

Library Management :- Phase 5: Apex Programming (Developer)

1. Classes & Objects

Created an Apex utility class **TeacherService**:

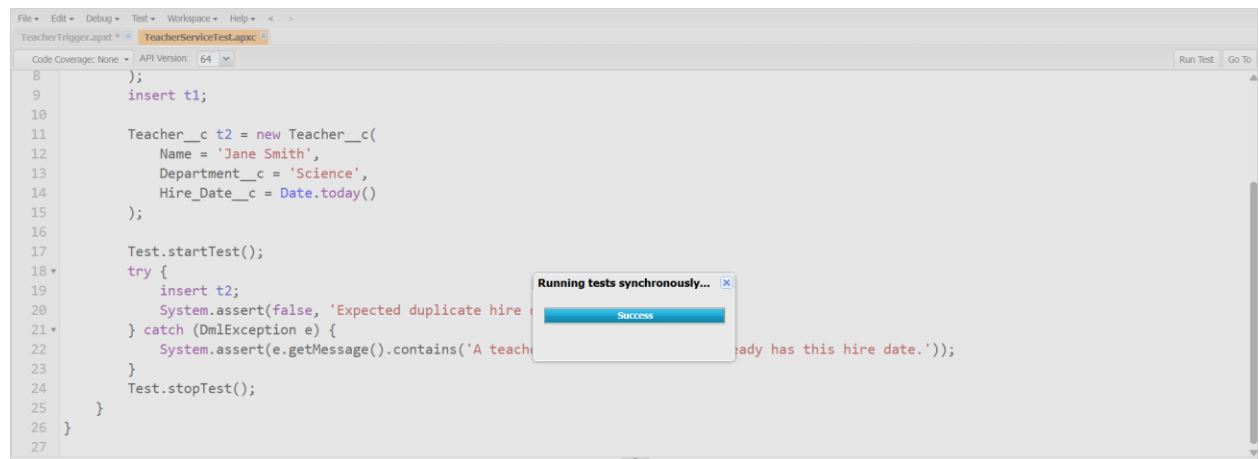
- Inner Comparator: **TeacherHireDateComparator** – sorts teachers by **Hire_Date__c**.
- Static Method:
- **preventDuplicateHireDates(List<Teacher__c> incoming, Map<Id, Teacher__c> oldMap)** – checks new/updated teacher records against existing teacher records to ensure no conflicting hire dates for the same department (or other criteria) and uses **addError()** to block duplicates.

File → New → Apex Class.

Name it **TeacherServiceTest** → click **OK**.

Paste test code:

Save.



```
8      };
9      insert t1;
10
11     Teacher__c t2 = new Teacher__c(
12         Name = 'Jane Smith',
13         Department__c = 'Science',
14         Hire_Date__c = Date.today()
15     );
16
17     Test.startTest();
18     try {
19         insert t2;
20         System.assert(false, 'Expected duplicate hire date');
21     } catch (DmlException e) {
22         System.assert(e.getMessage().contains('A teacher already has this hire date.'));
23     }
24     Test.stopTest();
25 }
26
27
```

Running tests synchronously...
Success

2. Apex Trigger

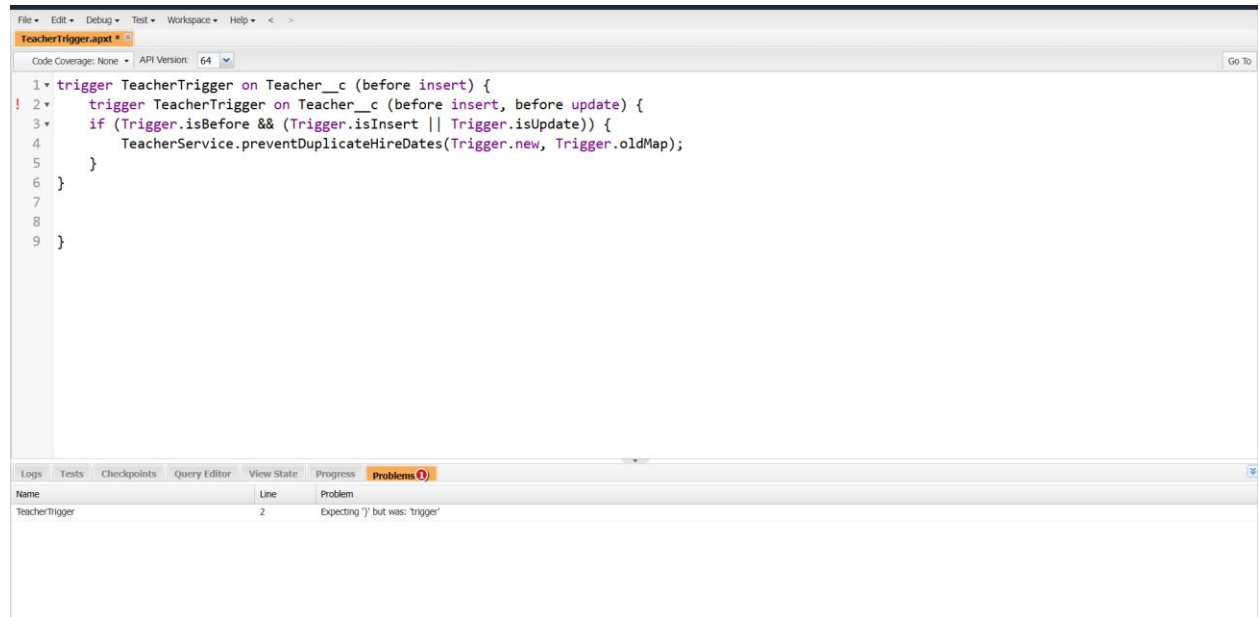
File → New → Apex Trigger.

Enter:

- Name: TeacherTrigger
- sObject: Teacher__c

Click **Submit**.

Save.

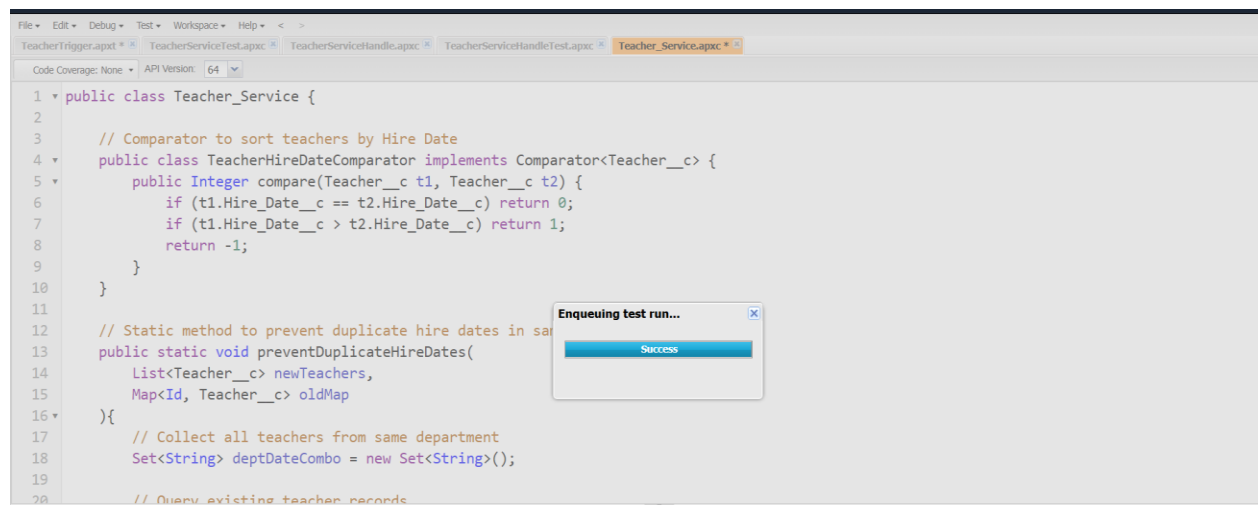


```
1 * trigger TeacherTrigger on Teacher__c (before insert) {
2 *   trigger TeacherTrigger on Teacher__c (before insert, before update) {
3 *   if (Trigger.isBefore && (Trigger.isInsert || Trigger.isUpdate)) {
4     TeacherService.preventDuplicateHireDates(Trigger.new, Trigger.oldMap);
5   }
6 }
7
8
9 }
```

| Name | Line | Problem |
|----------------|------|----------------------------------|
| TeacherTrigger | 2 | Expecting '}' but was: 'trigger' |

- 3.Trigger Design Pattern:

Business logic is kept in the TeacherService class; the trigger on Teacher__c simply calls the class method.



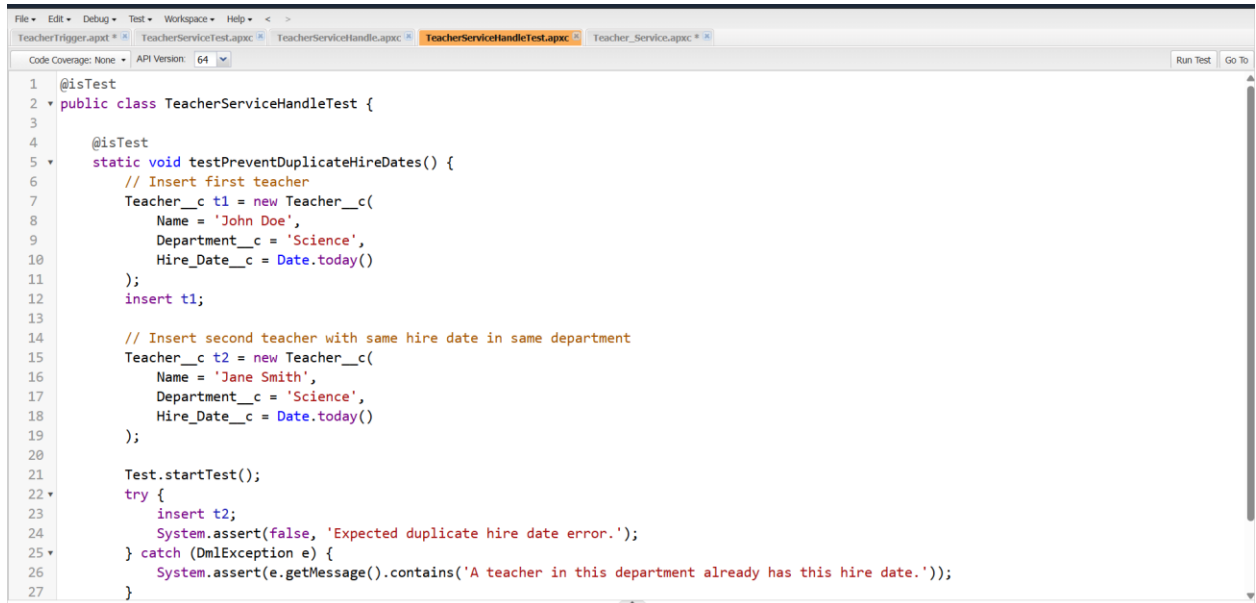
```
1 public class Teacher_Service {
2
3   // Comparator to sort teachers by Hire Date
4   public class TeacherHireDateComparator implements Comparator<Teacher__c> {
5     public Integer compare(Teacher__c t1, Teacher__c t2) {
6       if (t1.Hire_Date__c == t2.Hire_Date__c) return 0;
7       if (t1.Hire_Date__c > t2.Hire_Date__c) return 1;
8       return -1;
9     }
10  }
11
12  // Static method to prevent duplicate hire dates in sa
13  public static void preventDuplicateHireDates(
14    List<Teacher__c> newTeachers,
15    Map<Id, Teacher__c> oldMap
16  ){
17    // Collect all teachers from same department
18    Set<String> deptDateCombo = new Set<String>();
19
20    // Query existing teacher records
```

Enqueuing test run...
Success

4. SOQL & Collections

Inside preventOverlap:

- **SOQL** queries existing Teacher for relevant new Teacher.



```
1  @isTest
2  public class TeacherServiceHandleTest {
3
4      @isTest
5      static void testPreventDuplicateHireDates() {
6          // Insert first teacher
7          Teacher__c t1 = new Teacher__c(
8              Name = 'John Doe',
9              Department__c = 'Science',
10             Hire_Date__c = Date.today()
11         );
12         insert t1;
13
14         // Insert second teacher with same hire date in same department
15         Teacher__c t2 = new Teacher__c(
16             Name = 'Jane Smith',
17             Department__c = 'Science',
18             Hire_Date__c = Date.today()
19         );
20
21         Test.startTest();
22         try {
23             insert t2;
24             System.assert(false, 'Expected duplicate hire date error.');
```

5. Control Statements

for loops, if conditions and **addError()** to prevent overlaps.

6. Test Classes (Teacher Example)

A test class TeacherTriggerTest was created to:

- Insert a valid teacher (no duplicate hire date in the same department) and verify it saves successfully.
- Attempt to insert a teacher with a duplicate hire date in the same department and verify a **DmlException** with “already has this hire date” in the message is thrown.

This test indirectly executes the logic in

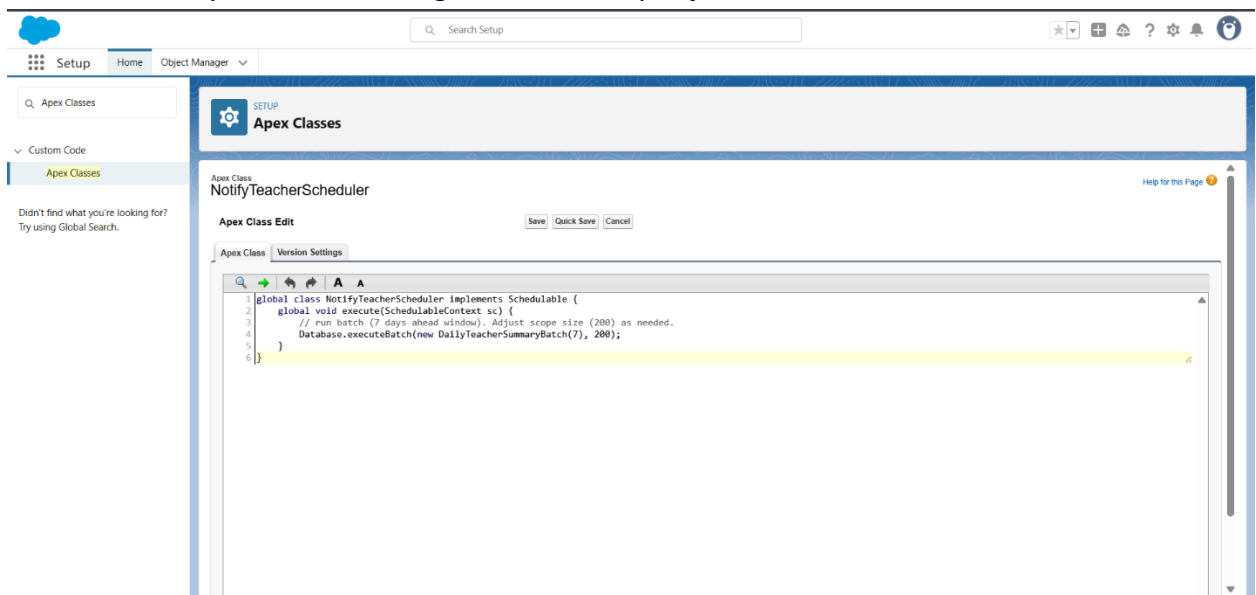
TeacherServiceHandle.preventDuplicateHireDates and gives code coverage for both the trigger (**TeacherTrigger**) and the service class (**TeacherServiceHandle**).

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Code Coverage: None API Version: 64
5 static void testPreventDuplicateHireDates() {
6     // Insert a valid teacher (no duplicate hire date)
7     Teacher__c t1 = new Teacher__c(
8         Name = 'John Doe',
9         Department__c = 'Science',
10        Hire_Date__c = Date.today()
11    );
12    insert t1;
13
14    // Attempt to insert a teacher with duplicate hire date in same department
15    Teacher__c t2 = new Teacher__c(
16        Name = 'Jane Smith',
17        Department__c = 'Science',
18        Hire_Date__c = Date.today()
19    );
20
21    Test.startTest();
22    try {
23        insert t2;
24        System.assert(false, 'Expected duplicate hire date error.');
```

7. Batch Apex and Scheduled Jobs

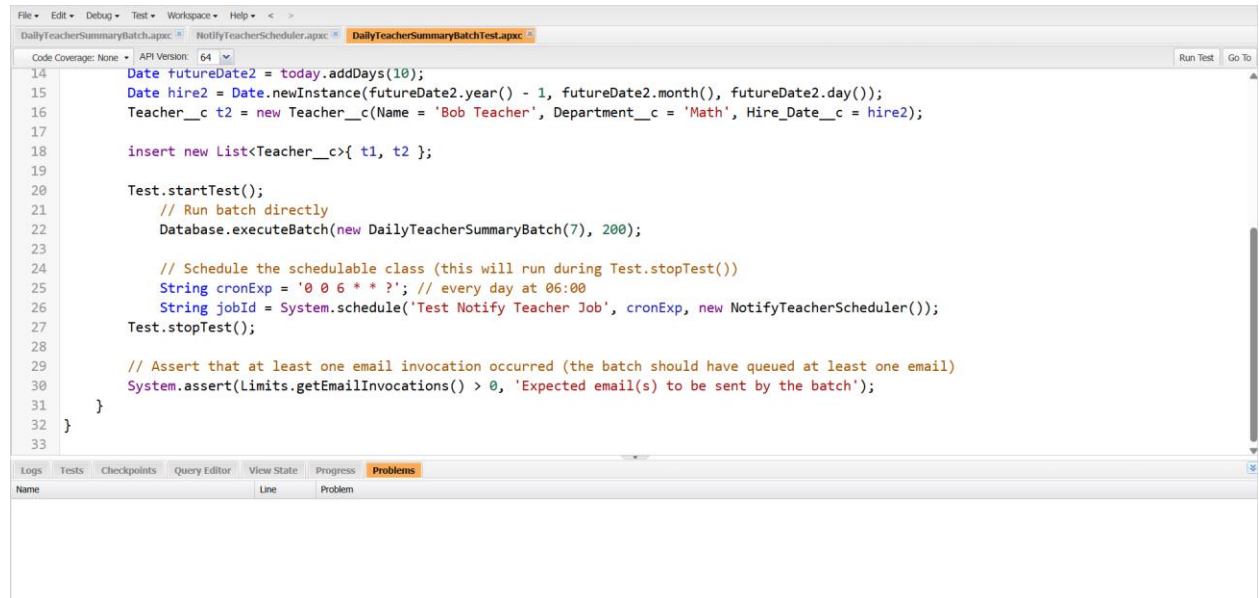
A Batch Apex class TeacherSummaryBatch was created to:

- Query recently hired teachers by department.
- Generate and log summary reports (or prepare reminders for admin review).
- Run daily at 6:00 AM using a Scheduled Apex job.



8. Exception Handling

Used `addError()` on `SObjects` to stop DML with a user-friendly message.



```
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DailyTeacherSummaryBatch.apxc  NotifyTeacherScheduler.apxc  DailyTeacherSummaryBatchTest.apxc
Code Coverage: None  API Version: 64  Run Test  Go To

14  Date futureDate2 = today.addDays(10);
15  Date hire2 = Date.newInstance(futureDate2.year() - 1, futureDate2.month(), futureDate2.day());
16  Teacher__c t2 = new Teacher__c(Name = 'Bob Teacher', Department__c = 'Math', Hire_Date__c = hire2);
17
18  insert new List<Teacher__c>{ t1, t2 };
19
20  Test.startTest();
21  // Run batch directly
22  Database.executeBatch(new DailyTeacherSummaryBatch(7), 200);
23
24  // Schedule the schedulable class (this will run during Test.stopTest())
25  String cronExp = '0 0 6 * * ?'; // every day at 06:00
26  String jobId = System.schedule('Test Notify Teacher Job', cronExp, new NotifyTeacherScheduler());
27  Test.stopTest();
28
29  // Assert that at least one email invocation occurred (the batch should have queued at least one email)
30  System.assert(Limits.getEmailInvocations() > 0, 'Expected email(s) to be sent by the batch');
31  }
32
33

Logs  Tests  Checkpoints  Query Editor  View State  Progress  Problems
Name  Line  Problem
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9. Skipped / Not Implemented

Queueable Apex, Future Methods, Asynchronous Processing beyond the daily batch job were not implemented at this phase.

10. Testing & Results

The screenshot displays a web application interface for managing teachers. On the left, a sidebar shows a 'Teachers' section with a 'Recently Viewed' list containing two items: 'John Doe' and 'Mr. Smith'. The main area features a form titled 'Information' for adding or editing a teacher. The form includes fields for 'Teacher Name' (Jane Smith), 'Date of Birth', 'Employee ID', 'Subject Specialization' (English), 'Email' (jane@gmail.com), 'Joining Date' (9/23/2025), 'Contact' (Iaai singh), 'Mentor' (M_ID-001237), 'Hire Date' (12/31/2024), and 'Confirmation' (Email Sent). A red error message box is overlaid on the form, stating 'We hit a snag.' and 'Review the errors on this page.' The error message indicates a duplicate value found for 'Department__c' and provides a duplicate key value: 'a01gl000000xf8YQAV'. At the bottom of the form, there are buttons for 'Cancel', 'Save & New', and 'Save'.

Library Management Home Calendar Contacts

Teachers

Recently Viewed

2 items • Updated 2 minutes ago

Teacher Name

1 John Doe

2 Mr. Smith

Information

* Teacher Name

Jane Smith

Date of Birth

Employee ID

Subject Specialization

English

* Email

jane@gmail.com

* Joining Date

9/23/2025

* Contact

Iaai singh

* Mentor

M_ID-001237

Hire Date

Date

12/31/2024

* Confirmation

Email Sent

We hit a snag.

Review the errors on this page.

- duplicate value found: Department__c duplicates value on record with id: a01gl000000xf8YQAV

Cancel Save & New Save