

Intro to React.js - Simple Weather Web App

Installation of tools - THIS IS ALREADY DONE ON THE LAB MACHINES:

- Download and install heroku's command line tools https://toolbelt.heroku.com/
- Download and install github's command line tools https://git-scm.com/downloads https://help.github.com/articles/set-up-git/#setting-up-git
- Download and install <u>Node</u>.js (please make sure to select **LTS** and not **Current**) https://nodejs.org/en/download/
- Download and install Atom text editor (https://atom.io/)

BEFORE STARTING:

Students will still need to set these environment variables at the start:

set http_proxy=http://193.1.120.28:80

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set path=c:\Program Files\nodejs;c:\program files\heroku\bin;c:\Program Files\Git\bin

And the working directory for npm is %appdata%\npm

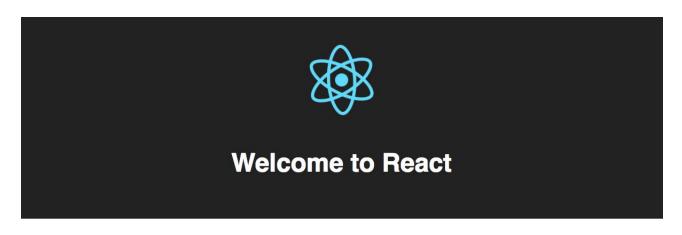
- Create Heroku account (primary development language = 'I use another language') https://signup.heroku.com/
- Open the command line (Windows shell) and execute the below commands:



1. Setup heroku, type: heroku (it will ask for login: enter email and password for your Heroku account) 2. Create a react app using create-react-app cd %appdata%\npm npm install -g create-react-app create-react-app follow-the-weather-sara (use your name!) cd follow-the-weather-sara (use your name!) 3. Run the app locally npm start (opens the app on http://localhost:3000/) 4. OPTIONAL: Turn that react app into a heroku project git init heroku create it-tallaght-test --buildpack https://github.com/mars/create-react-app-buildpack.git 5. OPTIONAL: Send the heroku project to heroku's servers and view it online git add . git commit -m "created a react app" git push heroku master heroku open



After this, your browser should open your React application looking like this:



To get started, edit src/App.js and save to reload.

If you visit https://dashboard.heroku.com/apps, you should see your application listed here:

