# What is JavaScript Closure?



### **Lexical Scope**

It defines the visibility and accessibility of variables based on their location in the source code.

```
const message = 'hello';
function showMessage () {
   const message = 'world';
}
```

#### What is a Closure?

In simpler terms, a closure allows you to access an outer function's scope from an inner function.

```
function sayHi() {
    const message = "Hello, World!";
    function showMessage() {
        console.log(message);
    }
    showMessage();
}
```

#### **Practical Uses of Closures**

- 1. Maintaining Component State
- 2. Private Variables
- 3. Callbacks and Asynchronous Code

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