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Graphics and Animation:

Event-Driven Programming

Part 4 -

Timed Events

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*def: a timed event is
when a timer runs out.*

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Fact: a timer running out
can be thought of as an
event.

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Q:

How do I teach the Python turtle window to "set up" a timer?

A:

`turtle.ontimer`

Syntax of timer setting

turtle.ontimer (*a handler, how long*)

Red text is
REQUIRED by Python
syntax!

Handwriting means
"your choice"

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e.g.

turtle.ontimer (*gameOver*, 3000)

Set the timer for 3 seconds

Handler to do when the timer runs out

#after 3 seconds, do gameOver

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e.g.

turtle.ontimer (*jump*, 5000)

Set the timer for 5 seconds

Handler to do when the timer runs out

#after 5 seconds, do jump

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- For two complete examples, visit:

<https://bit.ly/teExample1>

<https://bit.ly/teExample2>