**Java Learning Series – Day 2**

#FromNotepadToCode: Writing Your First Java Program 🖋️✨

If you think you need fancy IDEs to start Java, think again.  
Today, I wrote my **first Java program using just Notepad** — yes, the plain old Notepad on Windows!  
And trust me, it was a game-changer. Here's how it went 👇

**🛠️ Step-by-Step: Writing Java in Notepad**

public class HelloWorld {

public static void main(String[] args) {

System.out.println("Hello, world!");

}

}

**🔍 Line-by-Line Breakdown:**

✅ public class HelloWorld  
This defines a class called HelloWorld. In Java, everything begins with a class!

✅ public static void main(String[] args)  
This is the **entry point** of any Java application. It tells the JVM: "Start executing from here."

✅ System.out.println("Hello, world!");  
This prints the message to the screen. Your first output!

**💡 What I Learned Today**

1. The **importance of main()** method in every Java program.
2. Why we write static even when Java is object-oriented.
3. The difference between System.out.println() and print().
4. How Java is compiled with javac and executed with java.

**🚀 How I Ran It (Manually!)**

* Wrote code in Notepad and saved it as HelloWorld.java.
* Opened CMD → navigated to file location.
* Compiled it with javac HelloWorld.java.
* Ran it with java HelloWorld.

Seeing that “Hello, world!” printed on the screen felt magical. 🌟

**🧠 Takeaway**

You don’t need a heavyweight IDE to start coding in Java. A simple Notepad and a curious mind are more than enough. 💻

Tomorrow, I’ll explore **data types and variables** — stay tuned!

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