**Making Commits**

Learn how to commit files to the repository in Git.

**Things You Should Know**

* a commit is saving changes to the repository (a snapshot)
* the way Git sees changes in files is lines being deleted and added – this is how it tracks the changes
* the Git command to check on which files, if any, have been modified is *git status*
* the Git command to commit files is *git commit -m “message explaining what is in the commit”*
* the Git command to view a history of the commits that have been made is *git log*
* the Git command to view a condensed history of the commits that have been made is *git log –oneline*