

# TreeHouse.java Tutorial

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1. Download the `.zip` file of the repository and extract the files to whatever directory you see fit. (At the very least, you need `gitStati.java` and `StreamGobbler.java`.)
2. Open your terminal window and navigate to the directory containing the `.java` files. (If you are unclear on how to do this, using the `cd` command, please see this fine [documentation](#) for more information.)
3. First, you need to compile the main program file, `gitStati.java`. To do this, type the following command into the terminal: `javac gitStati.java`. (So long as `StreamGobbler.java` is in the same directory, you should receive no errors doing this.)
4. Once this is done, you can run the program by typing the command `java gitStati` into the terminal.
5. Thankfully, the program is rather self-explanatory with its prompts, so you should be fine following its own instructions once you're running it!