1. **What is the purpose of access modifiers?** The access modifiers purpose is to limit/allow access to certain things in code.
2. **What are the most commonly used access modifiers in a classical programming language**? There are several different levels of access: private which access is limited, public can be accessed from anywhere with no restrictions, and privileged and protected which only allows access to limited to containing class types. (hpprasad85) However, JavaScript does not support private data, so we have to emulate that.
3. **How are closures used to enforce “private and public” access?** If you want to keep your variable "private", you have to declare it inside an anonymous self-invoking function that can only be accessed by the function it returns. (w3schools) I found good video on this as well if you want to check it out <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=w1s9PgtEoJs>

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