npm

- node package manager
- a utility to manage th package develoed for nodejs
- can be used for
 - installing paackages
 - upgrading

a baic express application

```
const express = require('express')

const app = express()
app.listen(3000,'0.0.0.0',() => {
    console.log('server started)
} )
```

route

• mapping of http method,url, and handeler (function)

```
//this route wiill be invoked when the request
app.get('/',(request,response) => {
   response.end()
})
```