

Visual Studio Code

Tips and Tricks

Foreword

This presentation is open source and available on [Github](#).

You can view this presentation at  [GitHub](#)

 neave.dev/vscode, [PowerPoint](#) and [PDF](#)

Documentation and Updates

<https://www.youtube.com/@code>

<https://code.visualstudio.com/docs>

<https://code.visualstudio.com/docs/getstarted/introvideos>

<https://code.visualstudio.com/docs/getstarted/tips-and-tricks>

<https://code.visualstudio.com/updates>

Inbuilt Features

- Help Menu
 - [Keyboard Shortcut reference](#)
 - Walkthroughs
 - Command Palette CTRL+SHIFT+P
- Demo Mode
- Navigate between recently opened files and workspaces
<kbd>Ctrl+R</kbd>
- Next Problem in Files <kbd>F8</kbd>
- Profiles
- Synchronized Settings

Customisation

Settings.json

```
{
  "editor.fontFamily": "'Cascadia Code'",
  "editor.formatOnSave": true,
  "editor.rulers": [ 120 ],
  "editor.stickyScroll.enabled": true,
  "editor.trimAutoWhitespace": true,
  "explorer.fileNesting.enabled": true,
  "files.trimTrailingWhitespace": true,
  "git.branchPrefix": "yourusername/",
  "terminal.integrated.fontFamily": "'CaskaydiaCove Nerd Font Mono','Cascadia Code',Consolas,'Courier New',monospace",
  "workbench.sideBar.location": "right"
}
```

File Nesting - See <https://www.youtube.com/shorts/5kikdSqDm48>

Extensions

Marp

This slide deck written in Markdown within VSCode. I used the Marp extension to export to PowerPoint. <https://marp.app/>

Side note, Marp has a CLI - so this slide has a CI/CD pipeline 😊

Others

- CoPilot
- Atlassian
- Azure
- AWS
- Docker
- Developer Containers
- Error Lens
- Polacode
- Polygot Notebooks
- Rapid Clients