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# CS 49 Section

Week 11

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#### Agenda

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- Logistics and check-ins
- Review of lecture concepts
  - Dictionaries
  - <u>Dictionary practice</u>
- Section Problem: Find Grandchildren







# How to get hold of me / get help+

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- The <u>section forum</u>, 24 hr turnaround
- Email: bosesurajit@fhda.edu, 24 hr turnaround
- Office hours:
  - On campus: Tuesdays 12:00 noon to 1:30 pm, room 4218 in the STEM center. Entry is from room 4213 No in person hours during finals
  - By appointment on Zoom
- Other resources:
  - Contact Lane via Canvas
  - Online or in person tutoring via the STEM center (Room 4213)





#### Check In

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- Any questions about:
  - Lists
  - Concepts from previous weeks
  - Any homework or EC problems
- Please tell us in the chat what your favorite cuisine is! Thai, BBQ, Japanese, Mediterranean, etc.



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Lecture Review: Dictionaries

#### **Introducing Dictionaries**

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- One container type in Python is dictionaries (dict)
- A dictionary enables very fast lookups of a value via an associated key
- For example, if the college needs to look up info about a student:
  - Looking up via the CWID will return information about the student's name, enrollment status, major, GPA, etc.
  - The CWID is the key, the student info is the value
- Thus, a dictionary is a collection of **key: value** pairs
- Conceptual examples:
  - Country as key, capital as value ('Canada': 'Ottawa')
  - Hex value as key, color name as value (0xb70b2f: 'cardinal')





# Creating and Modifying Dictionaries

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To create an empty dictionary: {} or dict()my\_dict = {}

• To create a new non-empty dictionary:

To add a key: value pair to the dictionary: dict[key] = value
 state\_caps['Maryland'] = 'Annapolis'

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state_caps['Kentucky'] = 'Lexington'
```

Oops! To update an existing value, use the same syntax:

```
state_caps['Kentucky'] = 'Frankfort'
```

This will replace the existing value for that key with the new value



# Accessing Data in Dictionaries +

To access a value, use the key:

```
md_cap = state_caps['Maryland']
# md cap now has the value 'Annapolis'
```

• Trying to access the value for a non-existent key results in an error.

```
ca_cap = state_caps['California'] # KeyError
```

• To see if a particular key is in a dictionary, use **in**:

```
print('California' in state_caps) # prints False
print('Hawaii' in state_caps) # prints True
```

To see if a particular value is in a dictionary, use in dict.values():
 print('Boise' in state\_caps.values()) # prints True





### Constraints on Dictionary Keys +

Keys must be unique. Cannot have:

```
mixed_caps = {'Georgia' : 'Tbilisi',
    'Georgia' : 'Atlanta'} # 'Tbilisi' is replaced
```

- Keys must be immutable. Recall:
  - Atomic types (int, Boolean, float) are immutable
  - Of the container types, str is immutable
- Lists are mutable, so a **list** cannot be used as a key
- These constraints do not apply to values
  - Two different keys can have the same associated value
  - Values can be mutable types like lists or even other dictionaries





#### Iterating over Dictionaries

• To iterate over all key: value pairs: dict.items() for state, city in state\_caps.items(): print(f'The capital of {state} is {city}'}

To iterate over just the keys:

```
for state in state_caps:
    print(state)
```

To iterate over just the values, use dict.values():

```
for city in state_caps.values():
    print(city)
```

Likewise, there is also a dict.keys()





#### Dictionaries vs Lists

- We've seen that data types can be:
  - atomic (int, float, Boolean, None) or container (str, list)
  - immutable (str, any atomic type) or mutable (list)
- **dict** is a mutable container type, like **list**
- Data types can also be ordered or unordered
  - list and str are ordered: data is consecutive by index
  - list and str indices are always integers
- **dict** is unordered: the sequence is arbitrary
- **dict** keys can be any immutable value (including integers, which could be non-consecutive)







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#### **Dictionaries Practice**

https://codeinplace.stanford.edu/foothill-cs49/ide/p/sy6eC9jGvP11LL9qp8dV

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for dog, breed in breeds.items():
    print(f'{dog} is a {breed}')
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# Section problem: Find Grandchildren

https://codeinplace.stanford.edu/foothill-cs49/ide/a/findgrandchildren

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Given a dict with parents as keys, and lists of their children as values:

• Create a dict with grandparents as keys, and grandchildren as values



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- Create a dict with grandparents as keys, and grandchildren as values
- Only actual grandparents should be keys i.e., no empty lists for values

```
parents_dict = {
   'Jesm,n' : [],
   'Eve': [] }
```



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  - Is Khaled a grandparent? How do we know?
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```
parents_dict = { 'Khaled' : ['Chibundu', 'Jesmyn'],
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    'Jesmyn' : ['Frank'],
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- A parent X is a grandparent if any of their children is also a parent





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- A key X in parents\_dict should be a key in grandparents\_dict if any
  of the list elements in the value parents\_dict[X] is itself a key in
  parents\_dict





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- X 's grandchildren are all the children of each of their children





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- Create a dict with grandparents as keys, and grandchildren as values
- How should we identify the needed key: value pairs?
- To construct the value at grandparents\_dict[X]:
  - Identify the children in parents\_dict[X] who are themselves keys in parents\_dict
  - Combine their values in parents\_dict into a single list





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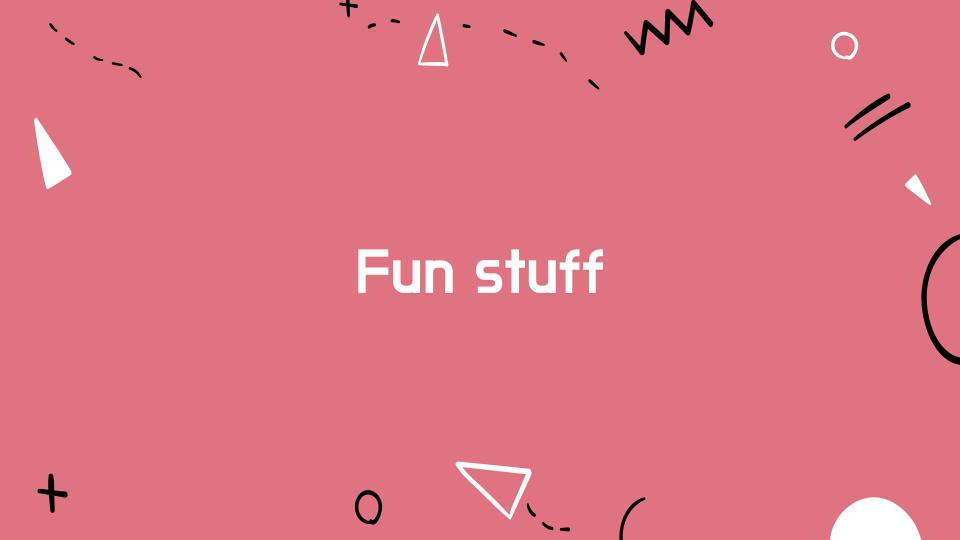
- Create a **dict** with grandparents as keys, and grandchildren as values
- Desired output:

```
grandparents_dict = { 'Khaled' : ['Frank'],
    'Daniel' : ['Chibundu', 'Jesmyn', 'Grace'] }
```





# **Questions Before** We Begin?



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- parents\_dict['Khaled'][1] is 'Jesmyn'
- parents\_dict[parents\_dict['Khaled'][1]] is ['Frank']
- parents\_dict[parents\_dict['Khaled'][1]][0] is 'Frank'





#### More Python at FHDA

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- De Anza's Python Sequence:
  - CIS 40, Introduction to Programming in Python
  - CIS 41A, Python Programming
  - CIS 9, Introduction to Data Science
  - CIS 41B, Advanced Python Programming
- Foothill's Python Sequence:
  - CS 3A, Object Oriented Programming Methodologies in Python
  - CS 3B, Intermediate Software Design in Python
  - CS 3C, Advanced Data Structures and Algorithms in Python
  - CS 48A, Data Visualization





