## **Typescript // Cheatsheet**

## Installing typescript

You can install **typescript** in two different ways.

- Via Npm
- or through Visual studio plugin

# Installing Typescript through NPM and running a typescript file

- 1. Download and install node.js
- 2. open cmd/terminal
- 3. enter the following
  - > npm install -g typescript
- 4. create a new file with '.ts' extension
- 5. open the terminal/cmd and type
  - > tsc <nameofthefile>.ts

## **Typescript**

#### What is typescript?

Typescript is a syntatically typed javascript.

## **Typescript basics**

#### **Data Types**

There are 3 data types

- number
- string
- boolean

```
var num: number = 25;
var aName: string = "renz";
var isAlive: boolean = true;
console.log(num + ' ' + name + ' ' + isAlive); // 25 renz
true
```

You can declare a variable with **any** type of data in it.

```
var someData1: any = 25;
var someData2: any = true;
var someData3: any = "bazingga";

console.log(someData1 + ' ' + someData1 + ' ' + someData1
); // 25 true bazingga
```

#### **Constant variables**

You can declare a constant variable in typescript. constant variables are

unchangeable values.

```
const num1 = 25;
console.log(num1) // 25
num1 = 30; // false
```

#### **Functions**

You can declare a function that returns nothing (void)

```
function theresNothingHere(): void {
   console.log("Hodor");
}
console.log(theresNothingHere()); // Hodor
```

You can also declare functions that returns a certain type of data

```
function returnsNumbers(num1: number, num2: number): numb
er {
    return num1 + num2;
}
```

```
function returnFullName(fname: string, lname: string): st
ring {
    return fname + ' ' + lname;
}
console.log(returnsNumbers(25 , 25)); // 50
console.log(returnFullName('Renz', 'Pulvira')); // Renz P
ulvira
```

In function arguments. you can put **Optional types** in the function arguments. it means that you can put a value on the arguments or *not*.

```
function getAgeOrHeight(age?: number, height?: number) :
number {
   if(height == NaN) {
      return age;
   } else if(age == NaN) {
      return height;
   } else {
      return 404;
   }
}
console.log("Age: " + getAgeOrHeight()); // age: 404
```

#### **Interface**

Interface are a special type that you can edit/create yourself for other values. for example you can create a type that has the same properties of a car.

```
/*
*
    When you wan't to create a complex data type
    Using Interface is a good way to create a variable
    with a property inside of it.
*
*/
// This variable has certain properties
interface dog {
    sound: string;
    theName: string;
    age: number;
}
// Defining the values of properties with the 'dog' inter
face
let dogProp:dog = {
    sound: "Bark!",
    theName: "Marco",
```

```
age: 4
};

// outputting the declared variables
console.log(dogProp.sound);
console.log(dogProp.theName);
console.log(dogProp.age);
```

You can also use **optional types** when declaring the interface properties.

```
interface carProp {
    unit: string,
    color: string,
    wheels?: number,
    volume()?: void;
}
let myCar: carProp = {
    unit: 'BMW',
    color: 'red'
    volume: () => {
        console.log("VRUUUM");
    }
console.log(myCar.unit); // BMW
```

#### Classes

Creating a class in typescript is a little similar to javascript when declaring classes. classes behaves like a blueprint.

```
class Dog {
    name: string;
    constructor(theName: string){
        this.name = theName;
    }

    sayName(){
        return this.name;
    }
}

let Animal = new Dog("Marco");

console.log("This dog's name is " + Animal.sayName()); //
    This dog's name is Marco
```

#### **Arrow functions**

Arrow functions anonymous functions that is more concise in syntax.

they are sometimes called 'fat arrow' because of the '=>' symbol in arrow functions.

arrow functions are more concise in writing function expressions.

```
// With arguments
let Monster = (itHas: string, itSounds: string) => {
    console.log("It has " + itHas);
    console.log("and it sounds " + itSounds);
};

// Without arguments
let Monster = () => { console.log('Monster unknown') };
```

#### **Inheritance**

Inheritance are an important part in OOP. you can **extend** some certain class to another class and use it's variables/functions.

```
class Dog {
    constructor(action){

    }
}

class Cat extends Dog{
    constructor(action, name){
        super(action);
}
```

```
}
```

## Super class

Super class are a way of using the original variables on the extended class.

```
class Dog {
    constructor(name, action){
        this.name = name;
        this.action = action;
    }
}

class Cat extends Dog {
    constructor(name, action){
        this.action = super(action);
    }
}
```

### **Getters and Setters**

Getters are very useful and important to OO Programming. the **get** method

usually used for returning data, and set method sets a value for

constant or special variables.

```
class Animal {
    private _weight: number;

    get weight():number {
        return weight;
    }

    set weight(weight) {
        this._weight = weight;
    }
}
```

## **Generic functions**