

# General Assembly

Conditionals And  
Intro to Functions

- Not "And loops" we did that last lesson
- Class Rules reminder
- Thanks for Exit Tickets
- Any completed homework - send it via Slack
- Joke: Use a lot of internet resource to plan lessons, I went to [www.conjunctivitis.com](http://www.conjunctivitis.com). *That's* a site for sore eyes!

# JS1

## Last Lesson Recap

- Command Line JS
- Data Types + Variables
- Arrays (`var ages = [14, 56]`)
- Array Methods
- Loops + Iterating Arrays
- [Ask class] Questions / clarifications?

# Last Lesson Recap

Homework

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## Homework

```
var ratingsAllowed = ages.map(function(age) {  
  return ratings.filter(function(rating, index) {  
    return age >= ratingAges[index]  
  })  
})  
  
ages.forEach(function(age, index) {  
  console.log('Age ' + age + ' is allowed to see: '  
    + ratingsAllowed[index].toString())  
})
```

# Last Lesson Recap

## Homework

```
var allowed = ages.forEach(function(num){  
  function ratingsFilter(value, i){  
    return num >= minAgeForRating[i]  
  }  
  
  var filteredRatings = ratings.filter(ratingsFilter);  
  
  console.log("If you're aged\t", num,  
    "\tthen you can watch ratings\t",  
    filteredRatings.toString() )  
});
```

- June 13th Queen's Birthday
- June 16th for class? Thursday?





# General Assembly

Conditionals And  
Intro to Functions

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## Objectives

- Use `if/else` conditionals and Logical Operators (`!`, `&&`, `||`)
- Differentiate `true` / `false` / truth-y / false-y
- Understand the purpose of functions
- Declare functions in your code

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Conditionals And  
Intro to Functions

# Conditional Statements

- A way to select which block of code to execute
- conditionals have 3 forms: if/else, ternary, switch/case
  - Wont be looking at switch/case
  - Can provide homework for it if interested
- Every condition is true or false

- [on board]:

```
if (<condition>) {  
  <code when true>  
}
```

- Optional else when not true:

```
if (<condition>) {  
  <code when true>  
} else {  
  <code when false>  
}
```

- Already saw this in our psuedo code from lesson 00
- Point out < & > notation

# Conditionals And Intro to Functions

## Conditional Statements

```
if (true) {  
  console.log('Foo')  
} else {  
  console.log('Bar')  
}
```

- simplest form
- `else` will never execute

# Conditionals And Intro to Functions

## Conditional Statements

```
if (false) {  
  console.log('Foo')  
} else {  
  console.log('Bar')  
}
```



- only `else` will ever execute

# Conditionals And Intro to Functions

## Conditional Statements

```
if (5 > 10) {  
  console.log('Foo')  
} else {  
  console.log('Bar')  
}
```

- Anything that is a yes/no question
- Note, equivalent to `if (5 > 10 === true)`

# Conditionals And Intro to Functions

## Conditional Statements

```
if (5 > 10) {  
  console.log('Foo')  
} else if (4 > 2) {  
  console.log('Bar')  
} else {  
  console.log('Zip')  
}
```

- `else if` When you have multiple conditions

# Conditionals And Intro to Functions

## Ternary Operators

```
if (<condition>) {  
    <code when true>  
} else {  
    <code when false>  
}
```

- Given our original if/else definition

# Conditionals And Intro to Functions

## Ternary Operators

```
<condition> ?  
  <code when true>  
:  
  <code when false>
```

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- Ternary means "3 parts"
- Which simplifies to:

# Conditionals And Intro to Functions

## Ternary Operators

```
<condition> ?  
  <code when true>  
:  
  <code when false>
```

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```
<condition> ? <code when true> : <code when false>
```

# Conditionals And Intro to Functions

## Ternary Operators

```
5 > 10 ? console.log('Foo') : console.log('Bar')
```

- ternary also returns a value

# Conditionals And Intro to Functions

## Ternary Operators

```
var name = 5 > 10 ? 'Foo' : 'Bar'  
console.log(name)
```

- No curly braces, so no block
  - No block, means different scope (next lesson)
- Only 1 statement / value per true/false

# Comparison Operators

# Conditionals And Intro to Functions

Comparison Operators

**Equality Operators**

`==, ===, !=, !==`

**Relational Operators**



$>, >=$

$<, <=$

- We've seen  $>$  already.
- Relational Same as math at school

# Conditionals And Intro to Functions

## Equality Operators

1. `=`: Assignment Operator
2. `==`: Loose Equality ( `!=`: Loose *inequality* )
3. `===`: Strict Equality ( `!==`: Strict *inequality* )

- [on board] Assignment is `var foo = 'bar'`
- Loose is useful if you understand how the *type coercion* works
  - *coercion* is trying to get two types to be the same, having to convert the value from one type to the other.
- Strict is safest
- [in node], examples:
  - `1 === true` vs `1 == true` (true coerced to Number)
  - `"5" === 5` vs `"5" == 5` ("5" coerced to Number)
  - `{ } === { }` (no coercion, references differ)
  - `'[object Object]' == { }` ({ } coerced to String)
- `!` is *bang*, or *not symbol*, used to negate
  - `#!` is *shebang* (Ricky Martin She Bangs from 2000)
- More: [https://developer.mozilla.org/en-US/docs/Web/JavaScript/Equality\\_comparisons\\_and\\_sameness#Loose\\_equality\\_using](https://developer.mozilla.org/en-US/docs/Web/JavaScript/Equality_comparisons_and_sameness#Loose_equality_using)

# Conditionals And Intro to Functions

## Relational Operators

1. >: Greater than
2. >=: Greater than or Equal To
3. <: Less than
4. <=: Less than or Equal To

- There is no inequality (bang) versions
- "equal to" means; "loosely equal to"
- Should only use on numbers
- [example]:
  - `"10" >= 5`

# Conditionals And Intro to Functions

truth-y and false-y

- le; what is true/false in a conditional
  - Point to the conditional on the board



# Conditionals And Intro to Functions

truth-y and false-y

**For Strict Equality**

true

false

- Forget about comparison operators for now

# Conditionals And Intro to Functions

truth-y and false-y

**For Loose Equality**

- false
- 0
- "" (empty string)
- NaN
- null
- undefined

- Remember loose equality coerces the type
- Here, we're coercing to Boolean
- Everything else coerces to `true`

# Conditionals And Intro to Functions

truth-y and false-y

**bang bang**

- Bang Bang the song from Kill Bill (Cher, then Nany Sinatra 1966)
- [on board] First ! coerces to Boolean, and negates
  - Second ! negates again
  - Examples:
    - `!!true === true`
    - `!!{} === true`

# Conditionals And Intro to Functions

Logical Operators



- Used to check >1 condition at a time

# Conditionals And Intro to Functions

Logical Operators

AND: &&

OR: ||

NOT: !

- Ampersand, Pipe, Bang

# Conditionals And Intro to Functions

## Logical Operators

```
if (true && false) {  
}
```

```
if (true || false) {  
}
```

- [Ask class]: `true && true, false || false, etc`

# Conditionals And Intro to Functions

Logical Operators

**Short Circuits**

```
var name = (person && person.name) || "Sammy Default"
```

- Returns value of first truth-y part
- Walk through execution order

- Break + fizzbuzz = 45min





# Fizzbuzz Code Challenge

<http://bit.ly/fizzbuzz-challenge>

- Popular as an interview Q
- Now; popular ironically. If you haven't heard of it, you obviously don't participate in the community

# Fizzbuzz Code Challenge

<http://bit.ly/fizzbuzz-challenge>

Hints:

- <https://mdn.io/for>
- <https://mdn.io/remainder>

- 30 min
- Further work:
  - Comparison Operators: [https://developer.mozilla.org/en-US/docs/Web/JavaScript/Reference/Operators/Comparison\\_Operators](https://developer.mozilla.org/en-US/docs/Web/JavaScript/Reference/Operators/Comparison_Operators)
  - Logical Operators: [https://developer.mozilla.org/en-US/docs/Web/JavaScript/Reference/Operators/Logical\\_Operators](https://developer.mozilla.org/en-US/docs/Web/JavaScript/Reference/Operators/Logical_Operators)

# Conditionals And Intro to Functions

Functions

- What?
  - Designers: don't build page top-to-bottom
  - Build a Pattern Library
  - Re-usable parts of the whole
  - Analogy: Uber driver has a function
- Why?
  - Reusable statement(s)
  - Another variable
  - Don't Repeat Yourself (DRY)
- [Ask Class]: Functions in `fizzbuzz()`? inside the for loop
- [Anecdote]: Calculate age app | compare ages | duplicated an error (non-DRY)

# Conditionals And Intro to Functions

Defining

Function Declaration

Function Expression

- [on whiteboard]
  - Declaration: `function speak() {}`
  - Expression: `var speak = function() {}`
    - Just another data type
- Hoisting
- Walk through the syntax
  - Name only *required* for declaration



# Conditionals And Intro to Functions

Defining

Function Declaration

Function Expression

↳ ES6 Arrow Function

- "some diff, revisit next lesson"

# Conditionals And Intro to Functions

Calling

*(aka: Invoking)*

- defining vs invoking/calling/executing
- parens to call
  - examples already seen: `.toString()`, `.forEach()`
- [codealong]
  - Create a new file `functions.js`
  - `function foo() {}`
  - `var bar = function() {}`
  - Call the declaration & expression examples
- [Checks]:
  - Diff of definition vs expression?
  - [whiteboard] `var foo = [function speak() {}]`
  - What is `foo[0]`? Declaration or Expression? Why?
  - [Pair/Share]: How to convert `person.speak` to ES6 arrow function?

# Conditionals + Intro to Functions

Exercise: Rolling Dice

<http://bit.ly/dice-homework>

- Comparison Operators: [https://developer.mozilla.org/en-US/docs/Web/JavaScript/Reference/Operators/Comparison\\_Operators](https://developer.mozilla.org/en-US/docs/Web/JavaScript/Reference/Operators/Comparison_Operators)
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## Objectives

- Revisit each of the objectives on board



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## Next Lesson

- More Functions
- Scope & Scope Chains
- Closures
- What is `this`?

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## Questions?

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## Exit Tickets

<http://ga.co/js1syd>

- [\[share in Slack\]](#)

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