Essential Productivity:

- 1}. Live Server It instantly launches a local dev server with live reload for HTML/CSS/JS.
- 2}. Prettier Automatically formats code on save [supports JS/TS/HTML/CSS/JSON].

Version Control:

- 3}. GitLens Supercharges Git with inline blame, commit history and code authorship tracking.
- 4}. GitHub Copilot {AI-Powered} AI pair programmer that suggests code snippets in real time.

Language Support:

- 5}. ESLint Catches JavaScript/TypeScript errors and enforces code style.
- 6}. Python {Microsoft} Essential for Python devs [debugging, linting, IntelliSense].

Debugging & Testing:

- 7}. REST Client It sends HTTP requests directly from vs code [alternative to Postman].
- 8}. Docker Manage containers, images and Dockerfiles without leaving the editor.

UI & Navigation:

- 9}. Bracket Pair Colorizer— It color-matches brackets for better readability in nested code.
- 10}. TabNine {AI Autocomplete} AI–powered code completions beyond Copilot [supports 20+ languages].

Bonus Extension:

11}. Remote SSH — Allows you to edit code on a remote server as if it were local.