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Servlet config - one per servlet

```
<servlet>
    <init-param>
        <param-name>
        <param-value>
getServletConfig()
```

Servlet context - shared between all servlets

```
<context-param>
    <param-name>
    <param-value>
getServletContext
```

```
<form action="/FrontController/" method="post">
    First name: <input type="text" name="fname"/><br>
    Last name: <input type="text" name="lname"/><br>
    <input type="submit" value="Submit"/>
</form>
request.getParameter("fname")
```

Resp.getWriter - gives us the PrintWriter used to write to the body of the response

Front Controller - one controller receives all requests and delegates the work out.

Req.getRequestDispatcher - used for forwarding the request

Forward vs redirect -

- in forward client is unaware (url does not change)
- In redirect the client has to send a second request (url changes)