Kubernetes Cheat Sheet



The Kubernetes command-line tool, kubectl, allows you to run commands against Kubernetes clusters.

Displaying environment information		
kubectl version	Prints out the Kubernetes version running on the client and server	
kubectl cluster-info	Prints the address of the control plane and cluster services	

Connecting to the managed cluster	
az aks get-credentials -n playeconomy -g playeconomy	Gets access credentials for the "playeconomy" cluster in the "playeconomy" resource group.
	It is an Azure CLI command, rather than a kubectl command, but shown here since it's essential to connect to the cluster.
kubectl config get-contexts	Displays the list of contexts from the kubeconfig file
kubectl config current-context	Displays the current Kubernetes context
kubectl config use-context playeconomy	Sets the current context to the "playeconomy" context in the kubeconfig file

Creating resources			
kubectl create namespace catalog	Creates a new namespace named "catalog"		
kubectl create secret generic identity-secretsfrom-literal=cosmosdb-connectionstring=[CONN_STRING] - n catalog	Creates a secret named "identity-secrets" in the "catalog" namespace which includes a literal value for the Cosmos DB connection string.		
kubectl apply -f .\kubernetes\catalog.yaml -n catalog	Creates the resources declared in the \kubernetes\catalog.yaml file in the "catalog" namespace of the cluster		

Viewing resources	
kubectl get pods -n catalog	Lists all pods in the "catalog" namespace
kubectl get podsall-namespaces	Lists all pods in all namespaces
kubectl describe pods [POD_NAME] -n catalog	Shows details of the specified pod in the "catalog" namespace
kubectl get services -n catalog	Lists all the services in the "catalog" namespace
kubectl get nodes	Lists all nodes
kubectl get secrets -n catalog	Lists all secrets in the "catalog" namespace

kubectl get secret [SECRET_NAME] -n catalog -o yaml	Displays the specified secret, from the "catalog" namespace, sending the output as yaml
kubectl get deployments -n catalog	Lists all deployments in the "catalog" namespace

Deleting resources	
kubectl delete pod [POD_NAME] -n catalog	Deletes the specified pod, which lives in the "catalog" namespace
kubectl delete service [SERVICE_NAME] -n catalog	Deletes the specified service, which lives in the "catalog" namespace
kubectl delete secret [SECRET_NAME] -n catalog	Deletes the specified secret, which lives in the "catalog" namespace
kubectl delete deployment [DEPLOYMENT_NAME] -n catalog	Deletes the specified deployment, which lives in the "catalog" namespace

Interacting with pods and nodes	
kubectl logs [POD_NAME] -n catalog	Dumps the logs of the specified pod, which lives in the "catalog" namespace
kubectl logs [POD_NAME] -n catalogfollow	Streams the logs of the specified pod as they show up
kubectl top podall-namespaces	Shows pod metrics across all namespaces
kubectl top node	Shows node metrics