

Introduction to Programming

Class 17, 1 March 2017

- **What is your astrological sign? What does it say about you?**

Goals

Goal 1: You will know how to implement an indefinite loop.

Goal 2: You will understand the difference between definite and indefinite loops.

Vocabulary

indefinite loop
definite loop
while loop

Code

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while () {...}
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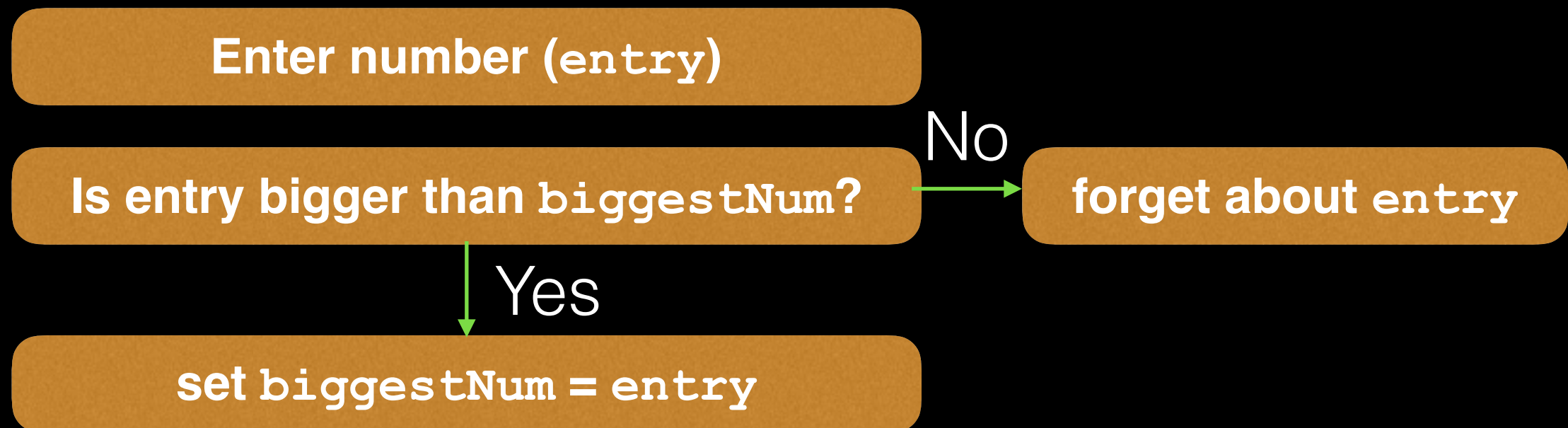
1. Mr. Collins on Numbers (Check HW)
2. Go over LargeNumber.js
3. Warm Up
4. While loop lesson
5. Algorithmic thinking
6. Homework is H29

Practice!

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</head>
<body>
  <script src="largeNumber.js"></script>
</body>
</html>
```

largeNumber.js

```
var biggestNum = 0;
var entryString = prompt("Please enter a number.");
entry = parseInt(entryString);
if (entry > biggestNum) {
  biggestNum = entry;
}
```

Practice!

- Write a program that prompts the user for three numbers and then displays the largest number.

Repeat x3

Enter number (`entry`)

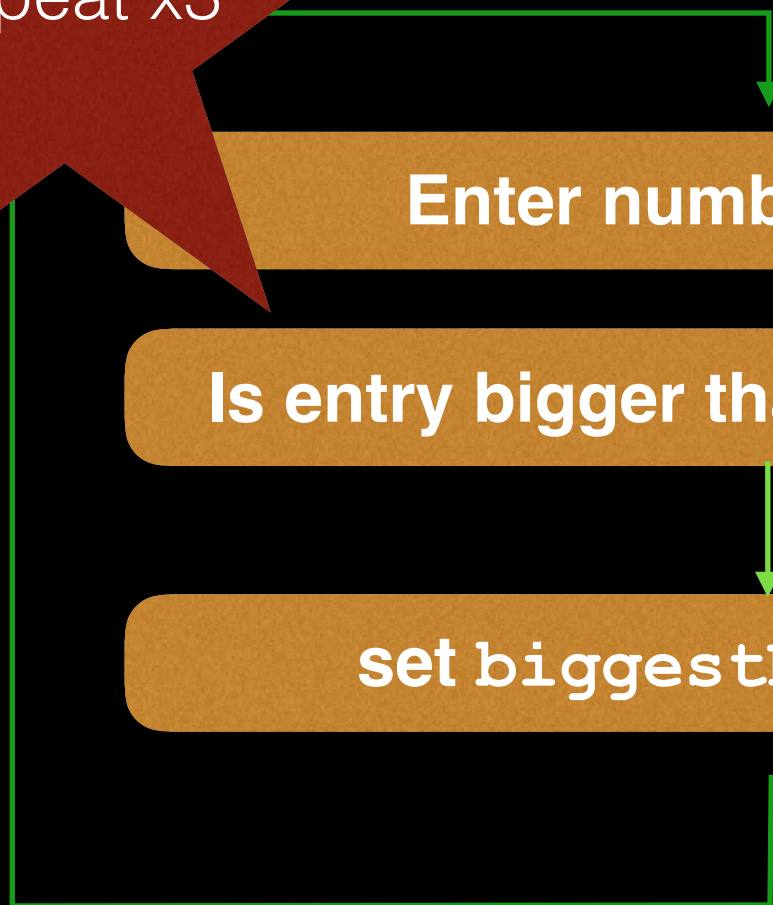
Is `entry` bigger than `biggestNum`?

No

forget about `entry`

Yes

set `biggestNum = entry`



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var biggestNum = -1000000000;

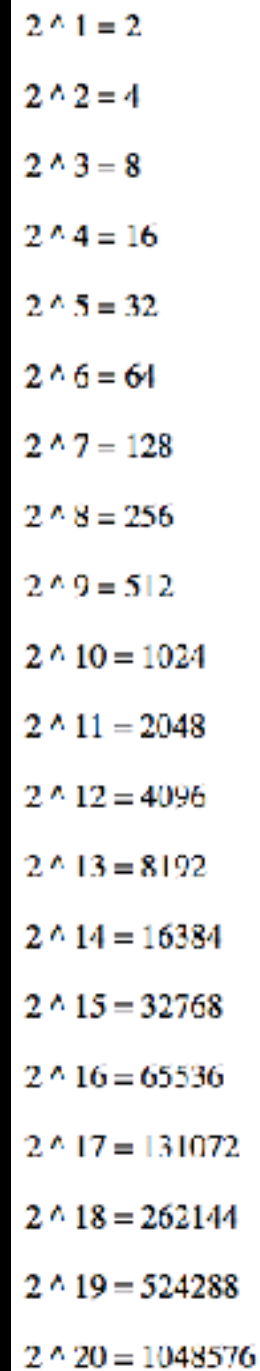
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    var entryString = prompt("Please enter a number.");
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    if (entry > biggestNum) {
        biggestNum = entry;
    }
}

var message = "The largest number is " + biggestNum;

var para = document.createElement("p");
para.textContent = message;
document.body.appendChild(para);
```

Warm Up!

- Write a program that displays (on a webpage) , the first 20 powers of 2.

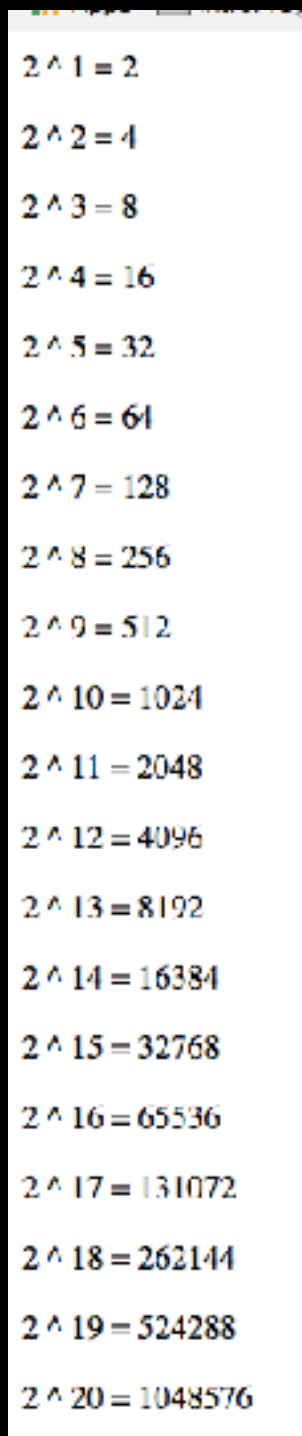


A screenshot of a webpage showing a list of the first 20 powers of 2. The text is displayed in a monospaced font, with each line representing a power of 2 and its corresponding value. The values are right-aligned.

2^1	2
2^2	4
2^3	8
2^4	16
2^5	32
2^6	64
2^7	128
2^8	256
2^9	512
2^{10}	1024
2^{11}	2048
2^{12}	4096
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```
for(var i=0; i<20;i++) {  
    var num = Math.pow(2, i+1);  
    print2(i+1, num);  
}  
  
function print2(power, answer) {  
    var para = document.createElement("p");  
    para.textContent = "2 ^ " + power + " = " + answer;  
    document.body.appendChild(para);  
}
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    if(num < 1000000000) {  
        print2(i+1, num);  
    }  
}  
  
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    print2(i, num)
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```

DING!!

Indefinite Loop = While Loop

`while(condition) {...}`

```
while(condition) {  
    // Code will repeat as long  
    // as condition is true  
  
    // Must change the  
    // condition  
}
```

```
var age = 5;  
while(age < 10) {  
    // Code will repeat as long  
    // as condition is true  
    alert("Hi, kid");  
  
    // Must change the  
    // condition  
    age = age + 1;  
}  
alert("You're not a kid any more!");
```

```
if(condition) {  
    // Code will execute as long  
    // as condition is true  
  
}  
  
var age = 5;  
if(age < 10) {  
    // Code will execute as long  
    // as condition is true  
    alert("Hi, kid");  
}  
alert("Hi, mom!");
```

Practice

- Write a program that rolls a 6-sided die over and over again until you get a 1.

```
var die = 0;
while (die != 1) {
    die = Math.floor(6*Math.random() + 1);
    printDie(die);
}

function printDie(value) {
    var para = document.createElement("p");
    para.textContent = "You rolled a " + value;
    document.body.appendChild(para);
}
```

Algorithmic Thinking

- Computers closed.
- Write a program that will write all of the prime factors of number entered by the user.
 - For example. If the user entered "75", the output would be "3, 5, 5"
 - For example. If the user entered "3757208", the output would be "2, 2, 2, 7, 13, 13, 397"
- Think on your own for 3 minutes.
- Share with your table.
- Create a flow chart.
- Code in pairs.

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