

PROJECT 01

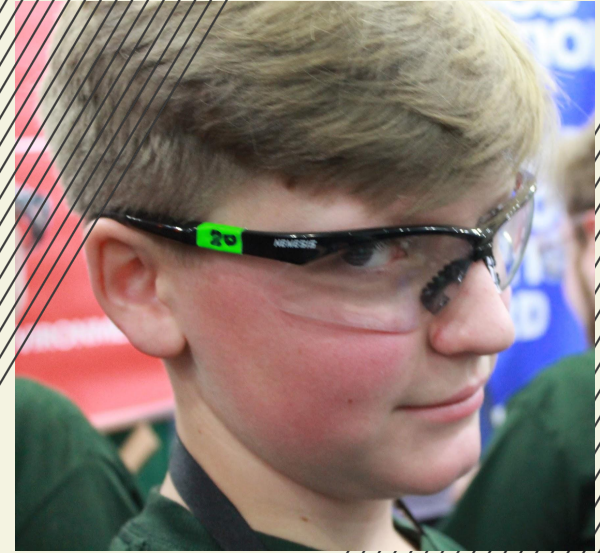
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GOALS

Primarily: Learn how to learn to code.

- Coding skills are just a corollary.

Secondarily: Code as much as you can.

- You learn by doing.

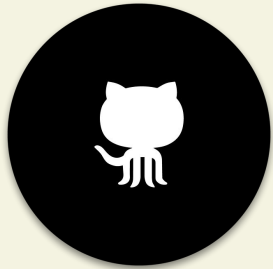


“[Insert corny, motivational quote here]”

Don't be afraid to fail!



RESOURCES



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INSTALL

Download the file on #programming.

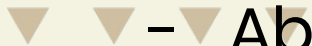
Enter the following commands:

```
cd ~/Downloads  
chmod +x install.sh  
./install.sh
```

COMPUTATIONAL THINKING



- Decomposition
- Pattern Analysis
- Algorithm Design



- Abstraction





Basics of Python 3: Writing and Running Programs



DATA TYPES AND VARIABLES

Programs are groups of **THINGS** that **DO THINGS** to other **THINGS**.

Variables are those **THINGS**.

Integer

Float

String

Boolean

Null

```
x = 5
y = 25.6
z = "Hello!"
a = True
b = None
```

ARRAYS

An array is a variable that can store *multiple elements*.

Most arrays are *zero-based*.
(Start at zero)

Examples: Numerical sequence,
words, sensor data.

```
x = [25, 46, 31]
```

```
x[0] # 25
```

```
x[1] # 46
```

0	1	...	n
[25,	46,	31,	52]
$-n$...	-2	-1



IF/ELSE CONDITIONAL

“if” statements takes a certain action when a condition evaluates to True.

Extended by “else if” and “else” statements.

```
x = 5
if x == 5:
    print("It's 5.")
else:
    print("It's 0.")
```



LOOPS

“while” loops continuously run based on a certain *condition*.

“for” loops run for a set amount of time with an iterator.

- Great for going through arrays.

```
x = True
while x:
    print("WHILE")
y = range(25) # 0-24
for i in y:
    print(i) # 0 1 2 3 4
```



FUNCTIONS

```
def hello_world:  
    return "Hello!"  
  
print(hello_world())
```

A function is a group of code that can be executed an unlimited number of times.

- Good for classes (that's for later)



READING FILES

Open files in Python by using the *open* function and entering:

- *File path*
- *Mode*

```
f = open("file.txt", "a")  
print(f.read())  
f.close()
```

"a" - Append "r" - Read

"w" - Write "x" - Create



DEMO: IMPORT

OPEN YOUR TERMINAL

```
> python3  
>>> import os  
>>> os.path.abspath()
```



RUNNING PROGRAMS

OPEN YOUR TERMINAL

```
> python3 test.py
```




ACTIVITY #1

- Find a file.
- Print out 5 lines.
- Add a message anywhere that
you want.



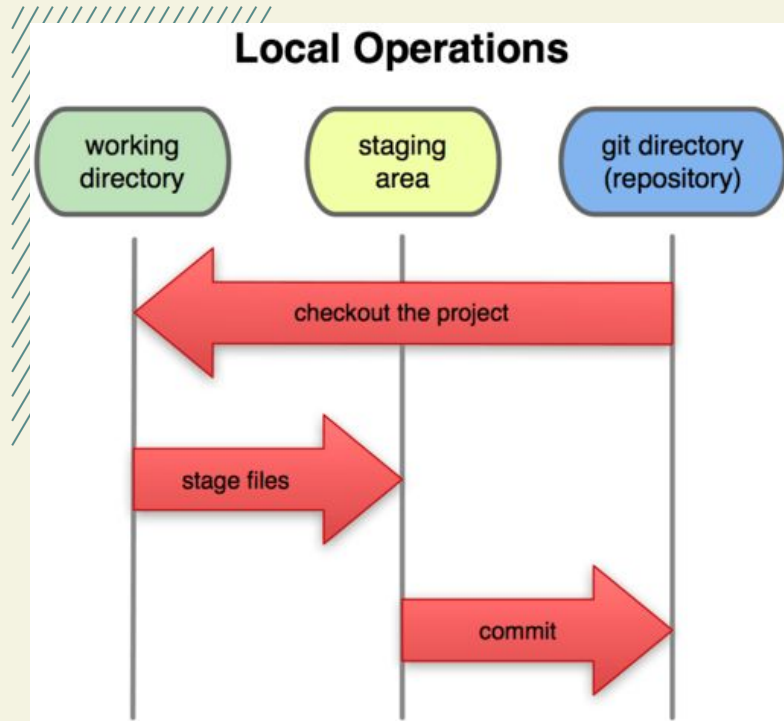


Storing, Sharing, and Showing Your Code

GIT OVERVIEW

Professionally, code is organized into *repositories*. (repos)

Users can *commit* that changes to the central repo.





The platform we use to manage our code is *GitHub*.

I'll walk you through how to commit some code to one of our repos.

