

Your first homework assignment is a basic maze and file parsing.

Homework #1 has a few goals.

The first is to get familiar with basic UML modeling.

To do this you'll need to understand the given UML diagrams. and then you'll need to understand Java code according to UML diagrams.

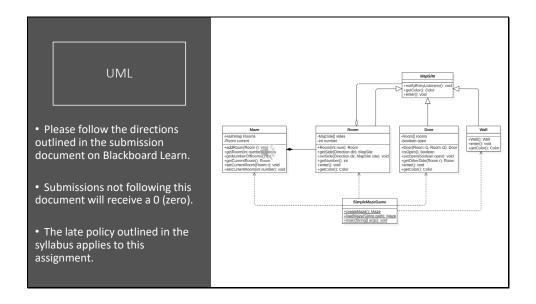
Next, you'll practice basic OO techniques using Java, including:

Using classes and methods

Basic I/O and

Java compilation and configuration

This assignment is also the first part of a lab that we'll do much later, so it's important you get this to work or you won't be able to start the lab



Observe the UML for the maze classes.

A maze has a hashmap of rooms.

A room is itself a MapSite which is an abstract class.

MapSite has multiple derived classes, which are rooms, doors and walls.

A room has an array of mapsites called sides.

Each side can be a room, door or wall

We instantiate a SimpleMazeGame to create a maze.

Requirements:

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2. Extract the contents of HW1.zip

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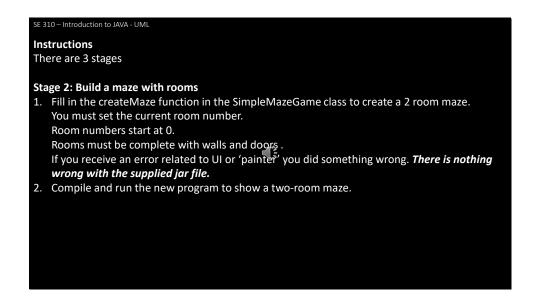
4. Attempt to run the project. The message "The maze does not have any rooms yet!" will be displayed if you can successfully run the project.

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## Stage 2: Build a maze with rooms

- Fill in the createMaze function in the SimpleMazeGame class to create a 2 room maze. You must set the current room number.
  - Room numbers start at 0.
  - Rooms must be complete with walls and doors .
  - If you receive an error related to UI or 'painter' you did something wrong. There is nothing wrong with the supplied jar file.
- Next, compile and run the new program to show a two-room maze.

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Stage 3: Load a maze from small.maze and large.maze
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1. Object Name (room/door)
2. Object Identifier (i.e. Room number or Door number)
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i. Wall
ii. Door – Object identifier for a door
iii. Room – Object identifier for a room

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For example, the following maze which shows 3 rooms has the following file format shown on the screen.

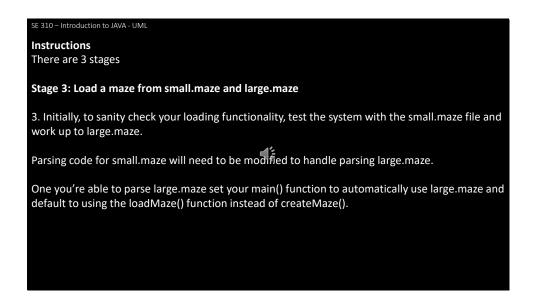
In this case there are three entries, all are rooms.

The rooms are identified as 0, 1, and 2.

The first room, room 0, has a wall to the north, room 1 to the south, and a wall to the east and west.

Similarly, the 2nd room, room 1, has a room to the north, room 0, a wall to the south, a room, room 2 to the east and a wall to the west.

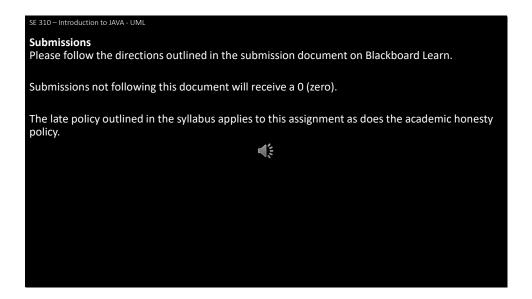
Finally, the 3rd room, room 2, has a wall to the north, south, and east and a room, room 1 to the west.



Initially, to sanity check your loading functionality, test the system with the small.maze file and work up to large.maze.

Parsing code for small.maze will need to be modified to handle parsing large.maze.

One you're able to parse large.maze, set your main() function to automatically use large.maze and default to using the loadMaze() function instead of createMaze().



## To submit the assignment:

- Please follow the directions outlined in the submission document on Blackboard Learn.
- Submissions not following this document will receive a 0 (zero).
- The late policy outlined in the syllabus applies to this assignment as does the academic honesty policy.