

# Prototype in JS

## new keyword:

- Default behaviour of JS is prototypal.(access parent, grand parent... till it find the desired thing).
- this, new, classes ,prototypal inheritance comes from prototype.

```
> const newHero = ["hulk", "spiderman"]
< undefined
> newHero
< (2) ['hulk', 'spiderman']
  0: "hulk"
  1: "spiderman"
  length: 2
  [[Prototype]]: Array(0)
```

- if we expand the prototype (Array) we will get some methods, that comes with array

```
length: 2
[[Prototype]]: Array(0)
  ▶ at: f at()
  ▶ concat: f concat()
  ▶ constructor: f Array()
  ▶ copyWithin: f copyWithin()
  ▶ entries: f entries()
  ▶ every: f every()
  ▶ fill: f fill()
  ▶ filter: f filter()
  ▶ find: f find()
  ▶ findIndex: f findIndex()
  ▶ findLast: f findLast()
  ▶ findLastIndex: f findLastIndex()
  ▶ flat: f flat()
  ▶ flatMap: f flatMap()
  ▶ forEach: f forEach()
  ▶ includes: f includes()
  ▶ indexOf: f indexOf()
  ▶ join: f join()
```

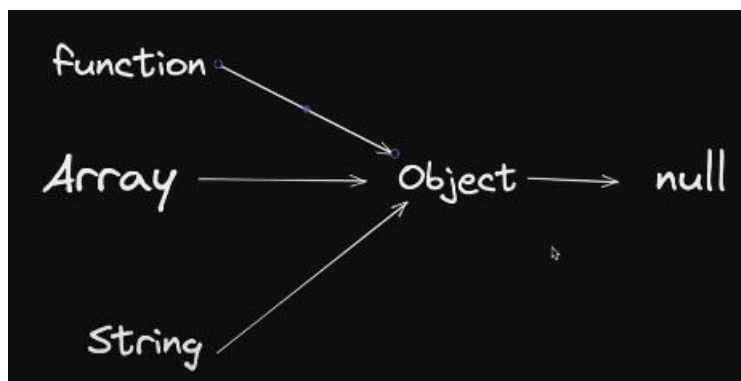
- prototypal behaviour means never lose, what else i can do.
- **prototypal inheritance** : If we didn't find here, we will go to parent if not there then grandparent. ...
- if we scroll till last we will get another prototype(object prototype)

```
▶ Symbol(Symbol.unscopables): {at: true, copyWithin: true, ...}
▶ [[Prototype]]: Object
```

we we expand this prototype we will get :

```
▼ [[Prototype]]: Object
  ▶ constructor: f Object()
  ▶ hasOwnProperty: f hasOwnProperty()
  ▶ isPrototypeOf: f isPrototypeOf()
  ▶ propertyIsEnumerable: f propertyIsEnumerable()
  ▶ toLocaleString: f toLocaleString()
  ▶ toString: f toString()
  ▶ valueOf: f valueOf()
  ▶ __defineGetter__: f __defineGetter__()
  ▶ __defineSetter__: f __defineSetter__()
  ▶ __lookupGetter__: f __lookupGetter__()
  ▶ __lookupSetter__: f __lookupSetter__()
  ▶ __proto__: (...)
  ▶ get __proto__: f __proto__()
  ▶ set __proto__: f __proto__()
```

- but now we didn't see any prototype.



Array/string prototype is object, but object prototype is none so null.

- In JS everything is an object , whatever property object have array/object inherit the same property.

- even function in JS are object.

```

> function multiplyBy5(num) {
  return num * 5;
}
< undefined
> console.log(multiplyBy5(5));
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< undefined
> console.log(multiplyBy5.power);
undefined
< undefined
> console.log(multiplyBy5.prototype);
▼ {constructor: f} ⓘ
  ▶ constructor: f multiplyBy5(num)
  ▼ [[Prototype]]: Object
    ▶ constructor: f Object()
    ▶ hasOwnProperty: f hasOwnProperty()
    ▶ isPrototypeOf: f isPrototypeOf()
    ▶ propertyIsEnumerable: f propertyIsEnumerable()
    ▶ toLocaleString: f toLocaleString()
    ▶ toString: f toString()
    ▶ valueOf: f valueOf()
    ▶ __defineGetter__: f __defineGetter__()
    ▶ __defineSetter__: f __defineSetter__()
    ▶ __lookupGetter__: f __lookupGetter__()
    ▶ __lookupSetter__: f __lookupSetter__()
    ▶ __proto__: (...)
    ▶ get __proto__: f __proto__()
    ▶ set __proto__: f __proto__()
  < undefined
>

```

We can see the function is also an object and it has prototype as well.

- prototype gives not only the methods, it also gives some internal property

-- The output of `console.log(multiplyBy5.prototype);`

gives us `{ }`, so it's empty.  
 When we do `this.name = name`, reference gets stored in `{ }` i.e., `{ this.name }`

