Summary

Interfaces and type checking

Duck typing

Declare and use interfaces

Extend interfaces

Implement interfaces with classes



Implementing interfaces with classes

Class Types

```
interface Librarian {
    doWork: () => void;
}
class ElementarySchoolLibrarian implements Librarian {
    doWork() {
        console.log('Reading to and teaching children...');
    }
}
let kidsLibrarian: Librarian = new ElementarySchoolLibrarian();
kidsLibrarian.doWork();
```



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    catalogNumber: number;
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Defining and using interfaces



Restructuring the LibraryManager App

```
interface Book {
   id: number;
   title: string;
   author: string;
   pages?: number;
   markDamaged: (reason: string) => void;
}
```

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interface Duck {
    walk: () => void;
    swim: () => void;
    quack: () => void;
}
let probablyADuck = {
    walk: () => console.log('walking like a duck'),
    swim: () => console.log('swimming like a duck'),
    quack: () => console.log('quacking like a duck')
}
function FlyOverWater(bird: Duck) {
}
FlyOverWater(probablyADuck); // works!!!
```

"When I see a bird that walks like a duck and swims like a duck and quacks like a duck, I call that bird a duck."

James Whitcomb Riley

Source: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Duck_test



Contracts that define types

Compiler enforces the contract via type checking

Collection of property and method definitions

Duck typing



What is an interface?

Duck typing

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