

Cookies-personalize-form.html

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<html>

<head>

    <title>Personalize the Site</title>

</head>


<body>


<form action="cookie-personalize-response.jsp">

    Select your favorite programming language

    <select name="favoriteLanguage">

        <option>Java</option>

        <option>C#</option>

        <option>PHP</option>

        <option>Ruby</option>

    </select>

    <br/><br/>

    <input type = "submit" value = "Submit" />

</form>

</body>


</html>
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Cookie-personalize-response.jsp

```
<html>

<head>
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```
<title>Confirmation</title>
</head>
<%
    // Reading form data
    String favLang = request.getParameter("favoriteLanguage");

    // Create the cookie
    Cookie theCookie = new Cookie("myApp.favoriteLanguage", favLang);

    // Set the life span ... to (total number of seconds)
    theCookie.setMaxAge(60*60*24*365);

    // send cookie to the browser
    response.addCookie(theCookie);
%>

<body>
Thanks: We set your programming language to ${param.favoriteLanguage}

<br/>

<a href = "cookies-homepage.jsp">Return to Homepage.</a>
</body>

</html>
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Cookies-homepage.jsp

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<html>
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<body>
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```
<h3> My Portal</h3>
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```
<!-- read the favorite programming language -->
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```
<%
```

```
    // the default.. if there are no cookies
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```
    String favLang = "java";
```

```
    // get cookies from the browser request
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```
    Cookie[] theCookies = request.getCookies();
```

```
        // find our favorite language
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```
        if (theCookies != null) {
```

```
            for (Cookie tempCookie : theCookies) {
```

```
                if ("myApp.favoriteLanguage".equals(tempCookie.getName())) {
```

```
                    favLang = tempCookie.getValue();
```

```
                    break;
```

```
                }
```

```
            }
```

```
        }
```

```
%>
```

```
<h4>Show new books for <%= favLang %></h4>
```

```
<ul>
```

```
    <li>Book 1</li>
```

```
    <li>Book 2</li>
```

```
</ul>
```

<h4>Latest reports for <%= favLang %></h4>

Book 1

Book 2

<h4>Hot jobs for <%= favLang %></h4>

Book 1

Book 2

<hr>

 Personalize this page

</body>

</html>