**Python Functions**

A function is a block of code which only runs when it is called.

You can pass data, known as parameters, into a function.

A function can return data as a result.

## **Creating a Function**

In Python a function is defined using the def keyword:

### **Example**

def my\_function():  
  print("Hello from a function")

## **Calling a Function**

To call a function, use the function name followed by parenthesis:

### **Example**

def my\_function():  
  print("Hello from a function")  
  
**my\_function()**