General Assembly

Events + State

- Mid course drinks + survey on Wednesday
 - Want pizza? (Something else?) Bring dollarydoos Wednesday
- Class Rules reminder
- Thanks for Exit Tickets
- How was everyone's weekend?
 - Mine: When my friend told me to stop acting like a flamingo I had to put my foot down.

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Objectives

- Understand advanced event usage
- Use event delegation for child element events
- Introduce State Management
- Understand MVC
- Use templating to generate DOM

JS1 Slackbots Recap

- Botkit
- npm
- I write missleading instructions
- Listen for keywords and respond
- Introduced First Project (due end of June)

JS1

Events + State

• First; a recap

Event Listeners

```
var button = document.querySelector('#some-button')
button.onclick = () => {
   console.log('button clicked')
}
```

• We *can* use .onclick, but...

Event Listeners

```
var button = document.querySelector('#some-button')
button.addEventListener('click', () => {
   console.log('button clicked')
})
```

- [vocab]: addEventListener
- .addEventListener is better
 - Doesn't overwrite previous event listeners

Event Object

```
var button = document.querySelector('#some-button')
button.addEventListener('click', (event) => {
   console.log(event.target)
})
```

> <button id="some-button">Click Me</button>

- [vocab]: event.target
- event.target is the original node that triggered the event

- Some events don't cause the browser to do anything by default
 - eg; 'hover'
- Others do
 - eg; default when 'click' on an <a> tag === open that URL
 - But not *all* 'click' events do that
- Called "Cancellable Events"

```
<a id="cancel-me" href="http://mdn.io">MDN</a>
var hyperlink = document.querySelector('#cancel-me')
hyperlink.addEventListener('click', (event) => {
})
```

- Listening to a click event like normal
- Clicking the <a> now would open the URL

```
<a id="cancel-me" href="http://mdn.io">MDN</a>
var hyperlink = document.querySelector('#cancel-me')
hyperlink.addEventListener('click', (event) => {
   event.preventDefault()
})
```

- [vocab]: event.preventDefault()
- Clicking <a> now would do nothing
 - The *default* action has been prevented
- Let's try it...

```
var hyperlinks = document.querySelectorAll('a')
var linksArray = Array.from(hyperlinks)
linksArray.forEach((links) => {
   link.addEventListener('click', (event) => {
     event.preventDefault()
   })
})
```

- [Think Pair Share 5min] What does this do?
- Try it: Execute on any page with links then click them
- Other example: Prevent default click action on a checkbox (ie; prevent it from being checked)

Event Dispatch

Given HTML: bit.ly/tasty-fruit

- Capture Phase
- Target Phase
- Bubble Phase

- [on board]: DOM tree
- Events don't start at Node that triggered it
 - Start at document and *trickle down*
 - Known as Capture Phase
- Once hit node that triggered it, start to Bubble
 - Known as Bubble Phase
 - Go back UP the DOM tree
- [vocab]: Capture/Target/Bubble phase

Capture Phase

```
var body = document.querySelector('body')
body.addEventListener('click', (event) => {
   console.log(event.target)
}, true)
```

- To handle an event, set 3rd param of addEventListener to true
- This example captures *any* click on *any* element in the <body>
- Behaves the same as before
- But will be executed before other phases

Target Phase

```
var button = document.querySelector('#some-button')
button.addEventListener('click', (event) => {
   console.log(event.target)
})
```

- Same as we saw earlier
- What most folks are familiar with

Bubble Phase

```
var body = document.querySelector('body')
body.addEventListener('click', (event) => {
   console.log(event.target)
})
```

- Almost same as Capture phase, but no true as 3rd param
- Bubble phase is *cancellable*
 - The other phases are *not* cancellable

Bubble Phase

```
var button = document.querySelector('#some-button')
button.addEventListener('click', (event) => {
   event.stopPropagation()
})
```

- [vocab]: event.stopPropagation()
- Cancels event from propagating further up DOM tree
- But, still executes all listeners at current level

Given HTML: bit.ly/tasty-fruit

```
document.querySelector('body').addEventListener('click', (event) => {
  console.log('clicked body')
}, true)
document.querySelector('li').addEventListener('click', (event) => {
  console.log('clicked li')
  event.stopPropagation()
})
document.querySelector('ul').addEventListener('click', (event) => {
  console.log('clicked ul')
})
```

- > clicked body
- > clicked li

- [Think & Pair]: What does this output?
 - Tip: Draw a DOM tree + events to visualize Prints:

clicked body clicked li

• Why is this usefull? ...

Event Delegation

- allows capturing events on children
- So children can be removed / added as we please
 - No new listeners need to be added

```
var body = document.querySelector('body')
body.addEventListener('click', (event) => {
    console.log('clicked li, handled in body')
    console.log(event.target)
})
```

- Given same *Tasty Fruit* page
 - This example has a problem
 - [ask class] What is it?
 - Will trigger on <h2> clicks too

```
var body = document.querySelector('body')
body.addEventListener('click', (event) => {
    console.log('clicked li, handled in body')
    console.log(event.target)
})
```

```
var body = document.querySelector('body')
body.addEventListener('click', (event) => {

  if (event.target.matches('li')) {
    console.log('clicked li, handled in body')
    console.log(event.target)
  }
})
```

- [vocab]: <Element>.matches
- <Element>.matches to the rescue!
- Supports same query as document.querySelector
- Still a problem!
 - [Try it in Chrome console on fruits page]
 - Anyone figure out what the issue is?
 - Doesn't fire when clicking Blood because it is a inside an , not an itself
 - Have find closest in DOM

```
var body = document.querySelector('body')
body.addEventListener('click', (event) => {
   var closestMatch = closest(event.target, 'li')
   if (closestMatch) {
      console.log('clicked li, handled in body')
      console.log(closestMatch)
   }
})
```



```
function closest(element, query) {
  while (element !== document) {
    if (element.matches(query)) {
      return element
    <u>element</u> = element.parentNode
  return null
```

- [vocab]: closest
- [Walk through each line]: Use DOM tree to illustrate

```
var body = document.querySelector('body')
body.addEventListener('click', (event) => {
  var closestMatch = closest(event.target, 'li')
  if (closestMatch) {
    console.log('clicked li, handled in body')
    console.log(closestMatch)
      return element
```



```
function delegate(selector, eventName, targetSelector, listener) {
  var delegatedTo = document.guerySelector(selector)
  delegatedTo.addEventListener(eventName, (event) => {
    var closestMatch = closest(event.target, targetSelector)
    if (closestMatch) {
      event.delegateTarget = closestMatch
      listener(event)
```

- [vocab]: delegate / event.delegateTarget
- closest hasn't changed
- delegate is a helper function derived from previous snippet
- event.delegateTarget to compliment event.target
- Simplifies code

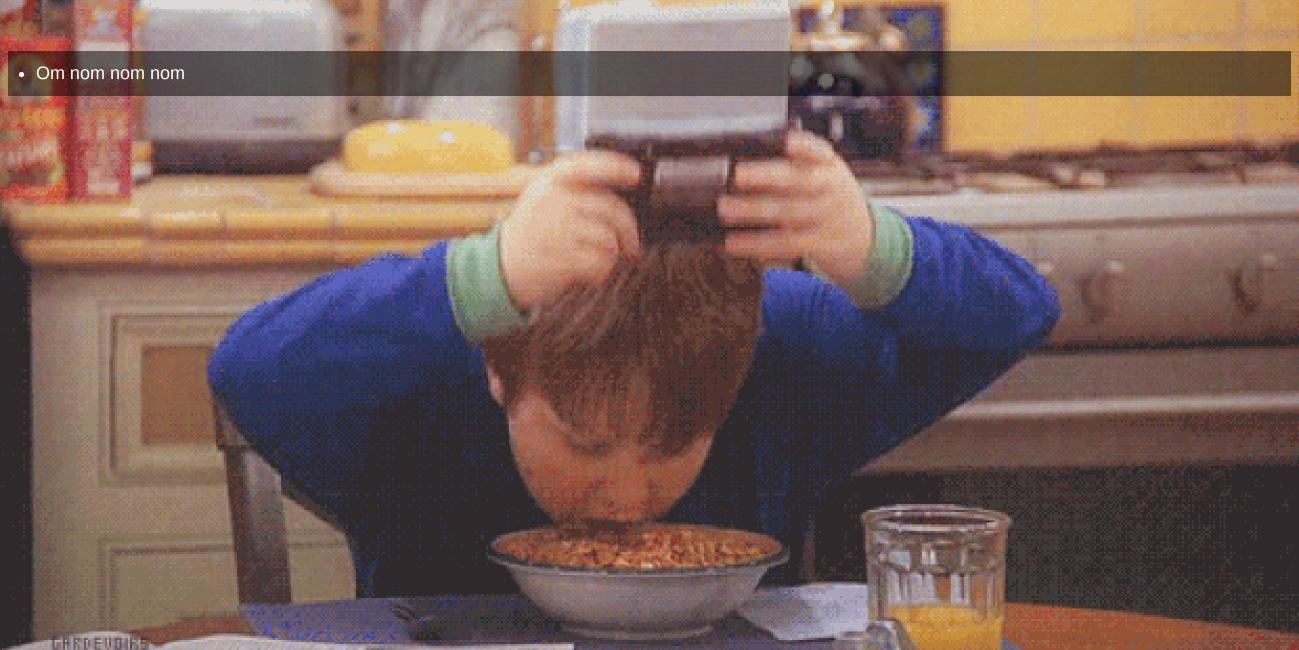
- 1. Save this page bit.ly/tasty-fruit
- 2. Add the script as per bit.ly/js1-utilities
- 3. Use the DevTools Console to an event listener to <body> which listens for clicks on 1>s and their children
- 4. Check your solution works when clicking "Blood" in "Blood Orange"

```
delegate('body', 'click', 'li', (event) => {
  console.log('clicked li, handled in body')
  console.log(event.delegateTarget)
})
```

- Listens on body for clicks anywhere within an li.
- Prints out the li which had the event

```
$('body').on('click', 'li', function (event) {
  console.log('clicked li, handled in body')
  console.log(this)
})
```

- This is the equivalent in jQuery
 - But we don't need to pull in all of jQuery's bulk!



```
delegate('body', 'click', 'li', (event) => {
  console.log('clicked li, handled in body')
  console.log(event.delegateTarget)
})
```

- Our new delegate method is nice, but why?
- Only have to add single lisener, not once per child element
 - Simplifies code
 - DRY
 - document.createElement/ulEl.appendChild-listeners are already listening
- Don't rely on DOM as single source of truth...

Events + State

State

- [vocab]: "State", "State Transition", "Events"
- State is how your application looks at a particular time
- A *State Transition* is moving from one state to another
- *Events* cause state transitions

State

[Light off]

- Example from first lesson; psuedocode
- Current state of application; light is off

State

```
[Light off] -> (button pressed) -> [Light on]
[Light on] -> (button pressed) -> [Light off]
```

- Event occurs, transitions to new state; light is on
- Same event triggers both state transitions
- Needs a conditional to check which transition to do
- What data do we check in conditional?

Given this HTML:

```
<div id='container'>
    <div id='light'>off</div>
    <button>Click me</button>
</div>
```



```
var button = document.querySelector('button')
var light = document.querySelector('#light')

button.addEventListener('click', () => {
   if (light.innerHTML === 'on') {
      light.innerHTML = 'off'
   } else {
      light.innerHTML = 'on'
   }
})
```

Can check DOM, but is global variable, might be changed						

```
var button = document.querySelector('button')
var light = document.querySelector('#light')
var lightState = 'off'

button.addEventListener('click', () => {
   if (lightState === 'on') {
      lightState = 'off'
   } else {
      lightState = 'on'
   }
   light.innerHTML = lightState
})
```

Now we're keeping state in our application, not DOM		

```
(function() {
  var button = document.querySelector('button')
  var light = document.querySelector('#light')
  var lightState = 'off'

button.addEventListener('click', () => {
   if (lightState === 'on') {
     lightState = 'off'
   } else {
     lightState = 'on'
   }
  light.innerHTML = lightState
})
}()
```

- Wrap in IIFE to keep state private
- Good, but still relies on the DOM (for 'button' & '#light' elements)
 - Particularly to set .innerHTML
 - Let's split DOM and state management...

```
(function() {
  var button = document.querySelector('button')
  var container = document.querySelector('#container')
  var lightState = 'off'
  button.addEventListener('click', () => {
    if (lightState === 'on') {
     lightState = 'off'
   } else {
     lightState = 'on'
    render(lightState, container)
  })
  function render(data, into) {
    into.innerHTML = '<div id="light">' + data + '</div>'
    into.innerHTML += '<button>Click me</button>'
```

- Separates render & DOM from state
- Note no light element selector anymore
- [ask class]: Spot the bug?
 - button's event listener will go away after the first time render() is called

```
(function() {
  var container = document.querySelector('#container')
  var lightState = 'off'
  delegate('#container', 'click', 'button', () => {
    if (lightState === 'on') {
     lightState = 'off'
   } else {
     lightState = 'on'
    render(lightState, container)
  })
  function render(data, into) {
    into.innerHTML = '<div id="light">' + data + '</div>'
    into.innerHTML += '<button>Click me</button>'
```

- delegate will persiste between render calls
- Note no need to get button element anymore either

```
(function() {
  var container = document.querySelector('#container')
  var lightState = 'off'
  var buttonText = 'Turn On'
  delegate('#container', 'click', 'button', () => {
    if (lightState === 'on') {
      lightState = 'off'
      buttonText = 'Turn On'
    } else {
     lightState = 'on'
      buttonText = 'Turn Off'
    render(lightState, buttonText, container)
  function render(data, button, into) {
    into.innerHTML = '<div id="light">' + data + '</div>'
    into.innerHTML += '<button>' + button + '</button>'
```

- Allows setting other state easily
- no DOM manipulation required!

```
(function() {
  var container = document.guerySelector('#container')
  var state = {light: 'off', button: 'Turn On'}
  delegate('#container', 'click', 'button', () => {
    if (state.light === 'on') {
      state.light = 'off'
      state.button = 'Turn On'
    } else {
      state.light = 'on'
      state.button = 'Turn Off'
    render(state, container)
  function render(data, into) {
    into.innerHTML = '<div id="light">' + data.light + '</div>'
    into.innerHTML += '<button>' + data.button + '</button>'
```

- Easier to manage state as a single object
- This split is known as MVC...

```
var container = document.guerySelector('#container')
var state = {light: 'off', button: 'Turn On'}
   state.light = 'off'
   state.button = 'Turn On'
 render(state, container)
 into.innerHTML += '<button>' + data.button + '</button>'
```

- [vocab]: Model
- Model is the state object

```
var container = document.guerySelector('#container')
   state.light = 'off'
   state.button = 'Turn On'
 render(state, container)
function render(data, into) {
 into.innerHTML = '<div id="light">' + data.light + '</div>'
  into.innerHTML += '<button>' + data.button + '</button>'
```

- [vocab]: View
- View is what's rendered to the user

```
var container = document.guerySelector('#container')
delegate('#container', 'click', 'button', () => {
 if (state.light === 'on') {
    state.light = 'off'
    state.button = 'Turn On'
 } else {
    state.light = 'on'
    state.button = 'Turn Off'
  render(state, container)
 into.innerHTML += '<button>' + data.button + '</button>'
```

- [vocab]: Controller
- Controller is where Model is updated and View is re-rendered
- Enemy Of The State talk by Amy Palamountain
- Be warned: MVC is defined differently all over the place
 - Some say put M/V/C in diff files. I prefer to keep together.

Exercise / Homework

Re-do the TODO List Homework, with these additions:

- Event delegation
- Separate State from DOM
- Use a View Template

```
state.light = 'off'
   state.button = 'Turn On'
function render(data, into) {
  into.innerHTML = '<div id="light">' + data.light + '</div>'
 into.innerHTML += '<button>' + data.button + '</button>'
```

Let's look at just the render function		

Templates

```
function render(data, into) {
  into.innerHTML = '<div id="light">' + data.light + '</div>'
  into.innerHTML += '<button>' + data.button + '</button>'
}
```

- [vocab]: Template
- Better way to build string

ES6 Template Strings

```
function render(data, into) {
  into.innerHTML = `<div id="light">${data.light}</div>`
  into.innerHTML += `<button>${data.button}</button>`
}
```

- Uses ` instead of ' or "
- Wrap JS expressions in \${ }



ES6 Template Strings

```
function render(data, into) {
  into.innerHTML = `
  <div id="light">${data.light}</div>
  <button>${data.button}</button>
  `
}
```

Supports multi line strings!

Will include the new line at start and end of string too				

ES6 Template Strings

```
function render(data, into) {
  into.innerHTML = `
  <div id="light">${data.light.toUpperCase()}</div>
  <button>${data.button}</button>
  `
}
```

Inside \${ } is any Javascript expression



ES6 Template Strings

```
function render(data, into) {
  into.innerHTML = `
  <div id="light">${data.light === 'on' ? `ON!!!` : `OFF`}</div>
  <button>${data.button}</button>
  `
}
```

• Inside \${ } is any Javascript expression

• Eg; a ternary that returns a string, etc.		

Templating Libraries

- Mustache
- Handlebars.js
- Pug (formerly Jade)

- Beyond template strings
- Libraries that do more advanced templating

Exercise / Homework

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- Event delegation
- Separate State from DOM
- Use a View Template

• [share lesson-08-events-and-state-practice.zip]

JS1 Objectives

Revisit each of the objectives on board		

JS1 Next Lesson

- Callbacks
- Async JS
- Intro to Promises

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Questions?

JS1 Exit Tickets

http://ga.co/js1syd

• [share in Slack]

General Assembly JS1

- Extra resources:
 - DOM Event specification (Long and technical, but really interesting!)
 - Enemy Of The State talk by Amy Palamountain
 - DOM Utility functions