

The Keywords let, const, and var:

The first three keywords you need to learn are const, let and var.

const is used to declare a constant.

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Ex:  const FIRST_NAME = "dave";  
      const PI = 3.14159;
```

The default recommendation in Javascript is to make all variables constants in Javascript first. Then make later variables **you know will change** declared by the keyword let. Const is considered to be first in priority.

Constant values are named in SCREAMING_SNAKE_CASE.

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Ex:  FIRST_NAME, STANDING_VALUE, PI, HELD_VALUE
```

let is used to declare a variable you know will change.

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Ex:  let valueZ = 35;  
      let enteredName = 'susan';
```

Variable values are named in snakeCase.

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Ex:  nextName, rotationValue, nextName
```

var was the old legacy way of declaring values.

var is discouraged from use due to issues related to scope. **const** and **let** are more similar to the way scope is used in C-related languages.

Var is presented here for informational purposes and due to the fact you may see it in older Javascript code. However, its use in new code creation **should be avoided**.