

Things I wish I'd learned

in code school

MM (YMMV)

12 weeks

PHP

JavaScript (Angular/Node)

Ruby on Rails

Byeeeeeeeeee!

01

Any Compiled Language

01 – Why?

- * More career options
- * Closer to 1s and 0s
- * You might love it

01 – How?

- * Head First C#
- * Koans
- * Get bored, make app

02

A Real IDE

02 - Why?

- * You might love it**
- * Takes time to learn**

02 – How?

- * Download one**
- * Start making that app!**
- * Press ALL the buttons**

03

How to Change Someone Else's Code

03 – Why?

**Most code
is written by
someone else.**

03 – How?

- * Volunteer: Nonprofits, Github, etc**
- * Clone a repo and step through it until it makes sense**

04

The Value of the Official Docs

04 - Why?

- * Definitive answers
- * All the fun of reading the dictionary

04 – How?

docs.microsoft.com

developer.mozilla.org

(start where you already understand)

05

The First Thing About DevOps

05 - Why?

**It will
probably be
your problem.**

05 – How?

- * Put that app on Github**
- * Now get that code on Heroku**
- * Bonus: transform it midstream with a script**

06

Production Versus ...Not

06 – Why?

**Production
is
radioactive.**

06 – How?

- * Set up a staging environment for that app!
- * Add a feature. Put it in staging before putting it in production.

07

Working with a Product Owner

07 – Why?

“I have altered the requirements.

Pray I do not alter them further.”

07 – How?

**Make a thing
for
someone else.**

08

The Agile Catechism

08 – Why?

**To decide
your level
of devotion.**

08 – How?

- * read about it**
- * plan a party**

Thanks!

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<http://whiletrue.do>