Functions & Data Structures

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Functions

A function is like a *machine* in programming. You give it an **input** (parameters), it does some work (logic), and then it gives you an **output** (return value).

Functions help us **reuse code** instead of writing the same thing again and again.

Question for you:

Write a function called multiply that takes two numbers and returns their multiplication.

(You don't need to run it, just write the code.)

```
function addNumbers(a, b) {
    return a + b;
}

let results = addNumbers(5, 3);
console.log(results);
```

Arrays

An **array** is like a *list* or *box with compartments* where we can store multiple values under one variable.

Question for you:

Create an array called colors with at least 3 colors. Then:

- Print the first color.
- 2. Add a new color to the array.
- 3. Print the whole array.

```
let numbers = [10, 20, 30, 40];
console.log(numbers[0]);
console.log(numbers[2]);
// Changing a value
numbers[1] = 25;
console.log(numbers);
// Adding a new value
numbers.push(50);
console.log(numbers);
```

Objects

An **object** is like a dictionary. It stores data in **key-value pairs**.

This is useful when we want to describe something with multiple properties.

Question for you:

Create an object called car with these properties:

- brand (example: "Toyota")
- model (example: "Corolla")
- year (example: 2020)

Then:

- Print the brand.
- Update the year to 2023.
- Add a new property called color.
- 4. Print the whole object.

```
let person = {
    name: "Mehedi",
    age: 25,
    country: "Bangladesh"
};
console.log(person.name);
console.log(person["age"]);
person.age = 26;
person.job = "Engineer";
console.log(person)
```