

## SECTION 8: OBJECT ORIENTED PROGRAMMING, 1 hour 21 minutes, 9 parts

### • 1/9 Object Oriented Programming - Introduction

- -> calling methods
- -> append method
- -> methods act as functions which use information about the object -> to change it for instance
  
- -> **OOP is object oriented programming**
  - a self keyword is used
  - code is repeatable and organised
  - to ensure programs are flexible
  - repeated tasks and objects can be defined with OOP to create code that is more useable
  
- -> **the class keyword**
  - **class NameOfClass():** <- the class keyword and then the name of the class (camel case in Python)
    - **def \_\_init\_\_(self, param1, param2):** <- an instance of the object
      - **self.param2** <- the instance of the class rather than a global param (to create a method. ...)
      - -> the self keyword
        - **def some\_method(self)** <- to perform some action