

## 1. What is Inheritance in Java?

**Ans:** The technique of creating a new class by using an existing class functionality is called inheritance in Java. In other words, inheritance is a process where a child class acquires all the properties and behaviours of the parent class.

## 2. What is superclass and subclass??

**Ans:** A class from where a subclass inherits features is called superclass. It is also called base class or parent class.

A class that inherits all the members (fields, method, and nested classes) from another class is called a subclass. It is also called a derived class, child class, or extended class.

## 3. How is Inheritance implemented/achieved in Java?

**Ans:** Inheritance can be implemented or achieved by using two keywords:

**extends:** extends is a keyword that is used for developing the inheritance between two classes and two interfaces.

**implements:** implements keyword is used for developing the inheritance between a class and interface.

## 4. What is polymorphism?

**Ans:** Polymorphism in OOP is the ability of an entity to take several forms. In other words, it refers to the ability of an object (or a reference to an object) to take different forms of objects. It allows a common data-gathering message to be sent to each class. Polymorphism encourages what is called 'extendability' which means an object or a class can have its uses extended.

## 5. Differentiate between method overloading and method overriding.

Overriding	Overloading
Implements "runtime polymorphism"	Implements "compile time polymorphism"
The method call is determined at runtime based on the object type	The method call is determined at compile time
Occurs between superclass and subclass	Occurs between the methods in the same class
Have the same signature (name and method arguments)	Have the same name, but the parameters are different
On error, the effect will be visible at runtime	On error, it can be caught at compile time

## 6. What is an abstraction explained with an Example?

**Ans:** Abstraction is nothing but the quality of dealing with ideas rather than events. It basically deals with hiding the internal details and showing the essential things to the user.

```
Abstract class Sports { // abstract class sports
    Abstract void jump(); // abstract method
}
```

## 7. What is the difference between an abstract method and final method in Java? Explain with an example

**Ans:** The abstract method is incomplete while the final method is regarded as complete. The only way to use an abstract method is by overriding it, but you cannot override a final method in Java.

## 8. What is the final class in Java?

**Ans:** A class declared with the final keyword is known as the final class. A final class can't be inherited by subclasses. By using the final class, we can restrict the inheritance of the class. We can create a class as a final class only if it is complete in nature, which means it must not be an abstract class. In java, all the wrapper classes are final classes like String, Integer, etc.

If we try to inherit a final class, then the compiler throws an error at compilation time. We can't create a class as immutable without the final class.

```
final class ParentClass
{
    void showData()
    {
        System.out.println("This is a method of final Parent class");
    }
}

//It will throw compilation error
class ChildClass extends ParentClass
{
    void showData()
    {
        System.out.println("This is a method of Child class");
    }
}

class MainClass
{
    public static void main(String arg[])
    {
        ParentClass obj = new ChildClass();
        obj.showData();
    }
}
```

## 9. Differentiate between abstraction and encapsulation.

Abstraction	Encapsulation
Abstraction is a feature of OOPs that hides the unnecessary detail but shows the essential information.	Encapsulation is also a feature of OOPs. It hides the code and data into a single entity or unit so that the data can be protected from the outside world.
It solves an issue at the design level.	Encapsulation solves an issue at implementation level.
It focuses on the external lookout.	It focuses on internal working.
It can be implemented using abstract classes and interfaces.	It can be implemented by using the access modifiers (private, public, protected).
It is the process of gaining information.	It is the process of containing the information.
In abstraction, we use abstract classes and interfaces to hide the code complexities.	We use the getters and setters methods to hide the data.
The objects are encapsulated that helps to perform abstraction.	The object need not to abstract that result in encapsulation.

## 10. Difference between Runtime and compile time polymorphism explain with an example

Compile Time Polymorphism	Runtime Polymorphism
Compile time polymorphism is less flexible as all things execute at compile time.	Run time polymorphism is more flexible as all things execute at run time.
In Compile time Polymorphism, the call is resolved by the compiler.	In Run time Polymorphism, the call is not resolved by the compiler.
Inheritance is not involved.	Inheritance is involved.
It is also known as Static binding, Early binding and overloading as well.	It is also known as Dynamic binding, Late binding and overriding as well.
It provides fast execution because the method that needs to be executed is known early at the compile time.	It provides slow execution as compared to early binding because the method that needs to be executed is known at the runtime.
Method overloading is the compile-time polymorphism where more than one method shares the same name with different parameters or signature and different return type.	Method overriding is the runtime polymorphism having the same method with same parameters or signature but associated with compared, different classes.