

[Video 1] Project Overview

Build a library system where:

1. The library can have Books, magazines and Journals.
2. Some types of items can be loaned and some are only for reading at library.
3. Users (Members : Students, Professors) can borrow and return different types of Library items.
4. Books have categories (Fiction, Non-fiction, Academic).
5. A loan management system keeps track of issued books.
6. Implement features like late fees and borrowing limits.

Milestone A : Represent User structure

- Create the Base **User** Class
 - Add Constructors to **User**
 - Create a Subclass **Member**
 - Create a Subclass **Librarian**
 - Implement **generateUniqueId** using Static and Final Concepts
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Task 1: Create the Base **User** Class

Objective: Introduce abstract classes, encapsulation, and basic object-oriented principles.

1. **Step 1.1:** Define a class **User** with the following private attributes:
 - **String** **userId**
 - **String** **name**
 - **String** **contactInfo**
 2. **Step 1.2:** Add getter and setter methods for **name** and **contactInfo**.
 - **Challenge:** Use encapsulation by keeping attributes private and accessing them through getters/setters.
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Task 2: Add Constructors to **User**

Objective: Explore constructors (default, parameterized, and copy).

1. **Step 2.1:** Implement:
 - A **default constructor** that initializes **userId** using **generateUniqueId method** (We can return 0 from this method for now)
 - A **parameterized constructor** that initializes **name** and **contactInfo**.
 - A **copy constructor** that copies attributes from another **User**.
 2. **Step 2.2:** Test constructors by creating instances using all three constructors in a test class.
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Task 3: Make **User** an Abstract Class

Objective: Understand the concept of abstract classes and polymorphism.

1. **Step 3.1:** Mark **User** as **abstract** and declare the following abstract methods:
 - **void displayDashboard()**
 - **boolean canBorrowBooks()**
 2. **Step 3.2:** Explain why these methods are abstract and how they enable polymorphism.
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Task 4: Create a Subclass **Member**

Objective: Implement inheritance and method overriding.

1. **Step 4.1:** Create a concrete subclass **Member** that extends **User**.
2. **Step 4.2:** Add the following private attributes:
 - **int borrowedBooksCount**
 - A constant **MAX_BORROW_LIMIT = 5**
3. **Step 4.3:** Override the abstract methods:
 - **displayDashboard()** should display **Member Dashboard** and **Books Borrowed: X**.
 - **canBorrowBooks()** should return **true** if **borrowedBooksCount < MAX_BORROW_LIMIT**.
4. **Step 4.4:** Add constructors to initialize **Member**.

Task 5: Create a Subclass **Librarian**

Objective: Implement additional subclass-specific functionality.

1. **Step 5.1:** Create a subclass **Librarian** that extends **User**.
2. **Step 5.2:** Add the private attribute **String employeeNumber**.
3. **Step 5.3:** Override the abstract methods:
 - **displayDashboard()** should display **Librarian Dashboard** and the **employeeNumber**.
 - **canBorrowBooks()** should always return **true**.
4. **Step 5.4:** Add methods for librarian-specific actions:
 - **void addNewBook(Book book)**
 - **void removeBook(Book book)**
 - Leave implementations as comments for now.

Task 6: Demonstrate Static and Final Concepts

Objective: Understand **static** and **final** concepts with practical use.

Resource for Static : <https://www.scaler.com/topics/static-keyword-in-java/>

Resource for Final : <https://www.scaler.com/topics/java/final-keyword-in-java/>

1. **Step 6.1:** Add a static counter **totalUsers** and a method **getTotalUsers()** to track the total number of users.
 - **Challenge:** Use a static variable to maintain state across instances.
 2. **Step 6.2:** Write a **generateUniqueId()** method to create unique user IDs. Mark this method as **final** to prevent overriding.
 3. **Step 6.3:** Verify that:
 - The **generateUniqueId** method cannot be overridden in subclasses.
 - The **totalUsers** counter accurately tracks the number of users.
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[Video 3] Task 1 Solution :

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package library.management.system.users;

// Abstract base User class demonstrating abstract methods and inheritance
public abstract class User {
    // Private attributes with encapsulation
    private String userId;
    private String name;
    private String contactInfo;

    // Static counter for total users
    private static int totalUsers = 0;

    // Default constructor
    public User() {
        this.userId = generateUniqueId();
    }

    // Parameterized constructor
    public User(String name, String contactInfo) {
        this.name = name;
        this.contactInfo = contactInfo;
        this.userId = generateUniqueId();
    }

    // Copy constructor demonstrating object copying
    public User(User other) {
        this.name = other.name;
        this.contactInfo = other.contactInfo;
        this.userId = generateUniqueId();
    }

    // Static method to get total users
    public static int getTotalUsers() {
        return totalUsers;
    }
}
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    }

    // Final method that cannot be overridden
    public final String generateUniqueId() {
        totalUsers++;
        return "USER-" + totalUsers;
    }

    // Abstract methods for polymorphic behavior
    public abstract void displayDashboard();
    public abstract boolean canBorrowBooks();

    // Getters and setters
    public String getUserId() {
        return userId;
    }

    public String getName() {
        return name;
    }

    public void setName(String name) {
        this.name = name;
    }
}

// Concrete User subclasses demonstrating inheritance
public class Member extends User {
    private int borrowedBooksCount;
    private static final int MAX_BORROW_LIMIT = 5;

    public Member() {
        super();
    }

    public Member(String name, String contactInfo) {
        super(name, contactInfo);
        this.borrowedBooksCount = 0;
    }

    @Override
    public void displayDashboard() {
        System.out.println("Member Dashboard");
    }
}

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        System.out.println("Books Borrowed: " + borrowedBooksCount);
    }

    @Override
    public boolean canBorrowBooks() {
        return borrowedBooksCount < MAX_BORROW_LIMIT;
    }
}

public class Librarian extends User {
    private String employeeNumber;

    public Librarian(String name, String contactInfo, String
employeeNumber) {
        super(name, contactInfo);
        this.employeeNumber = employeeNumber;
    }

    @Override
    public void displayDashboard() {
        System.out.println("Librarian Dashboard");
        System.out.println("Employee Number: " + employeeNumber);
    }

    @Override
    public boolean canBorrowBooks() {
        return true; // Librarians have special privileges
    }

    // Additional Librarian-specific methods
    public void addNewBook(Book book) {
        // Implementation for adding new books
    }

    public void removeBook(Book book) {
        // Implementation for removing books
    }
}

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Task 1: Create the **Lendable** Interface

Objective: Introduce interfaces and compile-time polymorphism.

1. **Step 1.1:** Define the **Lendable** interface with the following methods:
 - `boolean lend(User user)`
 - `void returnBook(User user)`
 - `boolean isAvailable()`
 2. **Step 1.2:** Explain the purpose of interfaces and how they enable **compile-time polymorphism**.
 3. **Step 1.3:** Create a basic test class to simulate borrowing a book by defining a dummy class that implements **Lendable**.
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Task 2: Implement the Abstract **Book** Class

Objective: Explore abstract classes, encapsulation, and method overriding.

1. **Step 2.1:** Create the **Book** class that implements **Lendable**. Add the following private attributes:
 - `String isbn`
 - `String title`
 - `String author`
 - `boolean isAvailable`
 2. **Step 2.2:** Implement the methods from **Lendable**:
 - `lend(User user)`: If the book is available and the user can borrow, mark the book as unavailable and return `true`.
 - `returnBook(User user)`: Mark the book as available.
 - `isAvailable()`: Return the availability status.
 3. **Step 2.3:** Explain why the class is abstract and add an abstract method `void displayBookDetails()`.
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Task 3: Add Constructors to the **Book** Class

Objective: Practice constructor overloading and copying.

1. **Step 3.1:** Add the following constructors:
 - A **default constructor** that initializes `isAvailable` to `true`.
 - A **parameterized constructor** to initialize `isbn`, `title`, and `author`.
 - A **copy constructor** to create a new **Book** object from an existing one.
 2. **Step 3.2:** Test the constructors by creating objects using each constructor.
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Task 4: Create **TextBook** Class

Objective: Demonstrate inheritance and method implementation.

1. **Step 4.1:** Define the **TextBook** class as a subclass of **Book** with the following additional attributes:
 - `String subject`
 - `int edition`
 2. **Step 4.2:** Add a parameterized constructor to initialize all attributes, including those inherited from **Book**.
 3. **Step 4.3:** Override `displayBookDetails()` to display the textbook's details.
 4. **Step 4.4:** Test the **TextBook** class by creating an object and calling its methods.
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Task 5: Create **NovelBook** Class

Objective: Implement another concrete subclass to explore different book types.

1. **Step 5.1:** Define the **NovelBook** class as a subclass of **Book** with the additional attribute:
 - `String genre`
 2. **Step 5.2:** Add a parameterized constructor to initialize all attributes, including those inherited from **Book**.
 3. **Step 5.3:** Override `displayBookDetails()` to display the novel's details.
 4. **Step 5.4:** Test the **NovelBook** class by creating an object and calling its methods.
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Additional : Not to be talked about in class

Task 6: Demonstrate Polymorphism

Objective: Practice compile-time and runtime polymorphism.

1. **Step 6.1:** In a test class, create a list of Book objects containing TextBook and NovelBook instances.
 2. **Step 6.2:** Iterate over the list and call displayBookDetails() on each object to demonstrate **runtime polymorphism**.
 3. **Step 6.3:** Use a reference of type Lendable to borrow and return books to demonstrate **compile-time polymorphism**.
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Task 7: Implement Library Management Features

Objective: Extend functionality by combining classes.

1. **Step 7.1:** Add a Library class to manage a collection of Book objects. Include methods to:
 - Add a book.
 - Remove a book.
 - Display all books.
2. **Step 7.2:** Demonstrate lending functionality:
 - Allow users to borrow books using lend(User user) and return books using returnBook(User user).
3. **Step 7.3:** Add constraints:
 - Ensure only available books can be borrowed.
 - Prevent users from borrowing more than their limit (if they are a Member).

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Task 1: Set Up Collections

Objective: Understand and implement collections to manage system-wide data.

1. **Step 1.1:** Create a class `LibraryManagementSystem` with:
 - A `List<Book>` named `bookInventory` to store all books.
 - A `List<User>` named `registeredUsers` to store all registered users.
 2. **Step 1.2:** Explain the purpose of using collections
 3. **Step 1.3:** Add methods:
 - `addBook(Book book)` to add a book to `bookInventory`.
 - `registerUser(User user)` to add a user to `registeredUsers`.
 4. **Step 1.4:** Test the collections by adding a few books and users, then print their details.
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Task 2: Implement Search Functionality

Objective: Demonstrate compile-time polymorphism through method overloading.

1. **Step 2.1:** Add a static method `searchBooks(String criteria)` to search for books by title or author. Use a loop to iterate over `bookInventory` and add matching books to a result list.
 2. **Step 2.2:** Overload `searchBooks` with additional parameters:
 - `searchBooks(String criteria, String type)` for searching books of a specific type ("`TextBook`" or "`NovelBook`").
 - Implement this method to filter results based on the type of book.
 - [Java Enums](#)
 3. **Step 2.3:** Test the overloaded methods with different inputs and ensure they return correct results.
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Task 3: Integrate Book and User Management

Objective: Combine book and user features to demonstrate system functionality.

1. **Step 3.1:** In the `main` method:
 - Create a few instances of `TextBook` and `NovelBook`.
 - Add these books to the library using `addBook`.
2. **Step 3.2:** Create instances of `Member` and `Librarian`.
 - Register them using `registerUser`.

3. **Step 3.3:** Print the details of all books and users to verify the inventory and registration system.
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Task 4: Demonstrate Lending Functionality

Objective: Practice the interaction between users and books.

1. **Step 4.1:** Simulate lending a book:
 - Attempt to lend a `TextBook` to a `Member` using the `lend(User user)` method.
 - Print a success message if the lending operation is successful.
 2. **Step 4.2:** Add logic to handle the following scenarios:
 - A user attempts to borrow a book that is already lent.
 - A user exceeds their borrowing limit.
 3. **Step 4.3:** Test lending with different types of books and users.
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Task 5: Manage Returns

Objective: Complete the book borrowing cycle.

1. **Step 5.1:** Simulate returning a book:
 - Use the `returnBook(User user)` method to mark a book as available again.
 2. **Step 5.2:** Ensure the book can be lent to another user after it is returned.
 3. **Step 5.3:** Test the return functionality by printing the availability status of books before and after returning.
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Task 6: Advanced Features

Objective: Explore additional features to extend the system.

1. **Step 6.1:** Add a method `displayAllBooks` to print the details of all books in `bookInventory`.
2. **Step 6.2:** Add a method `displayRegisteredUsers` to print the details of all users in `registeredUsers`.
3. **Step 6.3:** Demonstrate searching:
 - Search for books by title or author using `searchBooks`.
 - Search for books by type using the overloaded method.