

ANECO ACADEMY

REACTJS - CLASS COMPONENT LIFE CYCLE METHODS

CLASS COMPONENT - LIFECYCLE METHODS

Lifecycle Methods

Mounting

When an instance of a component is being created and inserted into the DOM

Updating

When a component is being re-rendered as a result of changes to either its props or state

Unmounting

When a component is being removed from the DOM

Error Handling

When there is an error during rendering, in a lifecycle method, or in the constructor of any child component

CLASS COMPONENT - LIFECYCLE METHODS

Lifecycle Methods

Mounting

constructor, static getDerivedStateFromProps, render and componentDidMount

Updating

static getDerivedStateFromProps, shouldComponentUpdate, render, getSnapshotBeforeUpdate and componentDidUpdate

Unmounting

componentWillUnmount

Error Handling

static getDerivedStateFromError and componentDidCatch

Mounting Lifecycle Methods

constructor(props)

A special function that will get called whenever a new component is created.

Initializing state
Binding the event handlers

Do not cause side effects. Ex: HTTP requests

super(props)

Directly overwrite this.state

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constructor(props)



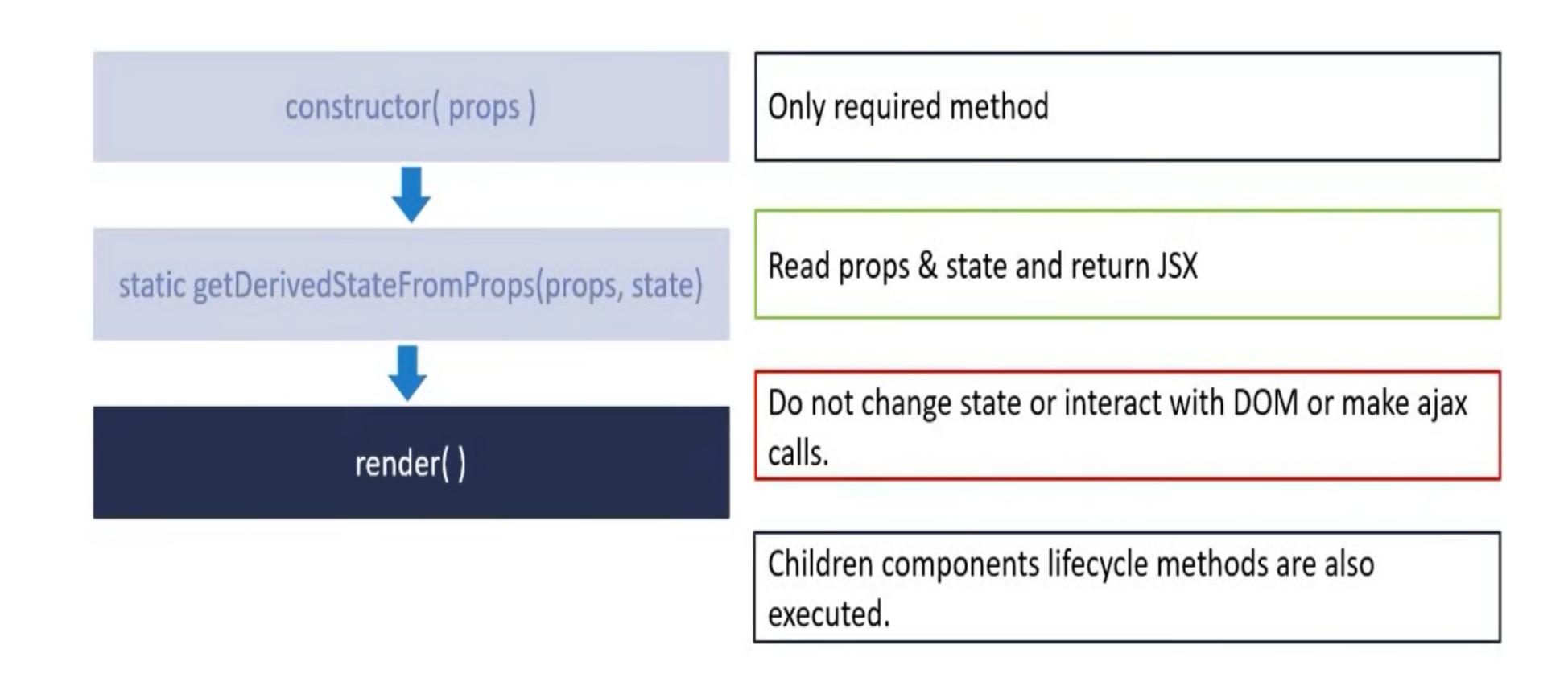
static getDerivedStateFromProps(props, state)

When the state of the component depends on changes in props over time.

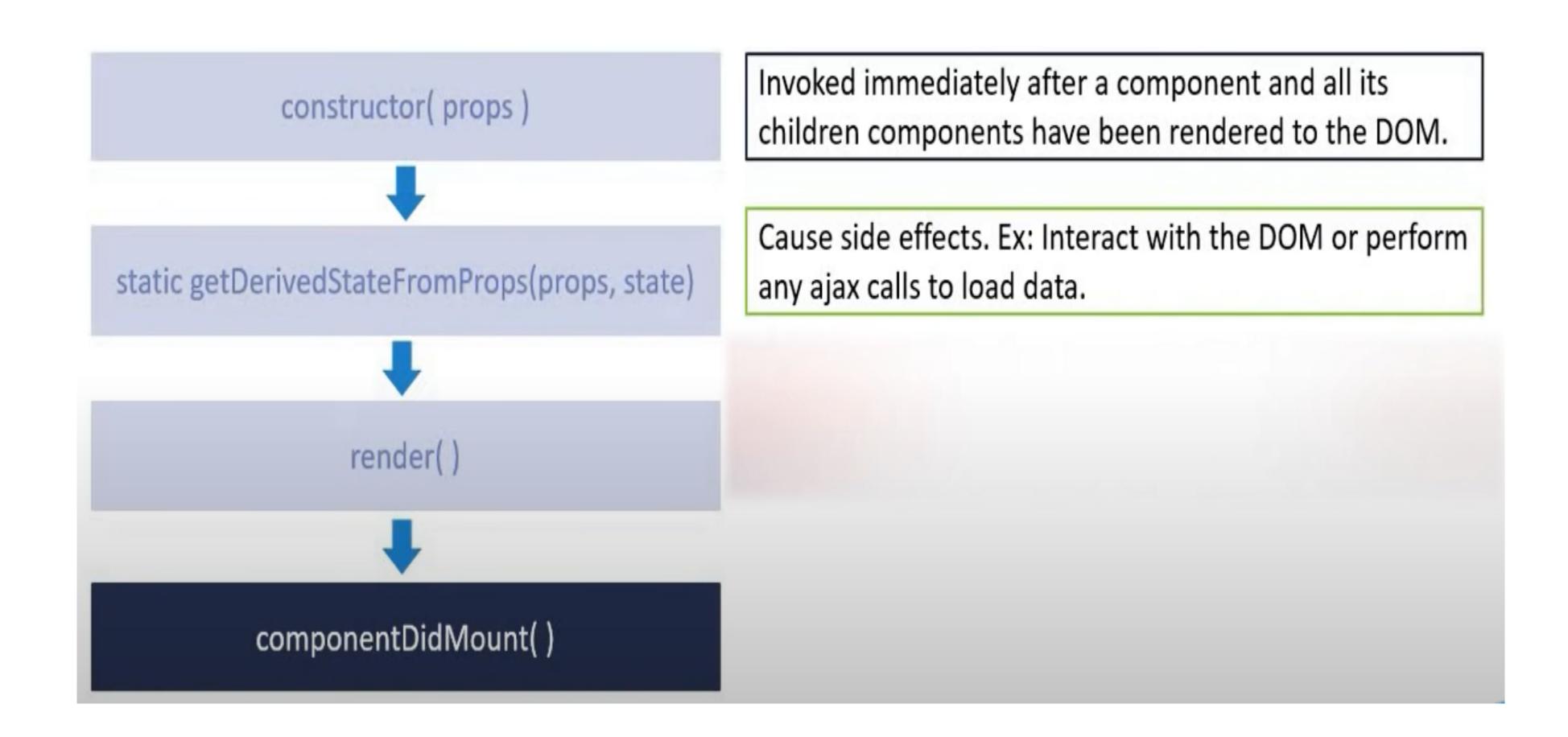
Set the state

Do not cause side effects. Ex: HTTP requests

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```
constructor(prop) {
 super(prop);
  console.log('[App.js] constructor');
  this.state={
    product:[
      {name: "sony", price: "200"},
     {name: "Samsung", price: "200"}
You, seconds ago
  //Change2
static getDerivedStateFromProps(prop, state) {
  console.log('[App.js] getDerivedStateFromProps', prop);
 return state;
//Change3
componentDidMount() {
  console.log('[App.js] componentDidMount');
```

Updating Lifecycle Methods

static getDerivedStateFromProps(props, state)

Method is called every time a component is re-rendered

Set the state

Do not cause side effects. Ex: HTTP requests

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static getDerivedStateFromProps(props, state)

Dictates if the component should re-render or not



shouldComponentUpdate(nextProps, nextState)

Performance optimization

Do not cause side effects. Ex: HTTP requests Calling the setState method

Updating Lifecycle Methods

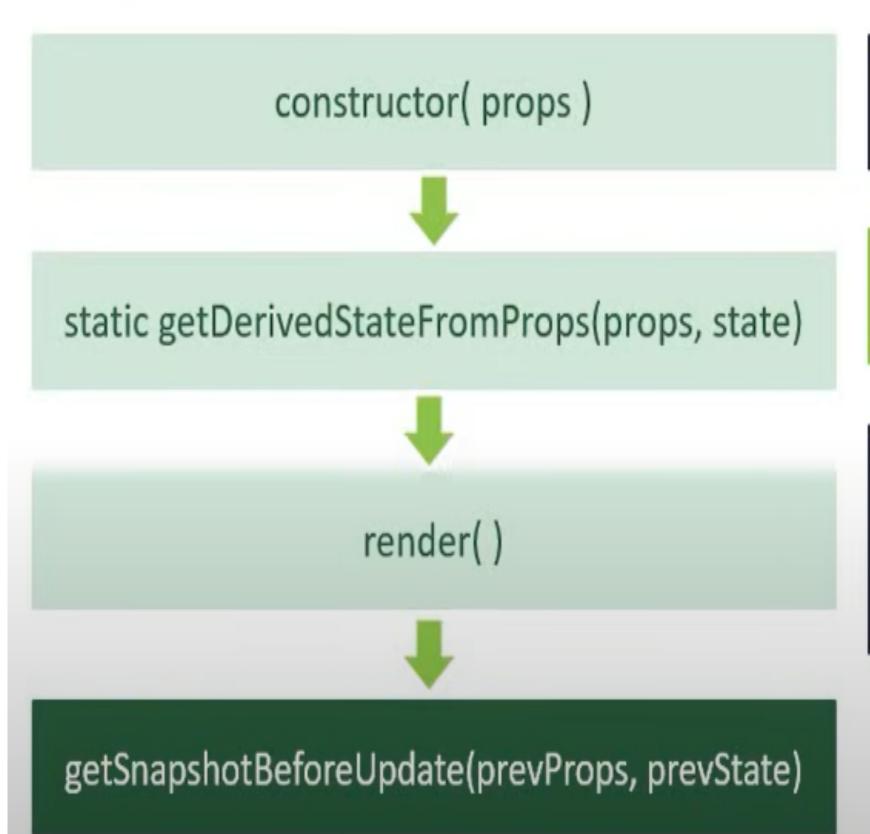
static getDerivedStateFromProps(props, state)

Conly required method

Read props & state and return JSX

Do not change state or interact with DOM or make ajax calls.

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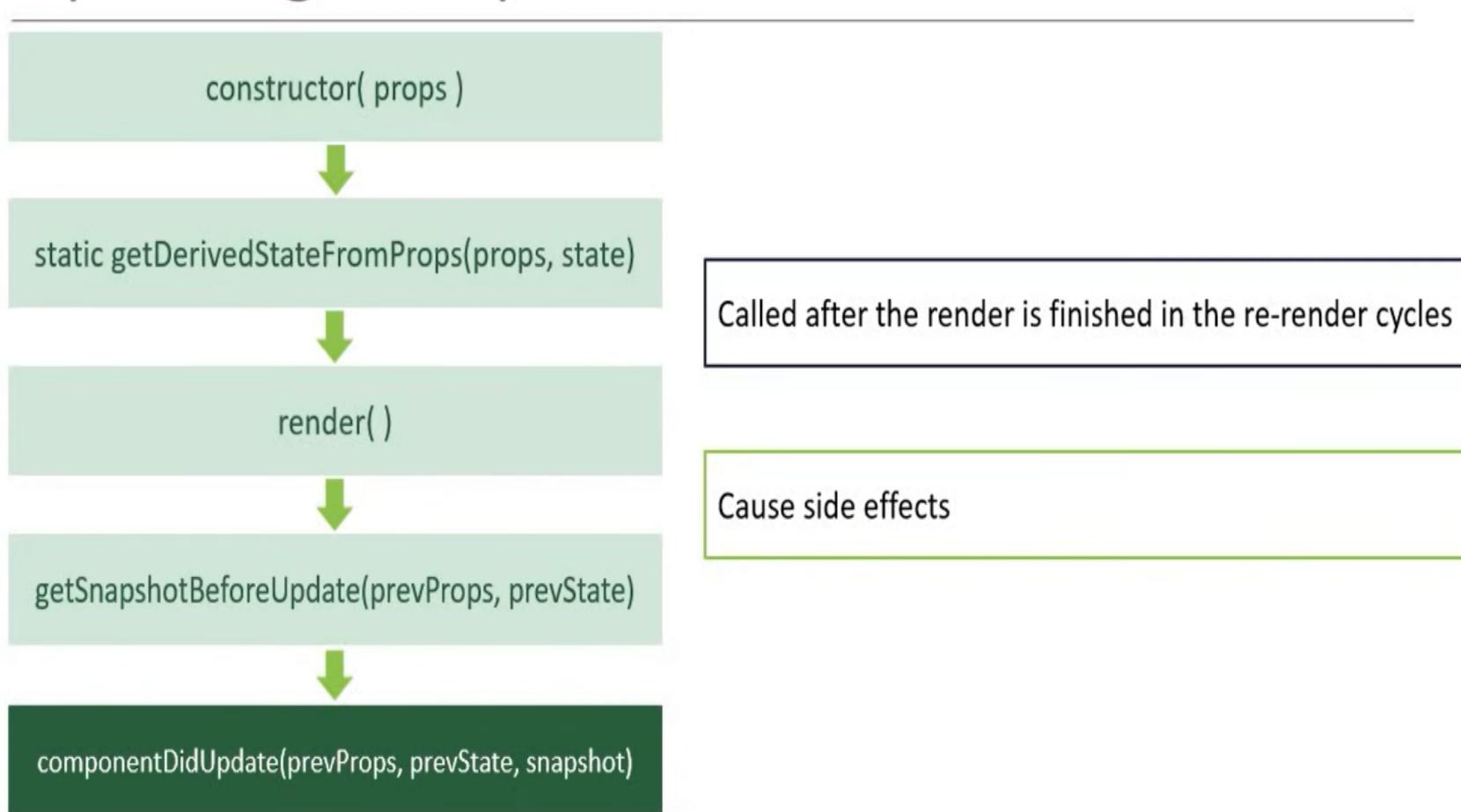
Called right before the changes from the virtual DOM are to be reflected in the DOM

Capture some information from the DOM

Method will either return null or return a value.

Returned value will be passed as the third parameter to the next method.

Updating Lifecycle Methods



CLASS COMPONENT - LIFECYCLE METHODS - EXAMPLES

```
static getDerivedStateFromProps(props, state) {
    console.log('[Product.js] getDerivedStateFromProps',props);
    return state;
shouldComponentUpdate(nextProps, nextState) {
 console.log('[Product.js] shouldComponentUpdate');
 return true;
componentDidUpdate(prevProps, prevState, snapshot) {
 console.log('[Product.js] componentDidUpdate');
 console.log(prevProps,prevState,snapshot);
```

Unmounting Phase Method

componentWillUnmount()

Method is invoked immediately before a component is unmounted and destroyed.

Cancelling any network requests, removing event handlers, cancelling any subscriptions and also invalidating timers.

Do not call the setState method.

CLASS COMPONENT - LIFECYCLE METHODS - ERROR HANDLING

Error Handling Phase Methods

static getDerivedStateFromError(error)

componentDidCatch(error, info)

When there is an error either during rendering, in a lifecycle method, or in the constructor of any child component.