

Data Types - Strings

Strings

A string is a collection of text, numbers, or symbols. Strings are always surrounded by quotation marks.

```
String words = "This is a string";  
System.out.print(words);
```

TRY IT

This is a string

What happens if you:

- Use single (`'`) quotation marks?
- Forget one of the quotation marks?
- Forget both quotation marks?

TRY IT

This is a string

Notice that when you print a string, the quotation marks are not printed.

Variables - Strings

Select the correct line of code to declare and assign the `var` variable.

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```
string var = "this is a string";
```

```
String var = 'this is a string';
```

Construct your solution here

```
String var = "this is a string";
```

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String var = "this is a string";
```

Unlike the other data types so far, `String` is uppercase. The string must be surrounded by double quotation marks `"`.