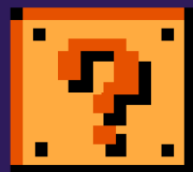


# 6.3 Big Quiz Project



Part 3 of 3





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It does not matter how well you did in Part 1. You all start from the same place!

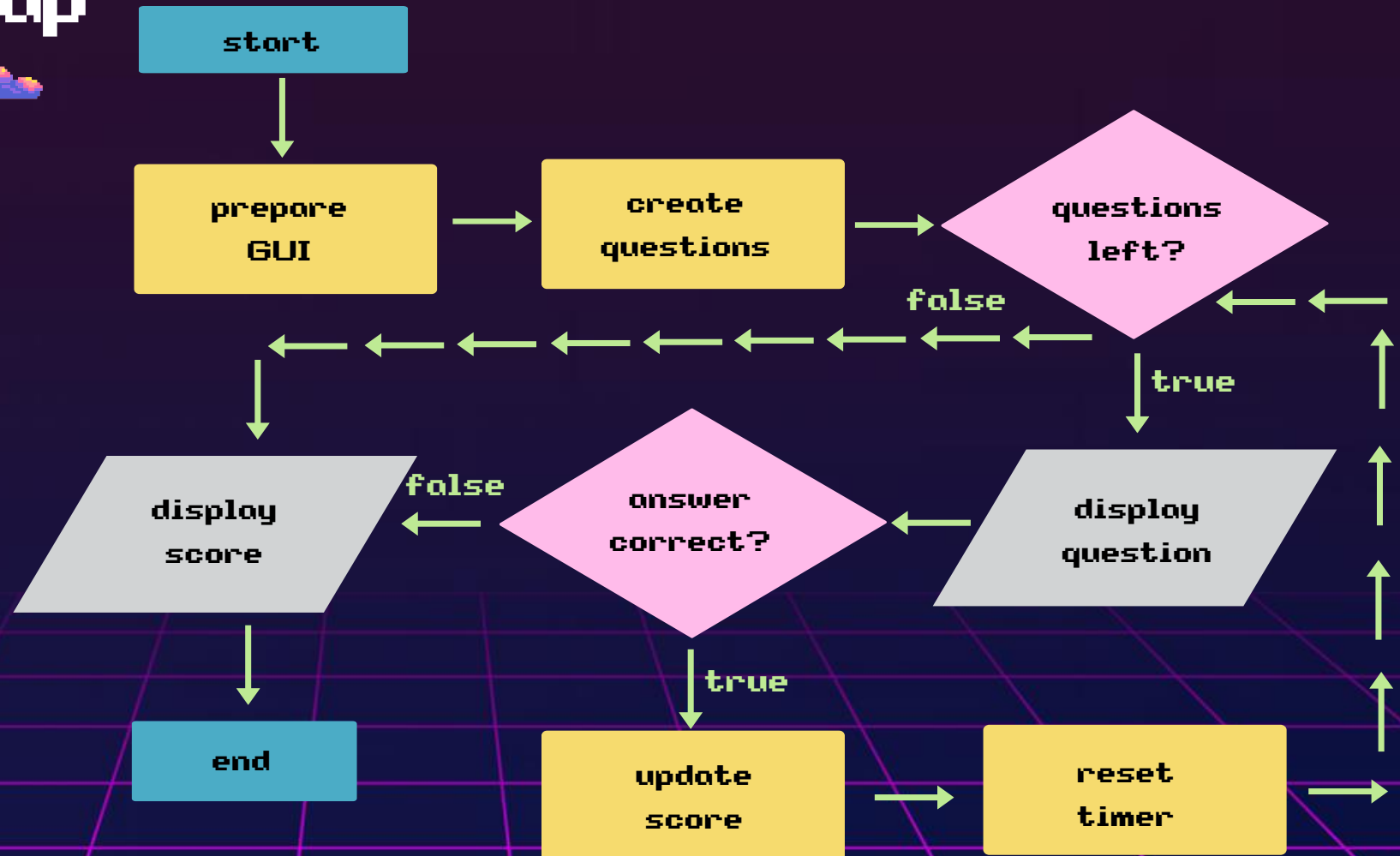
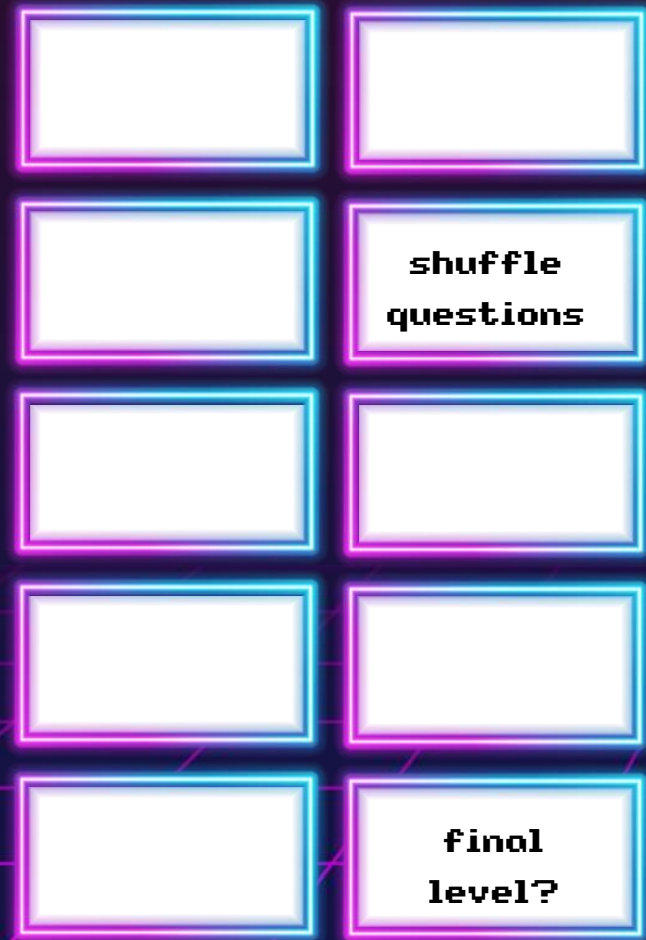
- **Revise the flowchart:** We will do a quick recap of the flowchart.
- **Follow the recipe:** We will provide you with a clear outline to complete the project.
- **Support is available:** Refer to your notes, previous class code, or search online.
- **Remember:** Your teacher is here to assist you.
- **Sample code:** You will **not** start from scratch this time. You will start from a code sample. You should find it in your project.



START



# Flowchart Recop

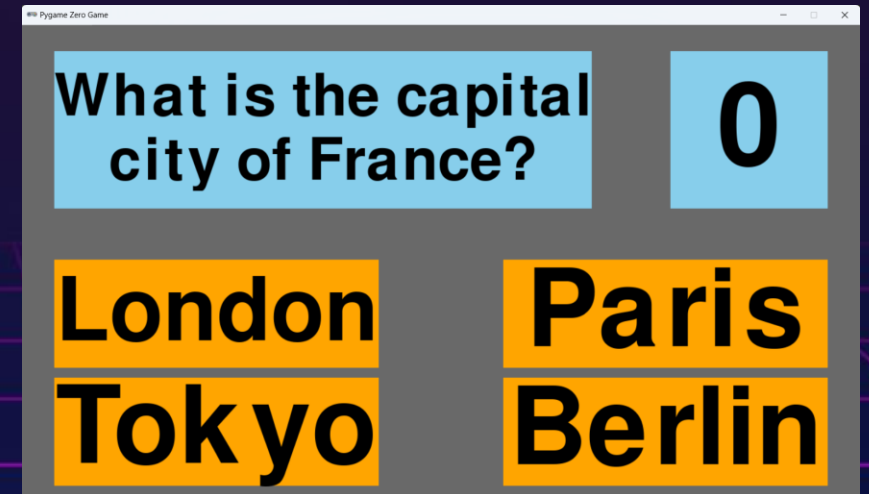




# 6.2 Big Quiz Project

Your starting point works as it should!

- When you run the sample code you will notice that it displays a question, and it decreases the timer!
- This means that if after a change you get an error, it is because of something you added or removed.
- Whenever you make a change, no matter how small always test that you do not have **syntax errors**.



# Plan of action

- You must complete two functions to make the game work: `on_mouse_down()` and `correct_answer()`.
- Read all the tutorial slides and analyze the sample code, before attempting an exercise.
- You will complete the code that checks whether the player clicked on the right answer box.
- When the player got the right answer, then you need to set the next question, unless there are no questions left, and the game is over.



# Over to you from here

- **Read the slides:** Go through the slides with instructions and explanations.
- **Review sample:** For each exercise, review the sample code and be familiar with the comments marked as **TODO**.
- **Easy tasks:** Identify the parts that you think you can do easily.
- **Just write code:** It is alright if your code does not work as you wish. You can still get a lot of marks.

```
def on_mouse_down(pos):  
    # TODO: create an index variable and set it to 1  
    # ... your code ...  
  
    # TODO: loop through each answer_box  
    #         if answer_box.collidepoint(pos)  
    #             if answer is correct  
    #                 then correct_answer()  
    #             else handle_game_over()  
    #         increase index by 1  
    # ... your code ...  
    pass  
  
# TODO: Define a function correct_answer(), it does not take in parameters, and it does  
#         Inside, write code to increase the score by 1  
  
# TODO: After (inside correct_answer() still):-  
#         if there are any questions left in the list,  
#             then pop() the next_question like in line 63 and reset the timer to 10  
#         else handle_game_over()
```



## Assessment Criteria

### 1. Application of Python Skills in a Scenario

Appropriate use of variables including arithmetic statements.	3
Appropriate use of lists/dictionaries including access to them.	3
Use of user-defined functions	3
Construction of user-defined functions	3
Appropriate use of nested decision/iteration statements	6
Appropriate use of the Pygame Zero module	2

### 2. Game Functionality

Detecting a mouse click on an answer box	3
Update the score when the answer is correct	3
Game over when no questions left or incorrect answer.	3

### 3. Programming Practices

Abide by Python programming style conventions	1
Descriptive commenting	1
Identify and fix errors in the program independently	3

<b>Total</b>	<b>34</b>
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whether you did  
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# Follow the recipe

- We have given you instructions on how to complete the game.
- You have **5 hairy tasks** to complete in this part.
- Read the instructions carefully and implement them as best as you can.
- You may always refer to code we wrote in class and search a little bit on the Internet.





# 6.1a Correct Answer Function

- Define a function for `correct_answer()`.
- It does not take in any parameters, and it does not return a value.
- For this exercise, the function will simply increase the score variable by one.
- However, to access the score variable you need to use the global keyword! The first line of this function should be:

```
global score, questions, next_question,  
time_left.
```

```
# TODO: Define a function correct_answer(), it does not take in parameters,  
#       Inside, write code to increase the score by 1
```

Many students find defining a function difficult. But you got a lot of practice. Learn from your previous mistakes!





# Are you stuck?



If you are finding it difficult to proceed,  
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# 6.1b Game Progression

- You will continue to write code inside the `correct_answer()` function.
- You will write code that checks whether the questions list has elements. If so, then you will `pop()` the `next_question` from the list. You need to use list methods to complete this code. It might be worth practicing a bit [here](#) first. There is also the `len()` function.
- Do not forget that when the player has a new question, the timer is reset. And if there are no questions, well we think you know the drill.

## List Methods

Python has a set of built-in methods that you can use on lists.

Method	Description
<code>append()</code>	Adds an element at the end of the list
<code>clear()</code>	Removes all the elements from the list
<code>copy()</code>	Returns a copy of the list
<code>count()</code>	Returns the number of elements with the specified value
<code>extend()</code>	Add the elements of a list (or any iterable), to the end of the current list
<code>index()</code>	Returns the index of the first element with the specified value
<code>insert()</code>	Adds an element at the specified position
<code>pop()</code>	Removes the element at the specified position
<code>remove()</code>	Removes the item with the specified value
<code>reverse()</code>	Reverses the order of the list
<code>sort()</code>	Sorts the list

This is a hard skill. You might want to go through examples slowly first. You have time if you keep calm.



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# 6.1c Create an index variable

- You will now complete the code of the `on_mouse_down()` function. Remember, you have done something similar *before*.
- For this exercise, all you need to do is create a number variable called `answer_index` and set it to 0.
- The `answer_index` will store the position the `answer_box` the user clicked on! For example, if the player clicked on “London” then `answer_index` will store 0.



This is a basic skill which you should complete easily.





# 6.1d Player clicked on answer

- You will write code that checks whether the **position** of the mouse click collides with an **answer\_box**. You have done something of the sort *before*.
- Remember, to check whether an element collides with a position we use the **collidepoint(pos)** function.
- On the right is an example of how the function can be used. Please remember, we do not have *alien* in our game, we have **answer\_box** from a list of **answer\_boxes**. So, think!!

```
def on_mouse_down(pos):  
    if alien.collidepoint(pos):  
        print("Eek!")  
    else:  
        print("You missed me!")
```

Learn from your previous SBAs and lessons. Do you know which part we are talking about?





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# 6.1e Is the answer correct?

- The question data is stored as a dictionary as shown on the right. It has a particular key which points to the answer!
- Write code that checks whether the **answer\_index** also points to the same answer.
- For example, for the question on the right, **answer\_index** must have a value of 1.
- The comments in the sample code should guide you enough to complete the rest.

```
q5 = {  
    "q": "What is the capital city of France?",  
    "o": ["London", "Paris", "Tokyo", "Berlin"],  
    "a": 1  
}
```

This part is hard. We want to see whether you can solve complex problems.



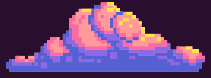


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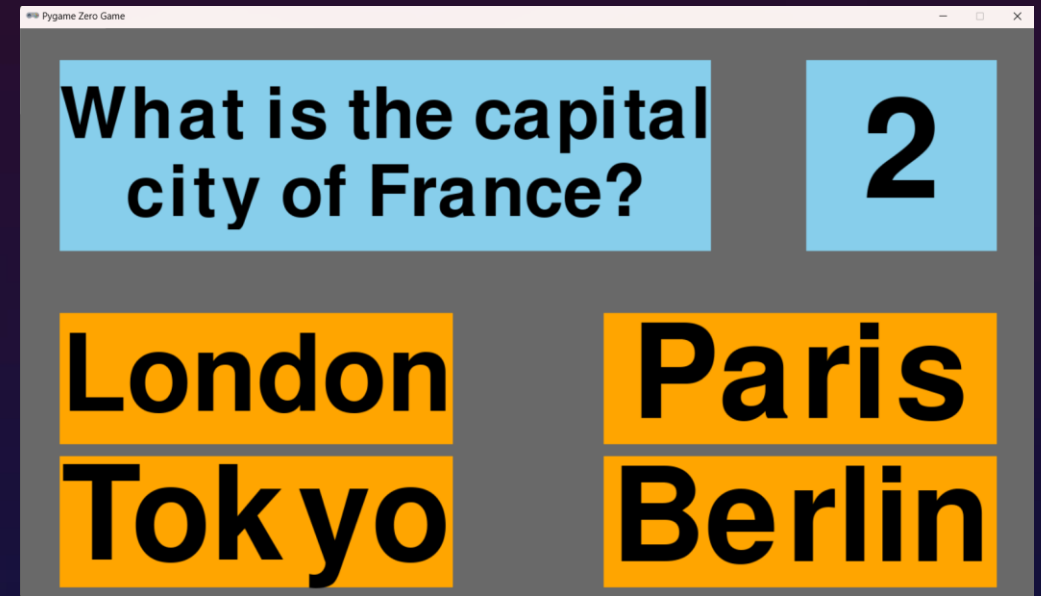
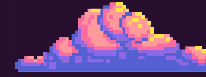
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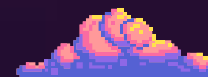
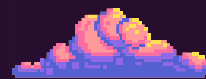
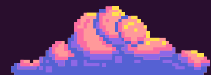
# Time to play!

- If you have completed all the exercises as instructed, then it is time to test the **final version of your game**.
- Run your code and ensure that there are no **syntax errors**.
- It is also a good idea to review the assessment criteria and make sure that your code is easy to correct by a teacher.



Well done!





# You have leveled up!



You are making great strides. Well done.

