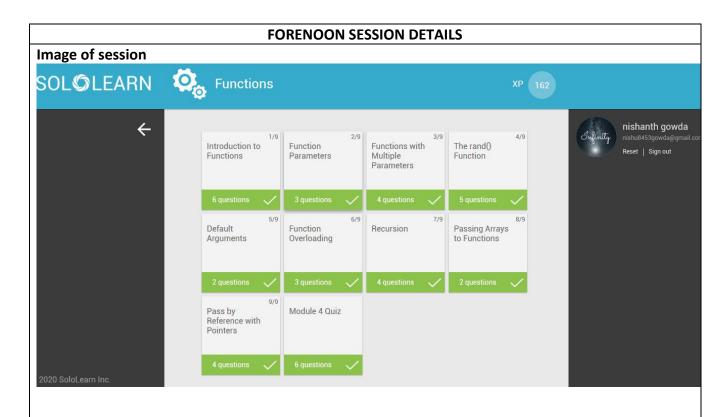
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Functions

A function is a group of statements that perform a particular task.

You may define your own functions in C++.

Using functions can have many advantages, including the following:

- You can reuse the code within a function.
- You can easily test individual functions.
- If it's necessary to make any code modifications, you can make modifications within a single function, without altering the program structure.
- You can use the same function for different inputs.

Every valid C++ program has at least one function - the main() function.

Defining a Function

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Define a C++ function using the following syntax:return_type function_name( parameter list ) {
body of the function
}
```

return-type: Data type of the value returned by the function.

function name: Name of the function.

parameters: When a function is invoked, you pass a value to the parameter. This value is referred to as actual parameter or argument. The parameter list refers to the type, order, and number of the parameters of a function

body of the function: A collection of statements defining what the function does. Parameters are **optional**; that is, you can have a function with no parameters.

Multiple Parameters

You can define as many parameters as you want for your functions, by separating them with **commas**. Let's create a simple function that returns the sum of two parameters.int addNumbers(**int x, int y**) { // code goes here

As defined, the **addNumbers** function takes two parameters of type **int**, and returns **int**. **Data type** and **name** should be defined for each parameter.

Arrays and Functions

An array can also be passed to a function as an argument.

The parameter should be defined as an array using square brackets, when declaring the function.

For example:

```
void printArray(int arr[], int size) {
for(int x=0; x<size; x++) {
  cout <<arr[x];
}
}</pre>
```