

Ruby is...
interpreted
object oriented
dynamic

Ruby is...
productive
intuitive
popular

VARIABLES & TYPES

Before we begin...
a.+(b)
a.is_valid?
a.decrement!

\$counter @@counter @counter counter Global
Class
Instance
Local

'hello'
"'hello"
%q{hello}

String
Herestring
Perl-inspired

```
a = 'James'
b = "Hello #{a}"
puts b
```

=> "Hello James"

:hello Symbol

puts << DOC
 This is a "heredoc"
 Multi-line String
 DOC</pre>

```
[1,2,3] Array
{:a=>1, :b=>2} Hash (1.8)
{a: 1, b: 2} Hash (1.9)
0..10 Ranges
```

METHODS

def greet(name)
 "Hello, #{name}"
end

greet "James"

```
def greet(name="World")
  "Hello, #{name}"
end
```

greet "James" greet

CONTROL FLOW

if rating >= 4 puts "great" elsif rating == 3 puts "alright" else puts "sucks" end

unless rating == 5
puts "Try harder"
end

puts "Try harder" unless rating == 5

puts "Seriously" if rating == 1

```
case rating
when 4..5
  puts "great"
 when 3
  puts "alright"
 else
  puts "sucks"
end
```

while file.has_more_lines?
puts file.next_line
end

puts file.next_line while
file.has_more_lines?

until file.end_of_file?
puts file.next_line
end

puts file.next_line until
file.end_of_file?

for i in 0...file.line_count puts file.lines[i] end

BLOCKS

[1,2,3,4].each do |i|
puts i
end

array.each(&block)

printer = Proc.new do |i|
puts i
end

[1,2,3,4].each &printer

printer = lambda { |i| puts i }

```
def loggerWrapper
puts "Executing Method"
yield
puts "Done Executing"
end
```

loggerWrapper { puts "Weeee!" }

COLLECTIONS

109 Array/Enumerable Operations Hash Operations

```
[1,2,3,4,5].map { | i| i +1}
[1,2,3,4,5].reduce { | i, j| i + j }
```

({a: '1'}).merge({b: '2'})

CLASSES

```
class Person
  def initialize(name, age)
     @name,@age = name,age
  end
end
```

person = Person.new("James", 32)

```
class Person
attr_accessor:name
attr_accessor:age
```

end

p = Person.new("James", 32)
puts p.name, p.age

class Person ... end

class Hero < Person
 attr_accessor:powers
end</pre>

```
p = Hero.new("James", 32)
p.powers = ["Flying"]
```

MODULES & MIXINS

```
module StrUtils
 def self.salt(pass, slt)
  "#{pass}#{salt}"
 end
 def salt(slt)
  StrUtils::salt(@value, slt)
 end
end
```

StrUtils::salt("123", "456")

```
class Password
include Utils
definitialize(value)
  @value = value
 end
end
```

Password.new("test").salt

TOOLS OF THE TRADE

ruby Ruby interpreter gem Library manager rake Build tool rails Web framework

