

CS 110

Python Basics, Printing, Input

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Announcements

- Groups and seating
- Videos for online component
- Prep 2 (due monday)

Variables

- We can assign names to particular values in our program
- When we give a value a name, this is called assigning a **variable**

The `input()` function

- The `input()` function is the second function introduced
 - The first one being `print()`
- The input function allows the programmer to read in a value from the user
- Now, we can make an interactive program!

Use replit if you don't have Python 3
and and IDE in your computer

replit.com

Change so that the user can customize the input

```
name  = 'Jim'  
age   = '35'  
print('Hello ' + name)  
print('you are', age, 'years old')
```

Change so that the user can customize the input

```
name  = input('What is your name? ')\nage   = input('How old are you? ')\nprint('Hello ' + name)\nprint('you are', age, 'years old')
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 - And now: `\n`

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- For example:

```
age = 32
```

```
years_in_service = 17
```

```
wing_width = 25
```

What will this print out?

```
name = 'Joe'
```

```
age = 35
```

```
inches = 72
```

```
print('Hello', name)
```

```
print('you are', age, 'years old')
```

```
print('and', inches, 'inches tall')
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```
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```



CScCScCScCScCScCScCScCScCSc

String Multiplication question

What will this print out? Don't use your computer, use the whiteboard!

```
print( '#' * 2)
```

```
print( '#' * 4)
```

```
print( '#' * 6)
```

```
print( '#' * 8)
```

String Multiplication question

What will this print out. Use your white board - no computers!

```
print(' ' * 5, 'A' * 1)
print(' ' * 4, 'B' * 3)
print(' ' * 3, 'C' * 5)
print(' ' * 2, 'D' * 7)
print(' ' * 1, 'E' * 9)
print(' ' * 0, 'F' * 11)
```

House printing

- Write a program that allows us to print out a house of various widths
- The user can tell the program how wide of a house to print

What size house should be printed? 3

```
  ^
 /   \
|   H   |
|_H_|
```

What size house should be printed? 7

```
      ^
 /         \
|           |
|       H   |
|_____H_____|
```

What size house should be printed? 12

```
              ^
 /                   \
|                           |
|                   H       |
|_____H_____
```

What size house should be printed? 0

```
  ^
 / \
|H|
|H|
```

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```
              ^
 /-----\
|                   |
|               H   |
|_____H_____|
```

What size house should be printed? 0

```
  ^
 / \
|H|
|H|
```

Step 1

- Write a program that just prints out one house size:

Here's a size 3 house:

```
      ^
    ____
   /      \
  |      H  |
  |      H  |
  |____|____|
```

Step 1

```
1  print("Here's a size 3 house:")
2  print("  ____^____")
3  print("/          \ ")
4  print("|      H      |")
5  print("|____H____|")
```

Step 2

- Next, change the program to grab an input value
 - (Can still print just the size 3 house)

What size house should be printed? **X**

```
  ^
  |
 /   \
|     |
|  H  |
|     |
|  H  |
|     |
```

```
1 print("Here's a size 3 house:")
2 print("  ^  ")
3 print("/      \ ")
4 print("|    H    |")
5 print("|__H__|")
```

Step 2

```
1 size = input('What size house should be printed? ')
2 print("  ____^____")
3 print("/          \ ")
4 print("|      H      |")
5 print("|____H____|")
```


Step 3

- Now, use this number to grow the width of the house

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 /             \
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 _ _ _ _
/       \
|       H       |
|       H       |
|_ _ _ _ _|
```

**Did you convert the input
value to an integer?**

What size house

```
      ^
 _ _ _ _ _
/           \
|           H           |
|           H           |
|_ _ _ _ _|
```

d be printed? 0

```
 / \
|H|
|H|
```

Converting an input value to a string

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```
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Does work:

```
width = int(input('enter width: '))\nprint('-' * width)
```

Commas and Concatenation

- Use **string concatenation** (+) instead of a **comma** (,)

```
print( '_' * 5, '^', '_' * 5 )
```



_____ ^ _____

```
print( '_' * 5 + '^' + '_' * 5 )
```



_____ ^ _____

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    |   |
    H   |
    H   |
```

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```
          ^
         / \
        |   |
        H   |
        H   |
```

What size house should be printed? 0

```
  ^
 / \
 |H|
 |H|
```

house.py

```
size = int(input('What size house should be printed? '))
print(' ' + '_' * size + '^' + '_' * size + ' ')
print('/' + ' ' * size + ' ' + ' ' * size + '\\')
print('|' + ' ' * size + 'H' + ' ' * size + '|')
print('|' + '_' * size + 'H' + '_' * size + '|')
```

Comments

- Lines starting in # are comments to the user
- You can leave comments for yourself, of future readers of your code!

```
# This is come code that will print out two lines of text  
print('He said, "What is up?")  
print("Joe's friend didn't reply.")
```


Comments

- It is typical to put a comment at the top of all code files
- This is called a **header comment** or **file comment**
- You should do this for all of your programs, including the **Movies** PA

```
#
```

```
# Author: Benjamin Dicken
```

```
# Class: CSc 110
```

```
# Description: A program that . . .
```

```
#
```

What does it print?

```
a = int(input('input a: '))    # 5
```

```
b = int(input('input b: '))    # 2
```

```
o = '#' * a + '\n'
```

```
t = '|' * a + '\n'
```

```
print(o * b + t * b)
```

What does this print?

```
a = int(input('input a: '))    # 10
```

```
b = int(input('input b: '))    # 1
```

```
o = '#' * a + '\n'
```

```
r = o * 2 + '\n\n'
```

```
print(o + r + o)
```