Code Formatting Guidelines

* Java naming conventions apply to activities (camelCase for vars and methods, CamelCase for classes, ALL CAPS for constants)
* XML attributes should be all lowercase with \_ for spaces (xml\_string)
* Tabs not spaces
* Keep descriptions and o simple and concise
* Keep comments up-to-date and accurate when changes are made
* Identify with comments areas that need fixing, testing or further implementation
* Tags for Javadoc must be in the following order

**@author (classes and interfaces only, required)**

**@version (classes and interfaces only, required)**

**@param (methods and constructors only)**

**@return (methods only)**

**@exception or @throws**

**@see**

* Each method must have clear Javadoc using an @author to identify the main programmer for each method
* Additional comments may need to be added into method body to explain ambiguous parts to other programmers.

/\*\*

\* Returns an Image object that can then be painted on the screen.

\* The url argument must specify an absolute [{@link URL}](http://www.oracle.com/technetwork/articles/java/index-137868.html#{@link}). The name

\* argument is a specifier that is relative to the url argument.

\* <p>

\* This method always returns immediately, whether or not the

\* image exists. When this applet attempts to draw the image on

\* the screen, the data will be loaded. The graphics primitives

\* that draw the image will incrementally paint on the screen.

\*

\* [@param](http://www.oracle.com/technetwork/java/javase/documentation/index-137868.html#@param) url an absolute URL giving the base location of the image

\* [@param](http://www.oracle.com/technetwork/java/javase/documentation/index-137868.html#@param) name the location of the image, relative to the url argument

\* [@return](http://www.oracle.com/technetwork/java/javase/documentation/index-137868.html#@return) the image at the specified URL

\* [@see](http://www.oracle.com/technetwork/java/javase/documentation/index-137868.html#@see) Image

\*/

public Image getImage(URL url, String name) {

try {

return getImage(new URL(url, name));

} catch (MalformedURLException e) {

return null;

}

}

* Documentation for Javadoc can be found here: <http://www.oracle.com/technetwork/articles/java/index-137868.html>