The **JavaScript date** object can be used to get year, month and day. You can display a timer on the webpage by the help of JavaScript date object.

Date Object is created with new Date();

**Example :**

**<script>**

**var today=new Date();**

**document.write(“today is :” +today+”<br>);**

**today.getFullYear()**

**today.getMonth()**

**today.getDate()**

**today.getHours()**

**today.getMinutes()**

**today.getSeconds()**

**today.getMilliseconds()**

**today.getTime()**

**today.setDate(20)**

**document.write(“today is : “ + today);**