Exercises

- Define a class called **Logger** that takes the name of a file in its constructor and provides a method for writing messages to that file. Don't worry about the actual file I/O operations. Just define the class with the right members.
- Given the **Person** class below, create a getter for getting the full name of a person.

```
class Person {
  constructor(public firstName: string, public lastName: string) {}
}
```

- Create a new class called **Employee** that extends **Person** and adds a new property called **salary**.
- What is the difference between private and protected members?
- Given the data below, define an interface for representing employees:

```
let employee = {
  name: 'John Smith',
  salary: 50_000,
  address: {
    street: 'Flinders st',
    city: 'Melbourne',
    zipCode: 3144,
  },
};
```

Solutions

• Define a class called **Logger** that takes the name of a file in its constructor and provides a method for writing messages to that file. Don't worry about the actual file I/O operations. Just define the class with the right members.

```
class Logger {
  constructor(public logFile: string) {}
  log(message: string) {}
}
```

• Given the **Person** class below, create a getter for getting the full name of a person.

```
class Person {
  constructor(public firstName: string, public lastName: string) {}

  get fullName() {
    return `${this.firstName} ${this.lastName}`;
  }
}
```

• Create a new class called **Employee** that extends **Person** and adds a new property called **salary**.

```
class Employee extends Person {
  constructor(
    firstName: string,
    lastName: string,
    public salary: number) {
      super(firstName, lastName);
    }
}
```

Classes and Interfaces 3

• What is the difference between **private** and **protected** members?

Private members are not inherited by child classes.

• Given the data below, define an interface for representing employees:

```
interface Address {
   street: string;
   city: string;
   zipCode: number;
}
interface Employee {
   name: string;
   salary: number;
   address: Address;
}
```