

R & D on Local Storage and Session Storage

Local Storage:

Local Storage is a web storage which are not sent to server with each request. This data survives a full page refresh and even a full browser restart.

Like `localStorage.SetItem("name", "riya")`

Javascript code:

```
let key = prompt("Enter key you want to set")
let value = prompt("Enter value you want to set")
localStorage.setItem(key, value)
console.log(`The value at ${key} is ${localStorage.getItem(key)}`)
if (key == "red" || key == "blue") {
  localStorage.removeItem(key)
}
if (key == 0) {
  localStorage.clear()
}
```

These are the methods provided by the local storage:

- 1.setItem(Key,Item)-** store the key value pair
- 2.getItem(Key,Item)-** get the key value pair
- 3.removeItem(key)-** remove the key with its value
- 4.clear()-** delete everything
- 5.key(index)-** get the key on a given position
- 6.length-** the no. of stored items

We can get & set values like an object

```
LocalStorage.one=1
Alert(localStorage.one)
Delete localStorage.one
```

Important things to remember:

1. Both Keys and Value must be strings.
2. We can use the two Json methods to store object in local Storage.

Json.stringify(object) – converts objects to JSON strings

Json.parse(object) – converts strings to objects

(must be a valid JSON)

Session Storage:

It is used less often than the local storage. Properties & methods are same as local storage. But:

1. The Session storage exists only within the current browser tab. Another tab with the same page will have a different storage.
2. The data survives on page refresh, but not closing, opening another tab.

Storage Event:

When the data gets updated in the local storage or session storage, storage event triggers with these properties.

1. **Key** – the key
2. **Old value** – previous value
3. **New value** – new value
4. **URL** – page URL
5. **Storage Area** – local or storage session

Example: `windows.onstorage (e) => {`

```
Alert("changed")
```

```
Console.log(e)
```

```
}
```

Console: `localStorage.setItem("name", "riya")`

```
localStorage.setItem("name", "riya1")
```