

JavaScript V: OOP













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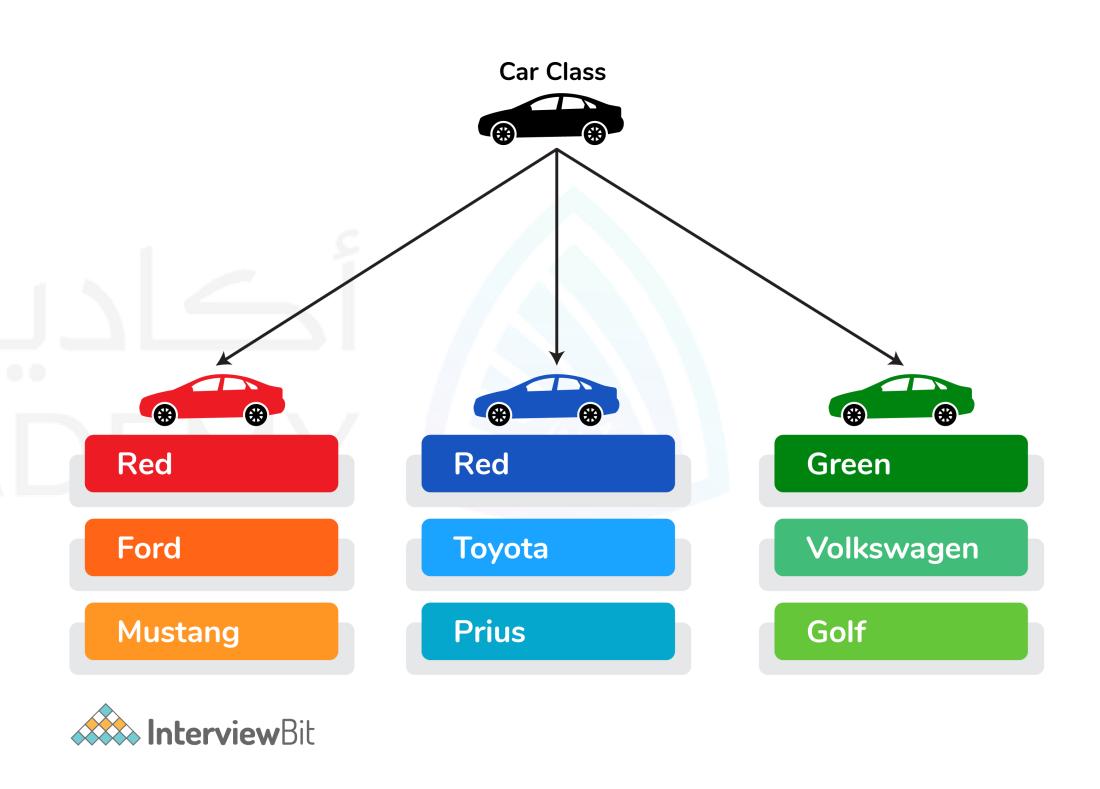




What is Object Oriented Programming

* We as humans think in terms of objects.

Object Oriented programming (OOP) is a programming paradigm that relies on the concept of classes and objects.





JavaScript Objects

- JS is an object-based language
- OOP serves to allow the components of your code to be as modular as possible.
- * Benefits:
 - Shorter development time
 - ➤ Easier debugging



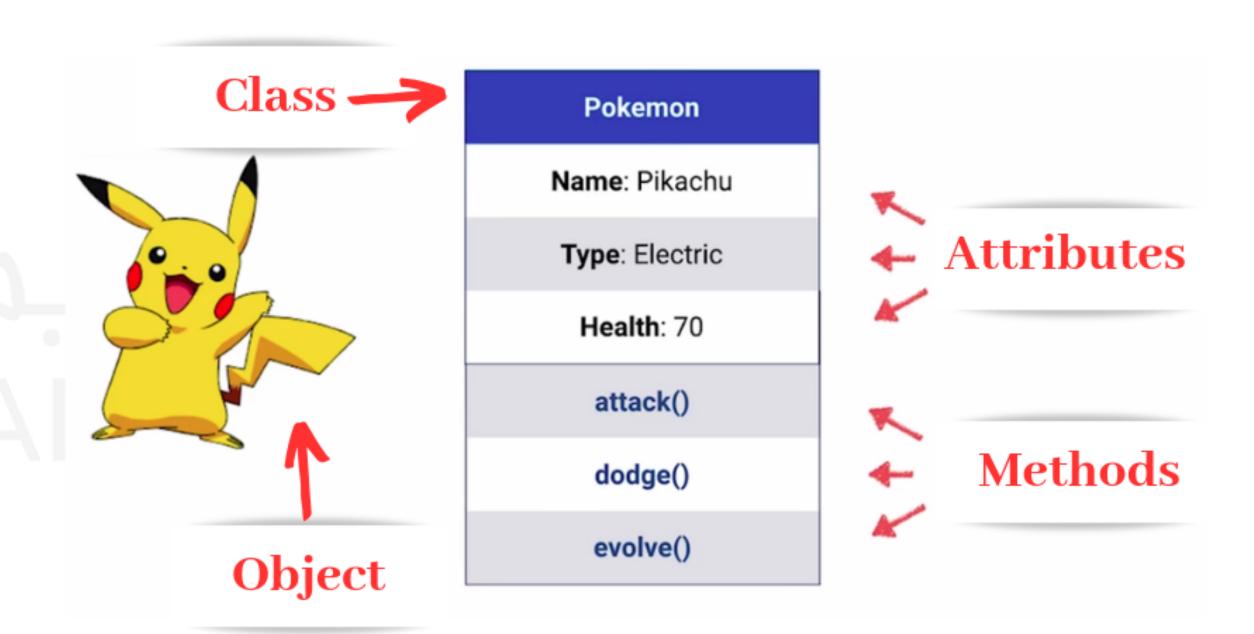
Procedural Programming vs. OOP

Procedural Programming	OOP
Waterfall sequence	System is designed in terms of objects which communicate with each other to accomplish a given task
Data are separate from the code	Data and code are encapsulated into a single module. Data is passed to modules using methods



How do we Design OOP Systems?

- Class: blueprint from which objects are made and consists of data and the code that manipulates it
- Attributes: characteristics of an object
- Methods: a function related to an object





Creating Defined Objects

There is 2 methods to create defined objects:

Method 1:Using Object Literal

```
let car = {
brand:"Porsche",
model:"GT3",
year:2004,
colour:"White",
howOld:function(){getFullYear()-this.year;}
};
```

Attributes:

Property	Value
Brand	Porsche
Model	GT3
Year	2004
Colour	White



Creating Defined Objects

Method 2: Using Object Constructor:

```
function carDescription(brand, model, year, colour) {
  this.brand = brand;
  this.model = model;
  this.year = year;
  this.colour = colour;
};
let car = new carDescription("Porsche", "GT3", 2012, "White");
let car2 = new carDescription("Ford", "Fiesta", 2015, "Red");
let car3 = new carDescription("Opel", "Corsa", 2014, "White");
```

- To change the colour: car.colour = "Black";
- To delete properties of an object: deletecar.colour;



Some Objects that you have Already Encountered

- Most of the built-in code that you have worked with so far has used objects.
- When you use code such as

```
let htmlSelect = document.getElementById('personList')
```

you have been using the document object

Every time you create an array, you are actually creating an array object that is defined by an array class



Function meets Object

Let's consider the declaration of an object with implementation through a function.

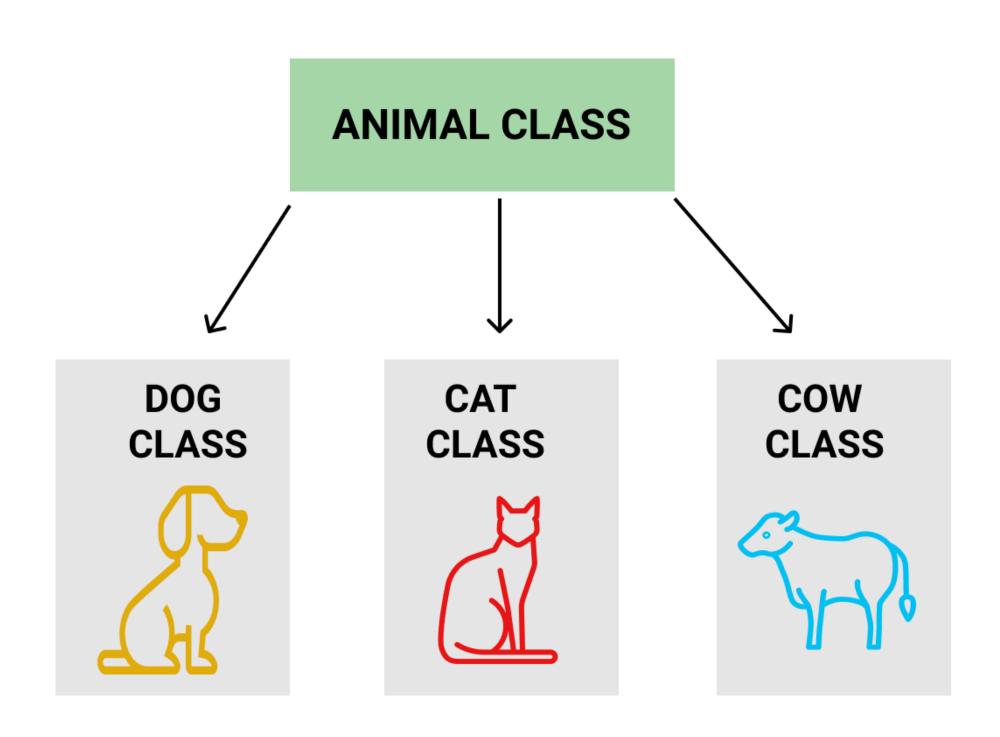
```
let loaded = {};
loaded.testing = function(signal) {
  alert("Hello World! " + signal);
  loaded.signal = signal;
}
loaded.testing("This page has loaded!");
```



Inheritance

Inheritance is a mechanism in which one class acquires the property of another class.

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