**JAVASCRIPT**

JavaScript is a scripting language; the scripts are present in HTML pages, and they run on any devices that has a JavaScript engine. It was created to make web pages alive.

The browser has embedded engine called ‘JavaScript Virtual Machine’.

It is used for client-side validation purposes.

**How do engines works:**

* The engines reads scripts.
* Then scripts are converted to machine code.
* And then machine code runs.

There are two ways to add JavaScript(JS) in HTML page; they are internal JS by using <script> tag, and other way is external JS file linking using <script> tag with providing the path of the file to source(src) attribute. It can be inserted anywhere in the HTML page. Within the <head> tag or within the <body> tag.

VARIABLES:

Variables are like a container which are used to store the data or information in it. There are three ways to declare a variable in JS by using var, let, and const keywords.

We can’t declare variable names to pre-defined keywords of JS. We can reassign variable value to any type of value as many times as we want. But constant variables can’t be re-initialized.

DATATYPES:

Datatypes tells what type of data stored in the variable. There are Eight datatypes

in JavaScript. JavaScript is dynamically typed language it means we can change the type of data stored in various. Datatypes are: number, null, string, symbol, Boolean, BigInt, and undefined are called primitive types because they can contain only single value.

Objects: Objects are special datatypes used to store collections of data.

typeOf operator or typeOf() is used to check what type of data is stored in a variable.

Seven primitive datatypes:

1. number: to store numbers of any kind integer or floating numbers.
2. null: if value of the variable is unknown then use null type. The typeOf null basically shows object not null.
3. bigint: to store numerical values with arbitrary length.
4. string: to sequence of characters of any length.
5. boolean: used for storing true/false values.
6. undefined: if variable declared but not assigned any value then is undefined.
7. symbol: used for unique identifiers.

INTERACTION:

The interaction functions are useful for interaction with user. Interaction functions are alert(), prompt(), and confirm().

Alert: The alert is used to show messages to the user. The mini window with message is called modal window. The modal window is because the user can’t interact with rest of the page until respond to the mini window.

Prompt: The prompt is an interaction function used to take the input from the user. It takes two arguments title of the prompt function and second one is optional default value. Any values that are read from the user using prompt is usually in string type.

Confirm: The confirm interaction function is used to take decision. It shows two buttons OK and Cancel. The result is true if OK is pressed and false if Cancel is pressed.

FUNCTIONS:

Functions are the main building blocks of the program. Functions allow the task to be done repeatedly without repeating the code. Functions are used to perform specific task.

There are two types of functions are there built in functions and user defined functions. Functions declaration looks like:

function functionName(){

Statements…..

}