

What is OOP?

- **Paradigm:** Programming based on "objects"
- **Objects:** Contain data (attributes) and code (behaviors)
- **Contrast:** Procedural Programming (focus on functions)
- **Goal:** Model real-world entities and their interactions



Four Pillars of OOP

- **Encapsulation:** Bundling data and methods, hiding internal details.
- **Inheritance:** Creating new classes from existing ones.
- **Polymorphism:** Objects taking on many forms.
- **Abstraction:** Showing only essential information.



Encapsulation

- **Definition:** Wrapping data and methods into a single unit (class)
- **Purpose:** Protect data, reduce complexity
- **Example**

```
class BankAccount
{
    private decimal balance;
    public void Deposit(decimal amount) { balance += amount;}
    public decimal GetBalance() {return balance;}
}
```



Abstraction

- **Definition:** Hiding internal details and showing only essential features
- **Purpose:** Simplify interface, reduce complexity
- **Example:**

```
abstract class Animal
{
    public abstract void Speak();
}
class Dog : Animal
{
    public override void Speak() { Console.WriteLine("Bark"); }
}
```



Inheritance

- **Definition:** Ability of one class to inherit from another class
- **Purpose:** Reuse code, hierarchical classification
- **Example:**

```
class Vehicle
{
    public void Start() { Console.WriteLine("Starting...");}
}
class Car : Vehicle
{
    public void Drive() { Console.WriteLine("Driving...");}
}
```



Polymorphism

- **Definition:** One interface, many implementations
- **Purpose:** Code flexibility and reusability
- **Example:**

```
class Animal
{
    public virtual void Speak() { Console.WriteLine("Animal sound");}
}
class Cat : Animal
{
    public override void Speak() { Console.WriteLine("Meow"); }
}
Animal pet = new Cat();
pet.Speak(); // Outputs: Meow
```



OOP Pillars

- Recap of Four Pillars:
 - **Encapsulation:** Protect data
 - **Abstraction:** Hide complexity
 - **Inheritance:** Reuse logic
 - **Polymorphism:** Reuse interface



Benefits of OOP

- **Modularity:** Code organized into self-contained units.
- **Reusability:** Classes can be reused in different parts of an application.
- **Maintainability:** Easier to debug and update.
- **Scalability:** Easier to extend and grow.
- **Real-World Modeling:** Intuitive representation of complex systems.



Class: The Blueprint

- **Definition:** A template or blueprint for creating objects.
- Defines structure (fields/data) and behavior (methods).
- **Example:** `Car` class defines what a car *is* (color, model) and *does* (start, stop).
- **Syntax:**

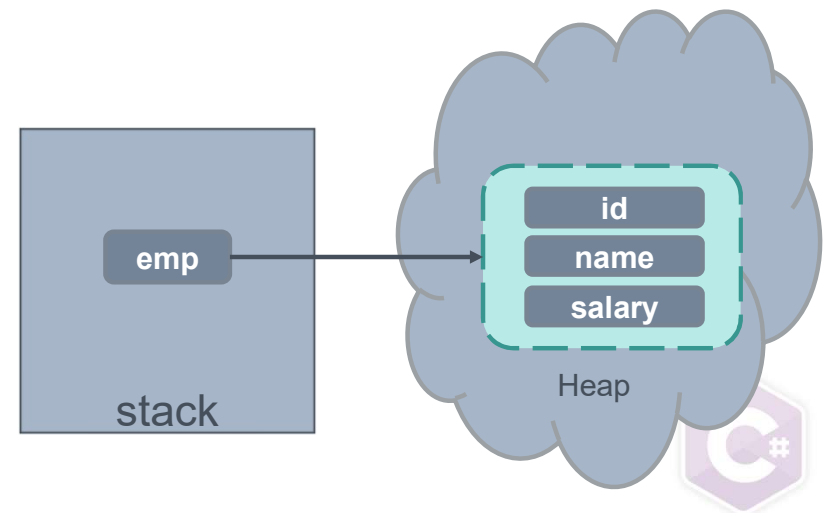
```
class ClassName
{
    // Members (fields, properties, methods)
}
```



Object: The Instance

- **Definition:** A concrete instance of a class.
- A real-world entity created from the class blueprint.
- **Example:** Your specific **red Honda Civic** is an object of the **Car** class.
- **Creation:** Using the **new** keyword.
- **Syntax:**

```
ClassName objectName = new ClassName();
```



Fields (Instance Variables)

- **Definition:** Variables declared directly within a class.
- Represent the state or data of an object.
- **Example:** `private string _model;`
- **Best Practice:** Keep fields `private` (encapsulation).



Methods (Behaviors)

- **Definition:** Functions defined within a class.
- Represent the actions an object can perform.
- **Example:** `public void Accelerate() { ... }`
- **Review:** Access modifiers, return types, parameters (from Day 1).
- `set` , `get` methods



Access Modifiers: Controlling Visibility

- **Purpose:** Control accessibility of class members.
- **public:** Accessible from anywhere.
- **private:** Accessible only within the defining class. (Default for members)
- **protected:** Accessible within defining class and by derived classes.



Access Modifiers: Controlling Visibility

- **internal**: Accessible only within the same assembly. (Default for classes)
- **protected internal**: Accessible within same assembly OR by derived classes.
- **private protected**: Accessible within defining class AND by derived classes in same assembly.



Properties: Encapsulated Access

- **Purpose:** Safe and flexible access to private fields.
- **Encapsulation:** Primary mechanism in C# for controlled data access.
- **Syntax:**

```
public DataType PropertyName
{
    get { /* return field; */ }
    set { /* field = value; */ }
}
```

- **get** accessor: Reads value.
- **set** accessor: Writes value (**value** keyword).



Properties: Types and Examples

- **Read-only Properties:** Only get accessor.
- **Auto-Implemented Properties (Auto-Properties):**
 - Shorthand when no custom logic needed.
 - Compiler creates private backing field.
 - Example: `public string Name { get; set; }`
 - Could be initialized `public float Salary { get; set; }=1000;`
 - Why??
- **Property Validation:** Add logic in `set` (e.g., `if (value < 0) throw ...`).
- **Caution:** properties ***can't*** be passed to method as `ref` or `out`



Constructors: Object Initialization

- **Definition:** Special methods called when an object is created.
- **Characteristics:**
 - Same name as the class.
 - No return type (not even **void**).
 - Automatically called by **new** .
- **Default Constructor:** Provided if no explicit constructor.
 - Auto initialize fields to default values
- **Parameterized Constructors:** Take arguments to initialize fields.



Constructors: Examples

```
public class Person
{
    public string Name { get; set; }
    public int Age { get; set; }
    // Parameterized Constructor
    public Person(string name, int age)
    {
        Name = name;
        Age = age;
    }
}
```

- **Constructor Overloading:** Multiple constructors with different parameters.
- **this keyword:** Refers to current instance; used for constructor chaining.



Instance Methods vs. Static Methods

■ Instance Methods:

- Operate on a specific object instance.
- Access instance fields (`this`).
- Example: `person.Walk()`;

■ Static Methods:

- Belong to the class itself, not an object.
- Called using class name: `Math.Sqrt()`, `Console.WriteLine()`.
- Cannot access instance members directly.
- Used for utility functions.



Method Overloading (Review)

- **Concept:** Multiple methods with the same name but different parameter lists.
- **Purpose:** Provide similar functionality for different inputs.
- **Example:**

```
public int Add(int a, int b) { ... }  
public double Add(double a, double b)  
{ ... }
```



Object Initializer

□ Instantiate An Object (create an Object)

□ Through Constructor

```
Employee emp = new Employee();  
Employee emp2 = new Employee(20, "Ahmed", 20000);
```

□ Through Object Initializer

- Default constructor Called first then setting member variable

```
Employee emp = new Employee{id=20 ,name="Ahmed", salary=20000};
```



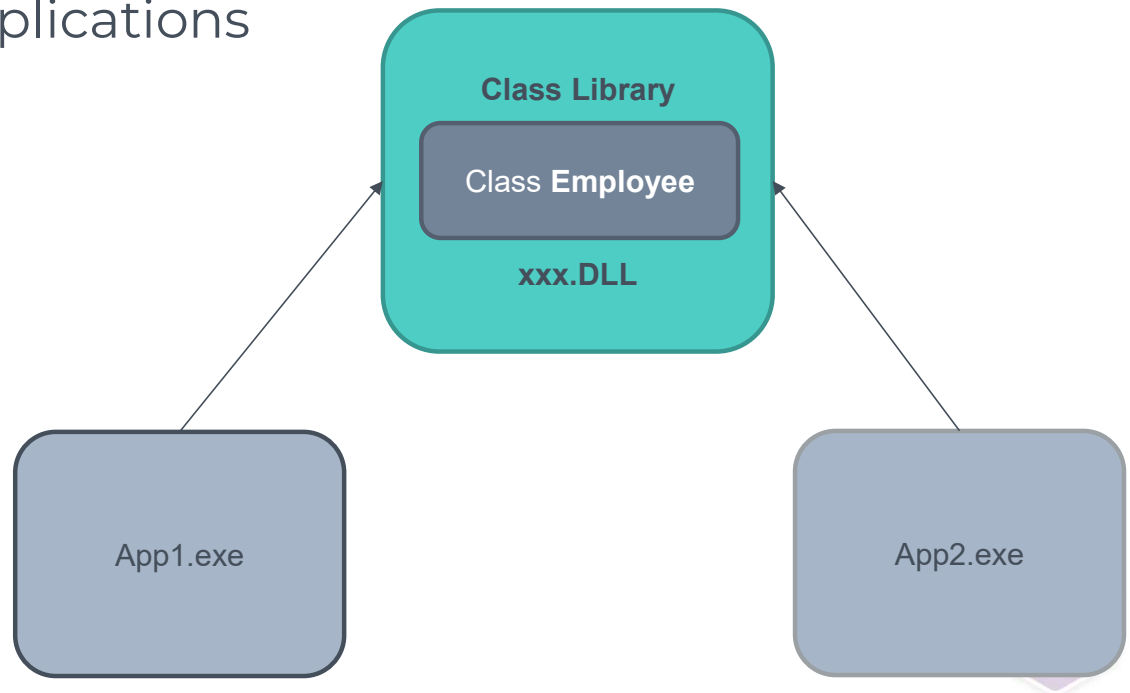
Namespace & Class Access Modifier

- Container for related data types
- Assembly (exe or DLL) could contain One namespace (at least) or more
- Namespace could contain namespace(s)
- For use a data type contained in namespace other than current namespace
 - Full name of data type *namespace . DatatypeName*
 - Using namespace;



Class Library

- A class library is used to enable sharing Data Types (ex: classes) among applications
- Demo
 - Creating class library
 - Using class library



Class Diagram

□ Demo



Assignment

- ▣ Design a class represents Employee
 - Name
 - ID
 - Salary
 - DisplayData() method
 - Age as a property ($18 \leq \text{age} \leq 60$)
- ▣ Adding the employee class to class library and used in menu program



Assignment

- Design a class that represent a **Stack** Data Structure that contain
 - Data
 - Array of integers (to store values)
 - Size (init property)
 - Top_of_Stack
 - Actions
 - Push
 - full
 - Pop
 - empty

