# Search Bars

Parsing Input

Toggling Elements

Creating a default input field in HTML:

<input class=searchbar type="text" placeholder="Search For a Project.." >

Туре	Value
button	defines a clickable button
checkbox	defines a checkbox
color	defines a colorpicker
file	defines a file-select field and 'Browse' button
image	defines a formatted file-select field for images
email / password	defines a formatted text field for email / passwords
text	defines a text field

Types are browser-dependent.

A color picker will look different in IE than in Chrome...

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## Parsing Input

```
$(document).ready(function(){

$(".searchbar").keyup(function(event) {

   var k = $(this).val();

   loadData(k);

});
});
```

keyup() is called whenever a key is pressed and passes the resulting string to loadData()

## Parsing Input

```
$(document).ready(function(){

$(".searchbar").keyup(function(event) {

   var k = $(this).val();

   console.log(k);

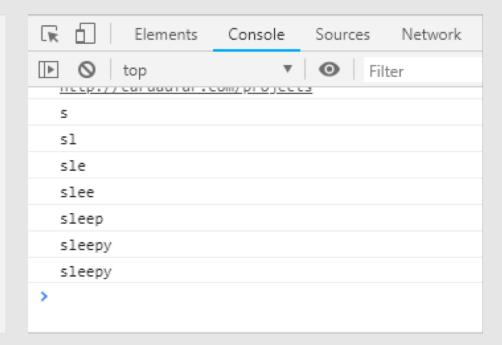
});

});
```

What would happen if I typed 'sleepy' into the searchbar?

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```
$(document).ready(function(){
    $(".searchbar").keyup(function(event) {
       var k = $(this).val();
       console.log(k);
    });
});
```



Every keypress triggers the event handler. Eager execution.

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### **Toggling Elements**

Assuming all HTML elements stored in toggleElems, we can write a simple search-toggle algorithm:

```
function loadData( str ) {
  var param = str.toLowerCase();
  param = '' + param;
  for(var i = 0; i < toggleElems.length; i++) {
     $(toggleElems[i]).css('display', 'none');
                                                               Turn all elements off
                                                               Turn param element on
 $(param).addClass('display', 'inline-block');
```

#### **Toggling Elements**

```
function loadData( str ) {
  var param = str.toLowerCase();
  param = " + param;

$('.family').children().css('display', 'none');
  $(param).addClass('display', 'inline-block');
}
```

Assuming each div is a square with the color corresponding to its name (except family), what would result in calling loadData('green')?

### Homework Ideas

☐ Insert input fields such as searchbars in HTML.

- ☐ Have JQuery receive and log the output. Verify this by inspecting elements.
- ☐ Include a toggle button that shows certain divs when clicked.

#### Live Demo

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