

# \* Object Oriented Programming

- In python everything is an object.  
(i.e) list, tuple, dict, ~~etc~~ functions, etc.
- We can even create objects of our type using 'class' keyword.

## 1) Classes

user defined objects are created using 'class' keyword.

eg:- class Sample (object):

↓  
keyword

↓  
name of

class u wanna  
create

X = ~~sa~~Sample() → # instance of class  
X Sample.

%P = main -- . Sample.

- We can define class attributes and methods.
- Attributes - it is a characteristic of an object.
- Method - it is an operation we can perform with the object.

2) Attribute :- self.attribute name = something  
# syntax ↑

--init--() ← # allows you to initialize the attribute.



eg:- (i) class Dog (object):

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def __init__(self, breed):
    self.breed = breed
```

← # methods  
they look like  
function but  
as they are  
within the  
class they are  
called methods

# instance of  
Dog object  
type ← sam = Dog (breed = 'Lab')

sam

%P = <-- main -- Dog

(ii) sam = Dog()

sam

%P = Error.

required 2 arguments & you have  
passed only 1

here it shows 2 arguments ∴ self itself is  
an argument as here we are dealing  
with attributes, Thus <sup>it is showing</sup> 1 argument is passed &  
you need to pass another one.

3) Methods - Methods are functions defined  
inside the body of a class.

They are used to perform operations with the  
attributes of our objects.

- Methods are used in the encapsulation concept  
of the OOP paradigm.

eg:- (i) class Circle (object):

# class object attributes

pi = 3.14

← # instance of class Circle

def \_\_init\_\_(self, radius = 1):

self.radius = radius → # attribute of class Circle

c = Circle(radius)

c.radius

%p = 1

c.pi

%p = 3.14.

(ii) class Circle (object):

# class object attributes

pi = 3.14

# 1<sup>st</sup> method ← { def \_\_init\_\_(self, radius):  
of class Circle } self.radius = radius  
↳ get radius.

# 2<sup>nd</sup> method ← { def area(self):  
of class Circle } # radius \*\* 2 \* pi  
↳ find area. returns (self.radius \*\* 2) \* (Circle.pi)

c = Circle(radius = 100)

c.area()

%p = 31400.0.