

Many objects in Python are "iterable", meaning we can iterate over every element in the object

Such as every element in a list or every character in a string

We can use for loops to execute a block of code for every iteration

The term iterable means you can "iterate" over the object

For example you can iterate over every character in a string, iterate over every item in a list, iterate over every key in a dictionary.

Syntax of a for loop:

my_iterable = [1,2,3] (this is the iterable name and assignment)

for item_name in my_iterable: (the item_name represents the list of objects previously defined)

print(item_name)

```
In [1]: mylist = [1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10]
```

```
In [2]: for num in mylist:
        print(num)
```

```
1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
9
10
```

```
In [3]: for num in mylist:
        print('Hello')
```

```
Hello
Hello
Hello
Hello
Hello
Hello
Hello
Hello
Hello
Hello
Hello
```

Lets see if we can print out only the even numbers in this list.

```
In [4]: for num in mylist:
        # Check for even
        if num % 2 == 0:
            print(num)
```

```
2
4
6
```

8
10

Remember the % (mod) means the remainder So if num % 2 is equal to 0, print num. We see it then prints all even numbers.

```
In [5]: for num in mylist:
        # Check for even
        if num % 2 == 0:
            print(num)
        else:
            print('Odd Number')
```

Odd Number
2
Odd Number
4
Odd Number
6
Odd Number
8
Odd Number
10

```
In [9]: for num in mylist:
        # Check for even
        if num % 2 == 0:
            print(num)
        else:
            print(f'Odd Number: {num}')
```

Odd Number: 1
2
Odd Number: 3
4
Odd Number: 5
6
Odd Number: 7
8
Odd Number: 9
10

```
In [10]: list_sum = 0

        for num in mylist:
            list_sum = list_sum + num

        print(list_sum)
```

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list_sum = 0 (This line sets initial sum to 0)

so then we add list_sum (0) to every number in the list, then print it, which is 55

Now let's indent the print(list_sum) to be inside of the for loop

```
In [12]: list_sum = 0

        for num in mylist:
            list_sum = list_sum + num
```

```
1
3
6
10
15
21
28
36
45
55
```

We just did for loops with lists, now lets do it with string

```
In [13]: mystring = 'Hello World'

for letter in mystring:
    print(letter)
```

```
H
e
l
l
o

W
o
r
l
d
```

Now lets do it for tuples:

```
In [15]: tup = (1,2,3)

for item in tup:
    print(item)
```

```
1
2
3
```

```
In [16]: mylist = [(1,2),(3,4),(5,6),(7,8)]
```

```
In [17]: len(mylist)
```

```
Out[17]: 4
```

```
In [18]: for item in mylist:
          print(item)
```

```
(1, 2)
(3, 4)
(5, 6)
(7, 8)
```

```
In [19]: for (a,b) in mylist:
          print(a)
          print(b)
```

1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8

```
In [20]: for (a,b) in mylist:
         print(a)
```

1
3
5
7

This is known as tuple unpacking

```
In [21]: for (a,b) in mylist:
         print(b)
```

2
4
6
8

```
In [22]: mylist = [(1,2,3),(5,6,7),(8,9,10)]
```

```
In [23]: for item in mylist:
         print(item)
```

(1, 2, 3)
(5, 6, 7)
(8, 9, 10)

```
In [25]: for a,b,c in mylist:
         print(a)
```

1
5
8

```
In [26]: for a,b,c in mylist:
         print(b)
```

2
6
9

```
In [27]: for a,b,c in mylist:
         print(c)
```

3
7
10

Now, let us iterate through a dictionary

```
d = {'k1':1, 'k2':2, 'k3':3}

for item in d:
    print(item)

k1
k2
k3
```

```
In [2]: d = {'k1':1, 'k2':2, 'k3':3}

for item in d.items():
    print(item)

('k1', 1)
('k2', 2)
('k3', 3)
```

```
In [3]: d = {'k1':1, 'k2':2, 'k3':3}

for key,value in d.items():
    print(value)

1
2
3
```

```
In [6]: d = {'k1':1, 'k2':2, 'k3':3}

for value in d.values():
    print(value)

1
2
3
```

```
In [ ]:
```