

# VSCode Shortcuts

> List of helpful shortcuts for faster coding

If you have any other helpful shortcuts, feel free to add in the comments of this gist :)

## Official List of all commands

\* [Windows](https://code.visualstudio.com/shortcuts/keyboard-shortcuts-windows.pdf)  
\* [Mac](https://code.visualstudio.com/shortcuts/keyboard-shortcuts-macos.pdf)

## Open/View

Open Command Pallete

```
```bash
Shift+Cmd+P
Shift+Ctrl+P
```
```

Access Settings

```
```bash
Cmd+,
Ctrl+,
```
```

Toggle Terminal

```
```bash
Ctrl+`
Ctrl+~
```
```

Create New Terminal

```
```
Shift+Ctrl+`
Shift+Ctrl+~
```
```

Toggle Sidebar

```
```bash
Cmd+B
Ctrl+B
```
```

Open New Window/Instance

```
```bash
Shift+Cmd+N
Shift+Ctrl+N
```
```

Close Window

```
```bash
Cmd+W
Ctrl+W
```
```

## Working With Files

Sidebar Focus

```
```bash
Shift+Cmd+E
Shift+Ctrl+E
```
```

Open File/Folder From Sidebar

```
```
Cmd+Down
Ctrl+Down
```
```

Change File Tabs

```
```bash
Ctrl+Tab
Ctrl+PageUP
```
```

Quick File Open

```
```bash
Cmd+P
Ctrl+P
```
```

Open File From Explorer

```
```bash
Cmd+O
Ctrl+O
```
```

New File

```
```bash
Cmd+N
Ctrl+N
```
```

Save

```
```bash
Cmd+S
Ctrl+S
```
```

Save As

```
```bash
Shift+Cmd+S
Shift+Ctrl+S
```
```

Close File

```
```bash
Cmd+W
Ctrl+W
```
```

Delete File

```
```
Cmd+Delete
Ctrl+Delete
```
```

Reopen Files

```
```
Shift+Cmd+T
Shift+Ctrl+T
```
```

Zoom

```
```bash
Cmd++ # Zoom in
Cmd+- # Zoom out
```
```

```
Ctrl++ # Zoom in
Ctrl+- # Zoom out
```
```

Spilt Editor

```
```bash
Cmd+\
Ctrl+\
```
```

## Code Editing

Go To Start & End Of Line

```
```bash
Cmd+Right
Cmd+Left
```
```

```
Ctrl+Right
Ctrl+Left
```

```
home
end
```
```

Move By Word

```
```bash
Option+Right
Option+Left
```
```

```
Alt+Right
Alt+Left
```
```

Go To Start & End Of File

```
```bash
Cmd+Up
Cmd+Down
```
```

```
Ctrl+Home
Ctrl+End
```
```

Cut, Copy & Past Line

```
```bash
Cmd+X #Cut
Cmd+C #Copy
Cmd+V #Paste
```
```

```
Ctrl+X # Cut
Ctrl+C # Copy
Ctrl+V # Paste
```
```

Move Line Up & Down

```
```bash
Option+Up
Option+Down
```
```

```
Alt+Up
Alt+Down
```
```

Copy Line Up & Down

```
```bash
Shift+Option+Up
Shift+Option+Down
```
```

```
Shift+Alt+Up
Shift+Alt+Down
```
```

Remove Line

```
```bash
ShiftCmd+K
Shift+Ctrl+K
```
```

Insert Line

```
```bash
Cmd+Enter # Insert below
Shift+Cmd+Enter # Insert above
```
```

```
Ctrl+Enter # Insert below
Shift+Ctrl+Enter # Insert above
```
```

Jump To Matching Bracket

```
```bash
Shift+Cmd+\
Shift+Ctrl+\
```
```

Add Line Comment

```
```bash
Cmd+/
Ctrl+/
```
```

Add Block Comment

```
```bash
Shift+Option+A
Shift+Alt+A
```
```

Highlight Code

```
```bash
Shift+Any Direction
```
```

Select Next Match

```
```bash
Cmd+D
Ctrl+D
```
```

De-select Match

```
```bash
Cmd+U
Ctrl+U
```
```

Add Cursor

```
```bash
Option+Click
Alt+Click
```
```

Go to Entity (Functions, vars, etc)

```
```bash
Cmd+Shift+O
Ctrl+Shift+O
```
```