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Putting it all together:

1. Make sure the file is *executable* (set correct file permissions).

```
$ chmod a+x file.py
```

2. Tell the file where to find python.

To the top of the program add:

```
#!/usr/bin/python
```

3. Tell the shell it's ok to run our program.

```
$ ./file.py
```

