GUIs with Shoes

GUIs? More like Eewies!

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GUI



What is a GUI?

What is a GUI?

A GUI is a Graphical User Interface.

What is a GUI?

Your computer has a GUI, it is what you see and what you click and what you drag and what you interact with.

That is all the GUI!

Making a GUI

Let's make a GUI with Shoes using Hackety Hack.



```
Shoes.app do
para "Hello, Shoes!"
end
```

Para is short for paragraph!

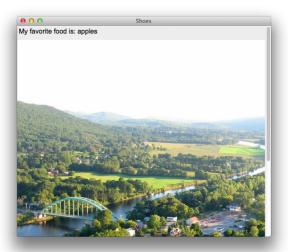
Add multiple paras to Shoes and see what happens.

```
Shoes.app do
stack do
para "Hello, Shoes"
para "Hello, Ruby"
para "Hello, Hackety Hack"
end
end
```

```
Shoes.app do
button "Push me!" do
alert "You pushed me!"
end
end
```

Add a button!

- 1. Go to Google Images and search for your favorite food or favorite animal.
- 2. Find that image and click "View Original Image".
- 3. Save the image to the Desktop.



```
Shoes.app do
   para "My favorite food is: apples"
   image "paste link to picture of apple"
end
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Was your image reeeaaaally big?

```
image "link to picture", :width => 200
```

You can specify the width and height of an image.

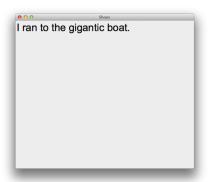
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Let's convert our mad libs into a Shoes GUI.

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```
verb = ask "Please enter a verb"
adjective = ask "Please enter an adjective"
noun = ask "Please enter a noun"
alert "I " + verb + " to the " + adjective + " " + noun + "."
```



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   para "I " + verb + " to the " + adjective + " " + noun + "."
end
```

Here is how it works as a Shoes application!

Let's convert our long mad lib to Shoes.

- 1. Keep the ask variables in the same place.
- 2. Add in some variables for typing in the image url.
- 3. Change the alerts to be paras.