

C# Continue Statement with Examples

In c#, the **Continue** statement is used to pass control to the next iteration of loops such as for (/tutorial/csharp/csharp-for-loop-with-examples), while (/tutorial/csharp/csharp-while-loop-with-examples), or foreach (/tutorial/csharp/csharp-foreach-loop-with-examples) from the specified position by skipping the remaining code.

In the previous chapter, we learned the break statement in c# (/tutorial/csharp/csharp-break-statement-with-examples). The main difference between the break (/tutorial/csharp/csharp-break-statement-with-examples) statement and the **continue** statement is, the break (/tutorial/csharp/csharp-break-statement-with-examples) statement will completely terminate the loop or statement execution. Still, the **continue** statement will pass control to the next iteration of the loop.

Syntax of C# Continue Statement

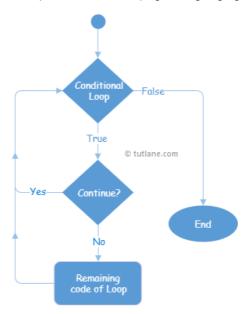
Following is the syntax of defining a continue statement in c# programming language.

continue;

We can use the **continue** statement in our applications whenever we want to skip the code's execution from a particular position and send back the control to the next iteration of the loop based on our requirements.

C# Continue Statement Flow Chart

Following is the pictorial representation of the **continue** statement process flow in the c# programming language.



Now we will see how to use the **continue** statement in for (/tutorial/csharp/csharp-for-loop-with-examples) loop, while (/tutorial/csharp/csharp-while-loop-with-examples) loop, do-while (/tutorial/csharp/csharp-do-while-loop-with-examples) loop, and with switch statement in c# programming language with examples.

C# For Loop with Continue Statement

In c#, by using the **continue** keyword, we can skip further code execution and send back control to the next iteration of for (/tutorial/csharp/csharp-for-loop-with-examples) loop statement based on our requirements.

Following is the example of using a continue statement with for (/tutorial/csharp/csharp-for-loop-with-examples) loop in c# programming language.

```
Console.WriteLine("Press Enter Key to Exit..");
Console.ReadLine();
}
}
}
```

If you observe the above code, we used a **continue** statement to pass control back to the next iteration of for (/tutorial/csharp/csharp-for-loop-with-examples) loop whenever the variable **i** value equals **3**.

When we execute the above c# program, we will get the result below.

```
i value: 1
i value: 2
i value: 4
Press Any Key to Exit..

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```

If you observe the above result, whenever the variable i value equals 3, it skips the further execution of statements and passes the control back to the next iteration of for (/tutorial/csharp/csharp-for-loop-with-examples) loop.

This is how we can use the **continue** statement in for (/tutorial/csharp/csharp-for-loop-with-examples) loop to skip the further execution of statements and send the control back to the further iteration of for loop based on our requirements.

C# While Loop with Continue Statement

In c#, we can stop executing further statements from the specified position and immediately send the control back to the further iteration of the while (/tutorial/csharp/csharp-while-loop-with-examples) loop.

Following is the example of using the **continue** keyword in a while (/tutorial/csharp/csharp-while-loop-with-examples) loop to pass the control to the next iteration of the loop in the c# programming language.

If you observe the above example, whenever the variable (i) value becomes 2, we are skipping the further execution of statements and pass the control back to the further iteration of the while (/tutorial/csharp/while-loop-with-examples) loop using the **continue** statement.

When we execute the above c# program, we will get the result below.



This is how we can use the continue statement with a while (/tutorial/csharp/csharp-while-loop-with-examples) loop to pass the control back to the further iteration of the loop based on our requirements.

C# Do-While Loop with Continue Statement

Following is the example of using the **continue** keyword in the do...while (/tutorial/csharp/csharp-do-while-loop-with-examples) loop to pass the control to the next iteration of the loop in c# programming language.

```
using System;
namespace Tutlane
     class Program
         static void Main(string[] args)
             int i = 1;
             do
              {
                 Console.WriteLine("i value: {0}", i);
                 i++;
                 if (i == 2)
                     continue;
             } while(i < 4);</pre>
             Console.WriteLine("Press Enter Key to Exit...");
             Console.ReadLine();
         }
     }
}
```

If you observe the above example, whenever the variable (i) value becomes 2, we are skipping the further execution of statements and pass the control back to the further iteration of the loop using the **continue** statement.

When we execute the above c# program, we will get the result below.

```
i value: 1
i value: 2
i value: 3
Press Enter Key to Exit...
```

This is how we can use the **continue** statement with the do...while (/tutorial/csharp/csharp-do-while-loop-with-examples) loop to pass the control back to the further iteration of the loop based on our requirements.

This is how we can use the **continue** statement in our c# applications to stop the execution of further statements from the specified position and pass control back to the next iteration of the loop based on our requirements.

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