {
    list.removeChild(event.target)
  })
});
```

To Do List

- Wake up
- Eat Breakfast

Removes li that's clicked



To Do List

- Eat Breakfast

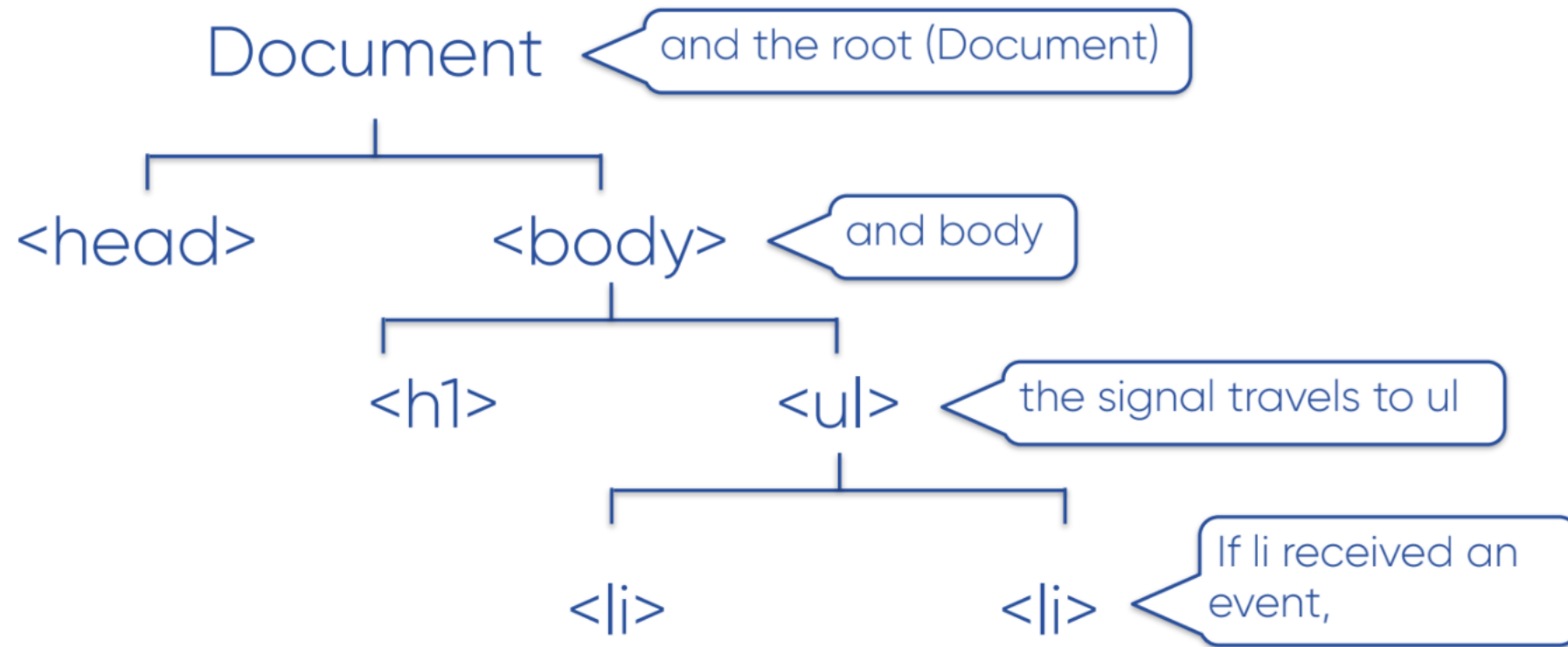


DOM

Event Bubbling

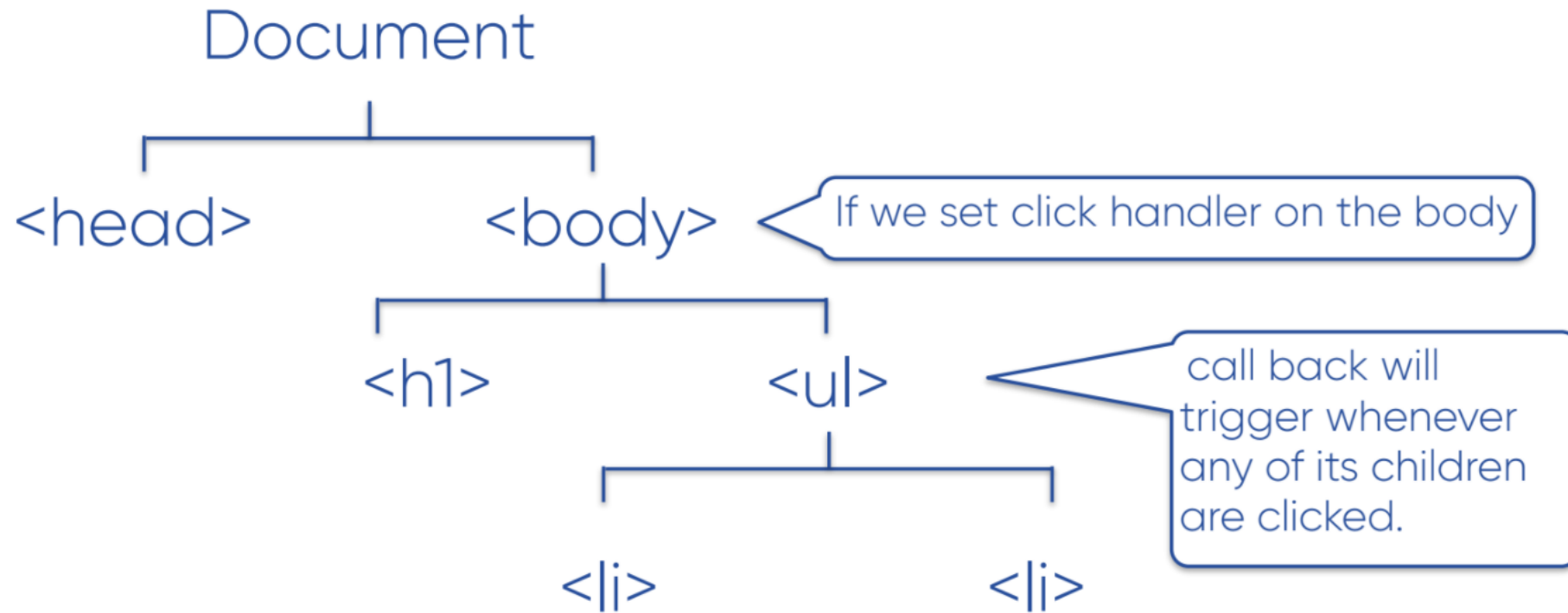
Li receiving a signal

DOM



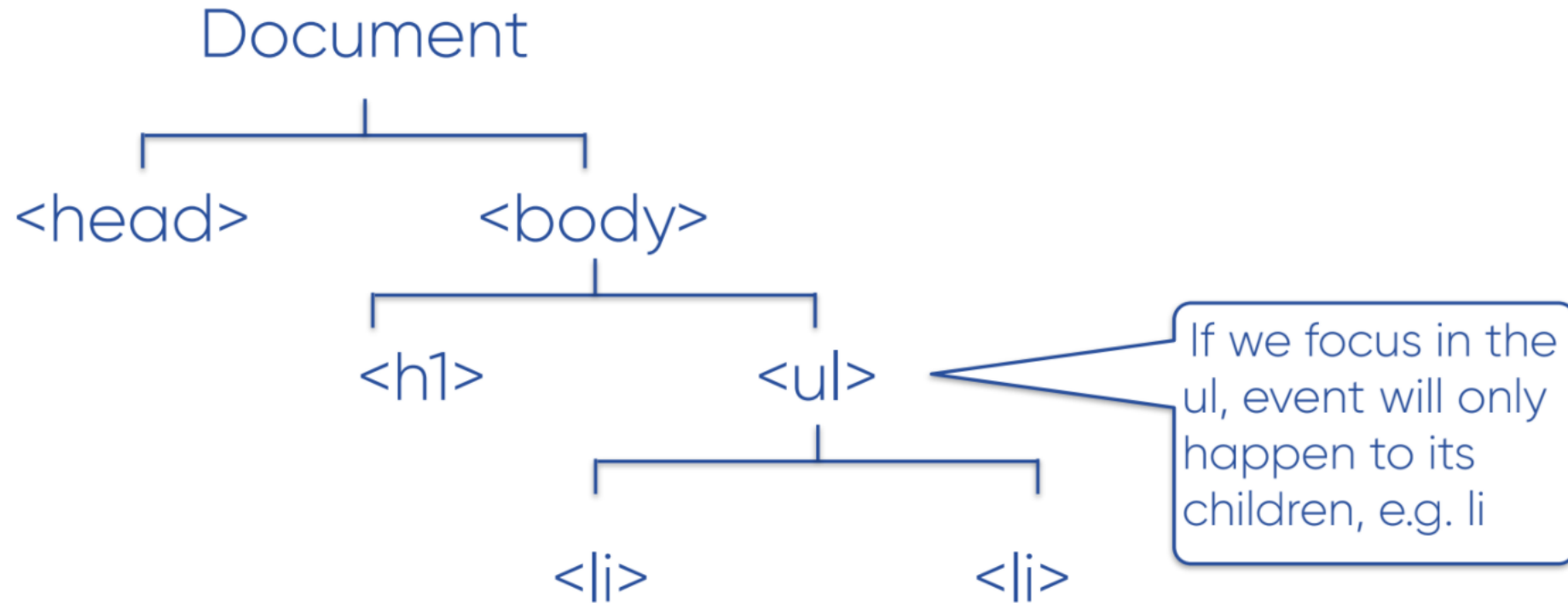
Setting click handler on the body

DOM



Setting click handler on the ul

DOM



Using event bubbling

DOM

We can make use of the `event.target` property to identify the child element we are currently interacting with

JS

```
const list = document.getElementById('list')

list.addEventListener('mouseover', (event) => {
  event.target.textContent = event.target.textContent.toUpperCase()
})
```

To Do List

- Wake up
- EAT BREAKFAST

Li turns uppercase on mouseover



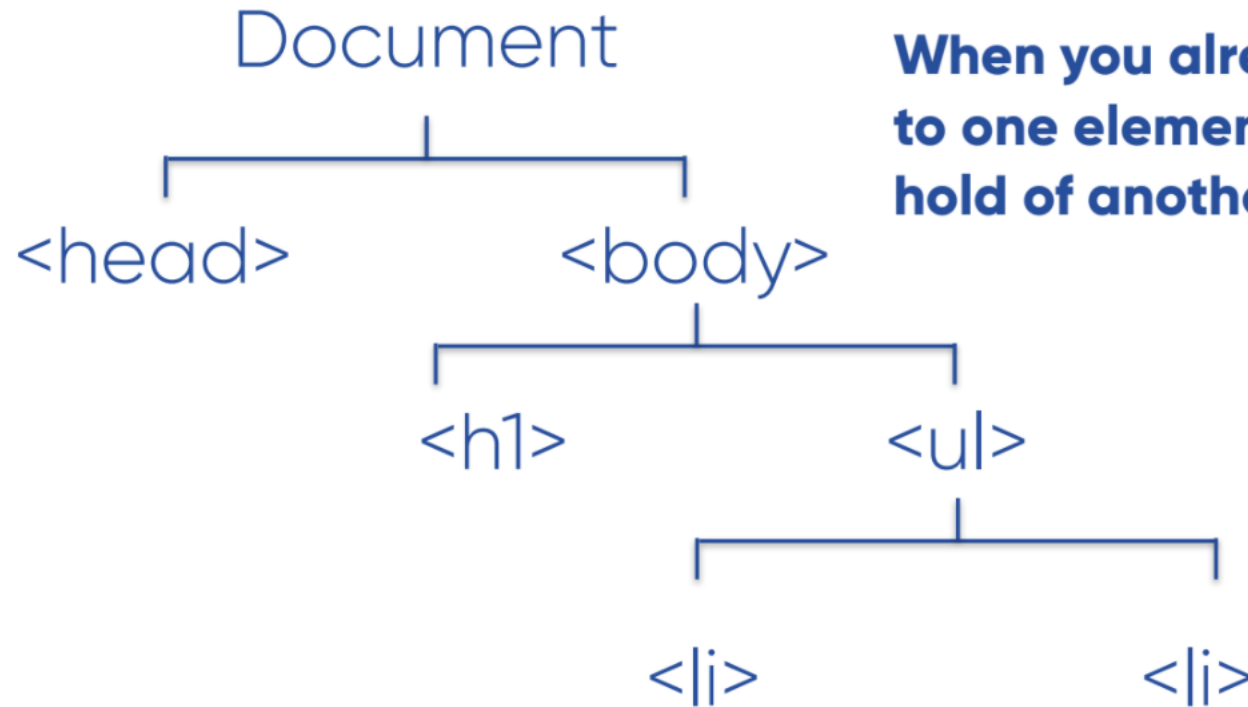
DOM

Lets look at...

... DOM Traversal

DOM Traversal

DOM



When you already have a reference to one element and you need to get hold of another element nearby.

*It is a way to move from one part of the DOM to another and select an element based on its relationship to another element

parentNode

DOM

This property returns the parent element of a specified element

HTML

```
<div>
  <h1>My Pop-Up Box</h1>
  <p>Some text</p>
  <button id="closeBtn">Close Pop-Up</button>
</div>
<button id="openBtn">Open Pop-Up</button>
```

My Pop-Up Box

Some text

Close Pop-Up

Open Pop-Up

parentNode

DOM

We can access the parent element without needing to select another HTML element. In this case the parent is the div

JS

```
const closeBtn = document.getElementById('closeBtn')

closeBtn.addEventListener('click', () => {
  closeBtn.parentNode.style.display = 'none'
})
```

My Pop-Up Box

Some text

Close Pop-Up

Open Pop-Up

Div is hidden on close
button click



Open Pop-Up

previousElementSibling DOM

This property returns the previous HTML element in the same tree level. In this case the open button's previous sibling is the div

JS

```
const openBtn = document.getElementById('openBtn')

openBtn.addEventListener('click', () => {
  openBtn.previousElementSibling.style.display = 'block'
})
```

Div is visible on open button click



Open Pop-Up

My Pop-Up Box

Some text

Close Pop-Up

Open Pop-Up

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