Dev Tools: ESlint

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ESLint

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As pluggable linting utility for JavaScript

About ESLint

- a type of static analysis that is frequently used to find problematic patterns or code that doesn't adhere to certain style guidelines.
- JavaScript, being a dynamic and loosely-typed language, is especially prone to developer error.
- Linting tools like ESLint allow developers to discover problems with their JavaScript code without executing it.
- The primary reason ESLint was created was to allow developers to create their own linting rules.
- ESLint is written using Node.js to provide a fast runtime environment and easy installation via npm.
- [npm] Eslint-config-airbnb-base
- [npm] Eslint-config-airbnb

Philosophy

- Everything is pluggable (rule and formatter api used by bundled and custom rules)
- Additional rules and formatters can be specified at runtime by // enable //disable
- Standalone rules, can be turned on/off or set to warning or error level individually

Error levels:

- 0 off ("off")
- 1 warning ("warn")
- 2 error ("error") // breaks the build



ESlint installation

Installation - Part 1

Requirements:

NODE.js, Project folder

Checking the latest versions

\$ npm info "eslint-config-airbnb@latest" peerDependencies

Dependencies

- eslint
- eslint-plugin-import
- eslint-plugin-jsx-a11y
- eslint-plugin-react
- eslint-config-airbnb-base
- eslint-loader // for webpack

Installation - Part 2

In project folder:

```
$ yarn add eslint eslint-plugin-import eslint-plugin-jsx-a11y
eslint-plugin-react eslint-config-airbnb-base eslint-loader --dev
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```

```
$ npm install --save-dev eslint eslint-plugin-import
eslint-plugin-jsx-a11y eslint-plugin-react eslint-config-airbnb-base
eslint-loader
```

Global install

```
$ npm install -g eslint
```

Installation - Part 3 - Webpack

In webpack.config.js:

```
module: {
     rules: [
        // eslint
           enforce: 'pre',
           test: /\.js$/,
           loader: 'eslint-loader',
           options: {
             configFile: path.join(__dirname, '.eslintrc'),
```

ESlint usage

Simple .eslintrc configuration file

```
"ecmaFeatures": {
 "isx": true,
 "modules": true
"env": {
 "browser": true,
 "node": true
"parser": "babel-eslint",
"rules": {
 "quotes": [2, "single"],
 "strict": [2, "never"],
 "react/isx-uses-vars": 2,
"plugins": [
 "react"
"extends": [
 "plugin:react/recommended",
  "airbnb-base"
```

ecmaFeatures - an object indicating which additional language features you'd like to use.

env - An environment defines global variables that are predefined.

parser - A wrapper around the Babel parser that makes it compatible with ESLint.

Rules - ESLint comes with a large number of rules. You can modify which rules your project uses either using configuration comments or configuration files. To change a rule setting, you must set the rule ID equal to one of these values: 0, 1, 2

Plugins - plugin is an npm package that usually exports rules

Extends - extends a set of rules from base configurations.

Changing Rules

change an inherited rule's severity without changing its options:

Base config: "eqeqeq": ["error", "allow-null"]

Derived config: "eqeqeq": "warn"

Resulting actual config: "eqeqeq": ["warn", "allow-null"]

override options for rules from base configurations:

Base config: "quotes": ["error", "single", "avoid-escape"]

Derived config: "quotes": ["error", "single"]

Resulting actual config: "quotes": ["error", "single"]

Disabling Rules in code

Inline Comments

```
/* eslint-disable */
alert('foo');
/* eslint-enable */
```

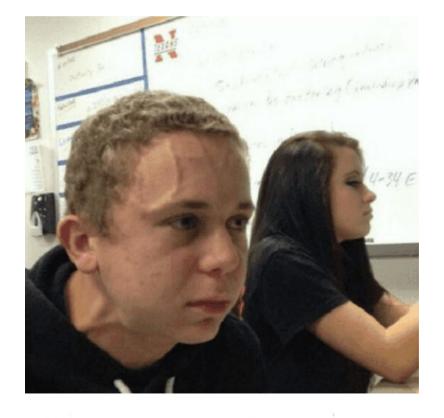
```
/* eslint-disable no-alert,
no-console */
alert('foo');
console.log('bar');
/* eslint-enable no-alert,
no-console */
```

Disabling Rules in code

Inline Comments

```
alert('foo'); // eslint-disable-line no-alert, quotes, semi
// eslint-disable-next-line
alert('foo');
```

Rules Explained



TRAILING SPACES NOT ALLOWED

"prefer-destructuring": 1,

```
// bad
Const name = this.state.name
Const company = this.state.company
// good
Const {name, company} = this.state;
Let arr = [1,2,3,4]
// bad
const first = arr[0];
const second = arr[1];
// good
const [first, second] = arr;
var a, b, rest;
[a, b] = [10, 20];
console.log(a); // 10
console.log(b); // 20
[a, b, ...rest] = [10, 20, 30, 40, 50];
console.log(a); // 10
console.log(b); // 20
console.log(rest); // [30, 40, 50]
```

```
// bad
function getFullName(user) {
  const firstName = user.firstName;
  const lastName = user.lastName;
  return `${firstName} ${lastName}`;
 // good
function getFullName(user) {
  const { firstName, lastName } = user;
  return `${firstName} ${lastName}`;
 // best
function getFullName({ firstName, lastName }) {
  return `${firstName} ${lastName}`;
```

"arrow-parens": [2, "always"],

Bad

```
a => {};
a => a;
a => {'\n'};
a.then(foo => {});
a.then(foo => a);
a(foo => { if (true) {} });
```

Good

```
() => {};
(a) => {};
(a) => a;
(a) => {'\n'}
a.then((foo) => {});
a.then((foo) => { if (true) {} });
```

"arrow-parens": [2, "as-needed", { "requireForBlockBody": true }],

Bad

```
(a) => a;
a => {};
a => {'\n'};
a.map((x) => x * x);
a.map(x => {
  return x * x;
});
a.then(foo => {});
```

Good

```
(a) => \{\};
(a) => \{' \mid n' \};
a => (\{\});
() => \{\};
a => a;
a.then((foo) => \{\});
a.then((foo) => { if (true) {} });
a((foo) => { if (true) {} });
(a, b, c) => a;
```

"arrow-body-style": [2, "always"]

Bad

```
(a) => a;
a => {};
a => {'\n'};
a.map((x) => x * x);
a.map(x => {
  return x * x;
});
a.then(foo => {});
```

Good

```
(a) => \{\};
(a) => \{' \mid n' \};
a => (\{\});
() => \{\};
a => a;
a.then((foo) => \{\});
a.then((foo) => { if (true) {} });
a((foo) => \{ if (true) \{ \} \});
(a, b, c) => a;
```



"Object-shorthand": 2

```
// bad
const atom = {
  value: 1,
  addValue: function (value) {
   return atom.value + value;
  },
 // good
const atom = {
 value: 1,
  addValue(value) {
   return atom.value + value;
  },
```

```
const lukeSkywalker = 'Luke Skywalker';
 // bad
 const obj = {
   lukeSkywalker: lukeSkywalker,
 };
 // good
 const obj = {
   lukeSkywalker,
 };
```

Do not call Object.prototype methods directly

```
// very bad
const original = \{a: 1, b: 2\};
const copy = Object.assign(original, { c: 3 }); // this mutates `original`
delete copy.a; // so does this
// bad
const original = \{a: 1, b: 2\};
const copy = Object.assign(\{\}, original, \{ c: 3 \}); // copy => \{ a: 1, b: 2, c: 3 \}
// good
const original = \{a: 1, b: 2\};
const copy = \{ ... \text{ original, c: 3 } \}; // \text{ copy } = > \{ \text{ a: 1, b: 2, c: 3 } \}
const \{a, ...noA\} = copy; // noA => \{b: 2, c: 3\}
```

Use array spreads ... to copy arrays.

```
// bad
const len = items.length;
const itemsCopy = [];
let i;
for (i = 0; i < len; i += 1) {
itemsCopy[i] = items[i];
// good
const itemsCopy = [...items];
```

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// good
const itemsCopy = [...items];
```

Use line breaks after open and before close array brackets if an array has multiple lines

```
// bad
                                                            // good
const arr = [
                                                            const arr = [[0, 1], [2, 3], [4, 5]];
  [0, 1], [2, 3], [4, 5],
                                                            const objectInArray = [
 const objectInArray = [{
  id: 1,
                                                                 id: 1,
 }, {
                                                               },
  id: 2,
 }];
                                                                 id: 2,
 const numberInArray = [
  1, 2,
 ];
                                                            const numberInArray = [
                                                            ];
```

Function Signatures

```
// bad
                                     // bad
                                     console.log(foo,
function foo(bar,
  baz,
                                                 bar,
                                                 baz);
  quux) {
                                     // good
                                     console.log(
// good
function foo(
                                        foo,
  bar,
                                        bar,
                                        baz,
   baz,
  quux,
```



Our .eslintrc config

Rules Explained

```
"key-spacing": [1, {
     "singleLine": {
       "beforeColon": false,
       "afterColon": true
     },
     "multiLine": {
       "beforeColon": false,
       "afterColon": true
     },
     "align": {
       "beforeColon": false,
       "afterColon": true,
       "on": "value"
   }],
```

```
static propTypes = {
               PropTypes.object,
   user:
   className: PropTypes.string,
              PropTypes.bool,
   isActive:
   toggleNav: PropTypes.func,
              PropTypes.func,
   signOut:
 };
```

```
"quote-props": [2, "consistent"],
                                                         "comma-dangle": [1, "always-multiline"],
// Always use same quotes
                                                         // requires trailing commas when the last element
                                                         or property is in a different line than the closing ]
                                                         or }
                                                         // bad
                                                         var foo = {
"class-methods-use-this": 0,
                                                              bar: "baz",
                                                              qux: "quux"
// If a class method does not use THIS , it can
                                                           };
sometimes be made into a static function
                                                           var foo = { bar: "baz", qux: "quux", };
class A {
                                                         // good
    foo() {
                                                         var foo = {
       this.bar = "Hello World"; // OK, this is used
                                                              bar: "baz",
                                                              qux: "quux",
                                                           };
// exception constructor and static func.
                                                           var foo = { bar: "baz", qux: "quux" };
```

```
"eol-last": 0,
                                                         "import/no-mutable-exports": 0,
                                                         // Forbids the use of mutable exports with 'var' or
// Doesn't require empty line at the end of file
                                                         'let'.
                                                         // good
"global-require": 0,
                                                         export const count = 1
// require() can be used anywhere in the code
                                                           export function getCount() {}
                                                           export class Counter {}
"import/prefer-default-export": 0,
// When there is only a single export from a module,
prefer using default export over named export.
                                                         // bad
                                                         export let count = 2
                                                           export var count = 3
"no-unused-vars": [1, {"vars": "local", "args":
"after-used", "ignoreRestSiblings": false }],
// When there is only a single export from a module,
                                                           let count = 4
prefer using default export over named export.
                                                           export { count } // reported here
```

```
"object-curly-newline": [1, {
                                                         "react/prop-types": [2, { "ignore": ["children",
                                                         "location"]}],
      "multiline": true
   }],
                                                         // ES6 + Public Class Fields (draft:
// Objects are defined in multiple lines
                                                         https://tc39.github.io/proposal-class-public-fields
                                                         class HelloEs6WithPublicClassField extends
                                                         React.Component {
"object-curly-spacing": [1, "never"],
                                                           static propTypes = {
                                                            name: PropTypes.string.isRequired,
// no empty space after { and before }
                                                           }
                                                           render() {
                                                            return <div>Hello {this.props.name}</div>;
```

```
"react/jsx-key": 1,
                                                        "react/prop-types": [2, { "ignore": ["children",
                                                        "location"]}],
// Warn if an element that likely requires a key
prop--namely, one present in an array literal or an
arrow function expression.
                                                        // ES6 + Public Class Fields (draft:
                                                        https://tc39.github.io/proposal-class-public-fields
      <Hello key="first" />,
                                                        class HelloEs6WithPublicClassField extends
      <Hello key="second" />,
                                                        React.Component {
      <Hello key="third" />,
                                                          static propTypes = {
];
                                                           name: PropTypes.string.isRequired,
                                                          }
data.map((x, i) => <Hello key={i}>{x}</Hello>);
                                                          render() {
                                                            return <div>Hello {this.props.name}</div>;
```

```
// use 4 spaces for indents = 1 tab
"indent": [1, 4, {
         "VariableDeclarator": {"var": 1,
                                                     // indent of comma separated variable
"let": 1, "const": 1 },
                                                     declarations,
         "outerIIFEBody": 0,
         "MemberExpression": 1,
                                                     // initial indent of function
         "FunctionDeclaration":
{"parameters": 1},
                                                     // chained functions
         "FunctionExpression":
                                                     // align multi-line function parameters
{"parameters": 1},
         "CallExpression": {"arguments":
                                                     // multi-line call arguments align
1},
         "ArrayExpression": 1,
                                                     // align 1x4 spaces = 1 tab
         "ObjectExpression": 1,
                                                     // indent for ternary expressions
         "ImportDeclaration": 1,
         "flatTernaryExpressions": false,
                                                     // ignore
         "ignoredNodes": [
              "ConditionalExpression",
              "CallExpression >
FunctionExpression.callee >
BlockStatement.body"
     }],
```



Next steps

VS Code Settings

```
"eslint.nodePath": "/usr/local/bin/node",

// Run the linter on save (onSave) or on type (onType)
"eslint.run": "onType",

// Turns auto fix on save on or off.
"eslint.autoFixOnSave": true,
```

Requirements

Eslint package for VS Code



Link to .eslintrc

https://goo.gl/es8J5n

References

https://eslint.org/

https://github.com/yannickcr/eslint-plugin-react/

https://github.com/airbnb/javascript

https://github.com/Khan/style-guides

https://github.com/benmosher/eslint-plugin-import

Questions?

