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1. JavaScript Shell

The first thing to notice is that the MongoDB shell is JavaScript-based. So you can do things like:

```
a = 5;
a * 10;
for(i=0; i<10; i++) { print('hello'); };
```

Try a few JS commands; when you're ready to move on, enter 'next'

```
> a=5
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> a *10;
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> for(i=0; i<10; i++) { print('hello'); };
```

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var student = {name: 'Jim', scores: [75, 99, 87.2]};
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Create some documents, then enter 'next'

```
> var a = {age: 25};
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{
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  "age" : 25
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}
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> var n = {name: 'Ed', languages: ['c', 'ruby', 'js']};
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{
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  "name" : "Ed",
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  "languages" : [ "c", "ruby", "js" ]
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}
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```
> var student = {name: 'Jim', scores: [75, 99, 87.2]};
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{
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  "name" : "Jim",
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  "scores" : [ 75, 99, 87.2 ]
```

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}
```

Once you've tried this, type 'next'.

```
> db.scores.save({a: 99});
```

"ok"

```
> db.scores.find()
```

```
[
  { "a" : 99, "_id" : { "$oid" : "5148c1bdcc93742c16034ffb" } },
  { "exam" : 5, "a" : 3, "_id" : { "$oid" : "5148c1facc93742c16034ffd" } },
  { "exam" : 5, "a" : 2, "_id" : { "$oid" : "5148c1facc93742c16034ffe" } },
  { "exam" : 5, "a" : 1, "_id" : { "$oid" : "5148c1facc93742c16034fff" } },
  { "exam" : 5, "a" : 5, "_id" : { "$oid" : "5148c1facc93742c16035000" } },
  { "exam" : 5, "a" : 6, "_id" : { "$oid" : "5148c1facc93742c16035001" } },
  { "exam" : 5, "a" : 7, "_id" : { "$oid" : "5148c1facc93742c16035002" } },
  { "exam" : 5, "a" : 4, "_id" : { "$oid" : "5148c1facc93742c16035003" } },
  { "exam" : 5, "a" : 8, "_id" : { "$oid" : "5148c1facc93742c16035004" } },
  { "exam" : 5, "a" : 0, "_id" : { "$oid" : "5148c1facc93742c16035005" } }
]
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```
> db.scores.find({a: 99});
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[
  { "a" : 99, "_id" : { "$oid" : "5148c1bdcc93742c16034ffb" } },
  { "a" : 99, "_id" : { "$oid" : "5148c469cc93742c1603507f" } }
]
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5. Basic Queries
You've already tried a few queries, but let's make them more specific.
How about finding all documents where a == 2:
  db.scores.find({a: 2});

Or what about documents where a > 15?
  db.scores.find({a: {'$gt': 15}});

> db.scores.find({a: {'$gt': 15}});

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  {   "a" : 99,   "_id" : {   "$oid" : "5148c1bdcc93742c16034ffb"   }   },
  {   "a" : 99,   "_id" : {   "$oid" : "5148c469cc93742c1603507f"   }   }
]
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  {   "a" : 99,   "_id" : {   "$oid" : "5148c469cc93742c1603507f"   }   },
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> db.scores.find({a: 2});

[
  {   "exam" : 5,   "a" : 2,   "_id" : {   "$oid" : "5148c1facc93742c16034ffe"   }   },
  {   "exam" : 5,   "a" : 2,   "_id" : {   "$oid" : "5148c48ecc93742c16035089"   }   }
]
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