* Node (of course
* MongoDB Atlas
  + cluster w/ name
  + connect to application (eventually)
* Postman
* VS Code w/ folder for project and terminal
* npm init -y
* dependencies:
  + npm i express mongoose dotenv node-geocoder cors
  + express – web framework
  + mongoose – object data mapper
  + dotenv – global config variables
  + node-geocoder – geocoding
  + cors – cross domain support
* npm i -D nodemon
* in package.json add script
  + “dev” : “nodeomon server.js” { main file}
  + “start” : “node server.js” (incase deploy)
* server.js
  + bring in dependencies
* folder config
  + config.env file
* can run now after both files set up {will see ‘server running in development mode…’}
* set up api (can do in server and move to routes or just go to routes)
* check w/ postman
* folder routes
* file stores.js {it does routing}
* folder controllers
* file stores.js { Get all stores, route GET, access authentication,
* bring in mongoDB url – copy from Mongo website
  + in config.env {change from ‘test’ to ‘store’ //or whatever you like
* in config folder – config.js – in here we connect database
* folder models
  + file Store.js – put schema and mongoose in here

node --- repl. read evaluate print loop

get there by just typing ‘node’ in terminal !!