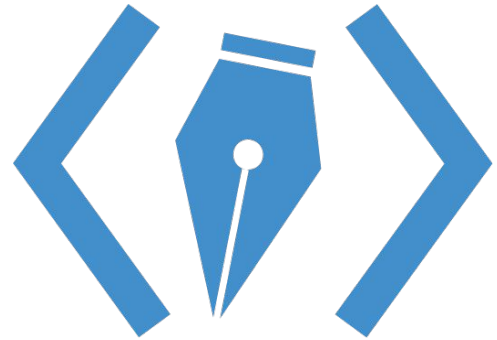


Week 10

Event Handlers and Conditionals



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```
if(goingToCrashIntoEachOther)
{ dont(); }
```

When the user **clicks** on **[this button/link/image]**,
then change **[this HTML/CSS]**.

Review

```
let food =  
    document.getElementById( "food-list" );
```

What does `food` return?

```
let food =  
  document.querySelector( "#food-list" );
```

What does `food` return?

```
food.classList;
```

What does this return?

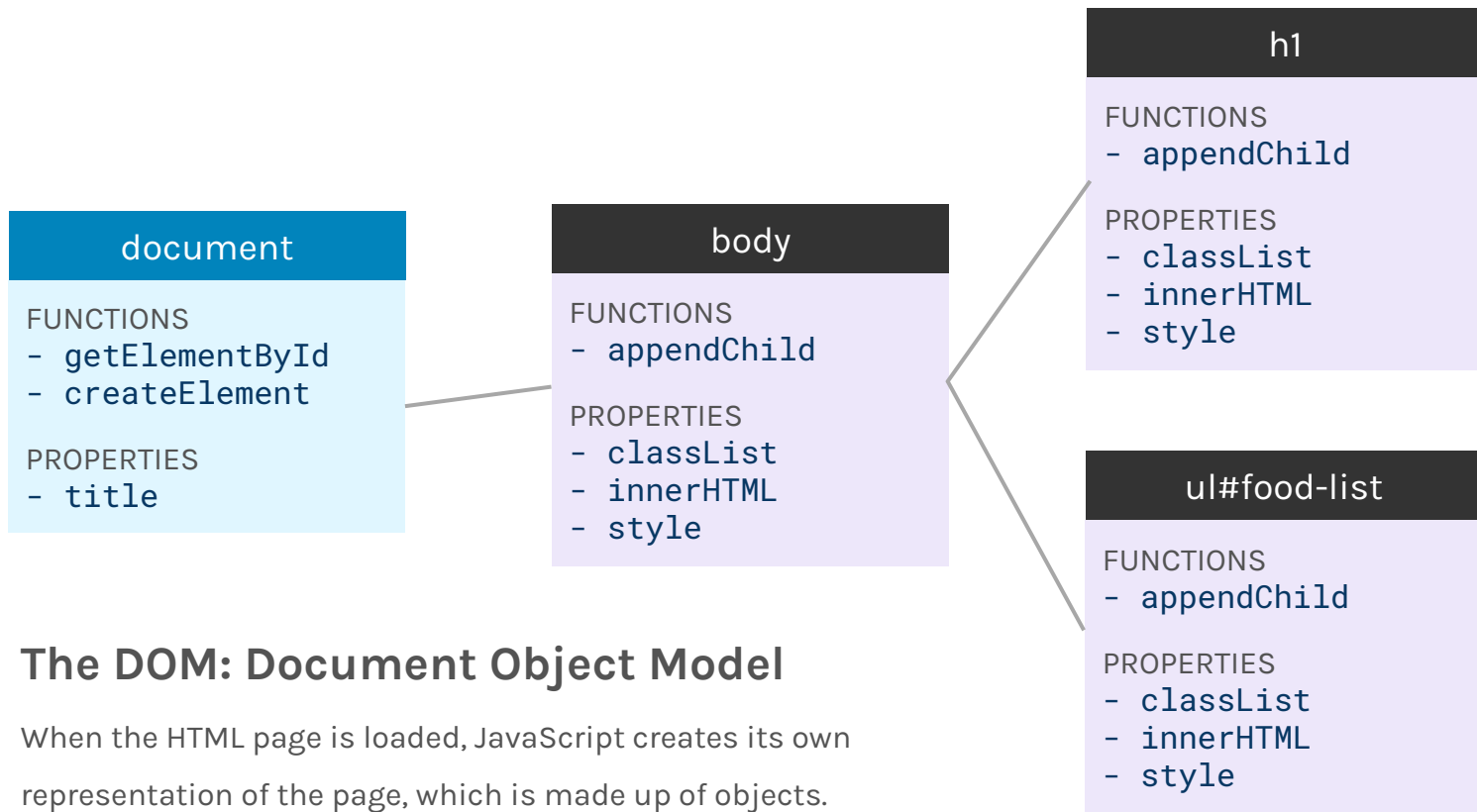
```
food.classList.add( "foo" );
```

What does this do?


```
food.classList.remove("bar");
```

What does this do?

DOM and Event Handlers



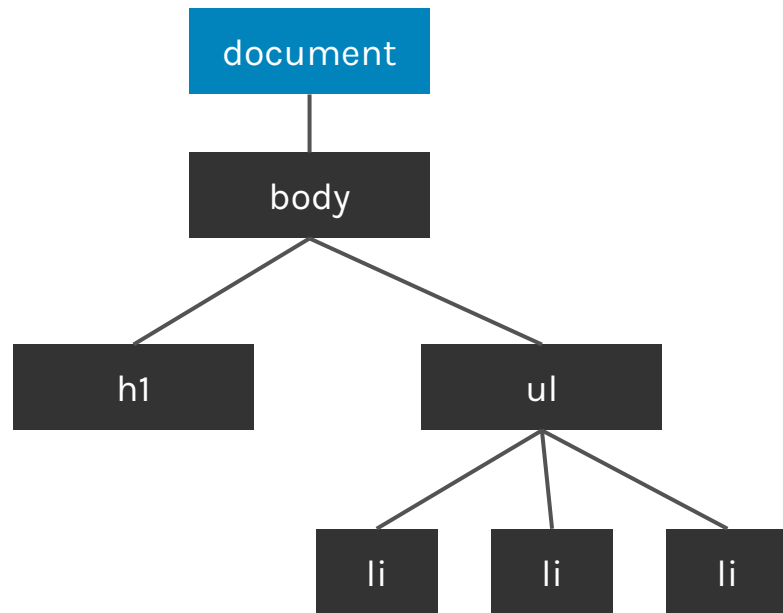
The DOM: Document Object Model

When the HTML page is loaded, JavaScript creates its own representation of the page, which is made up of objects.

Each HTML tag is an object.

`document.getElementById("food-list")`

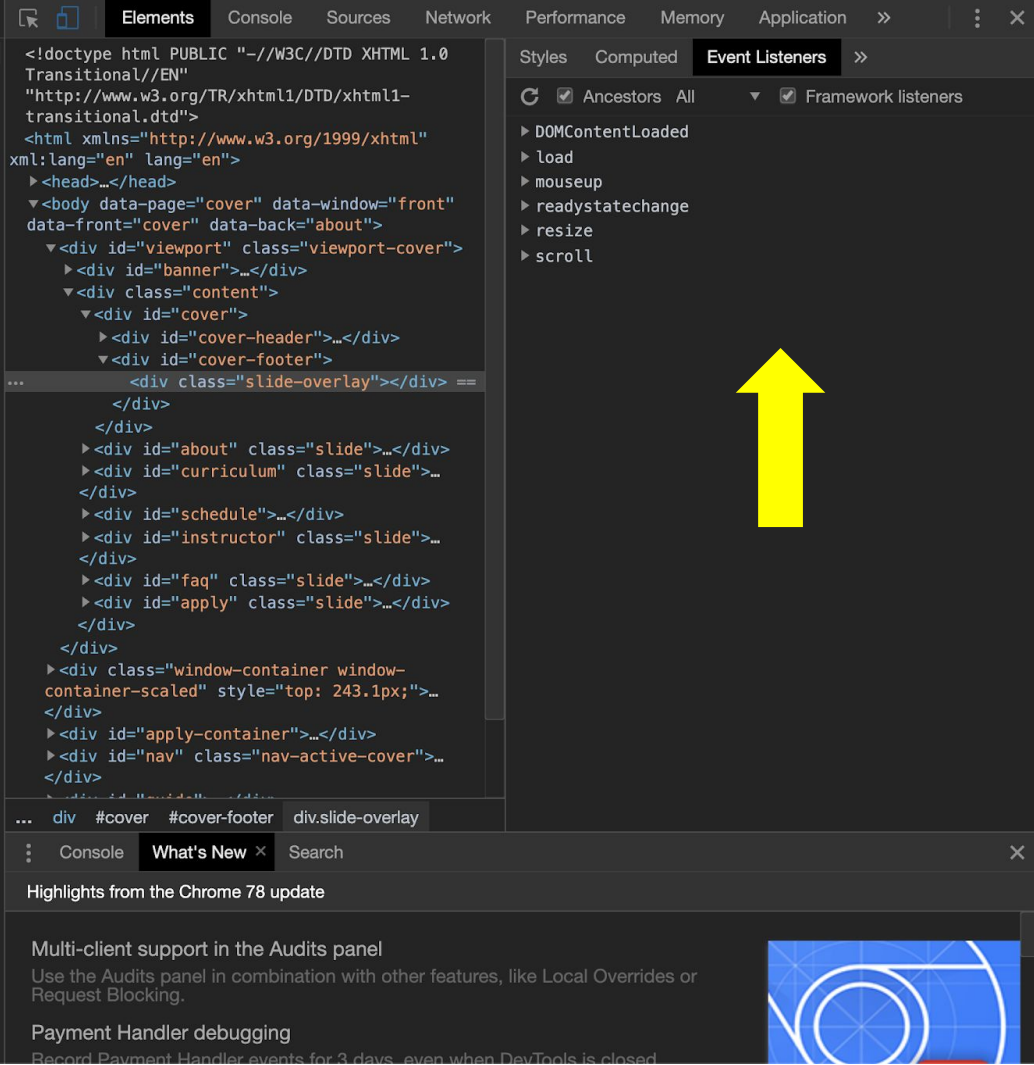
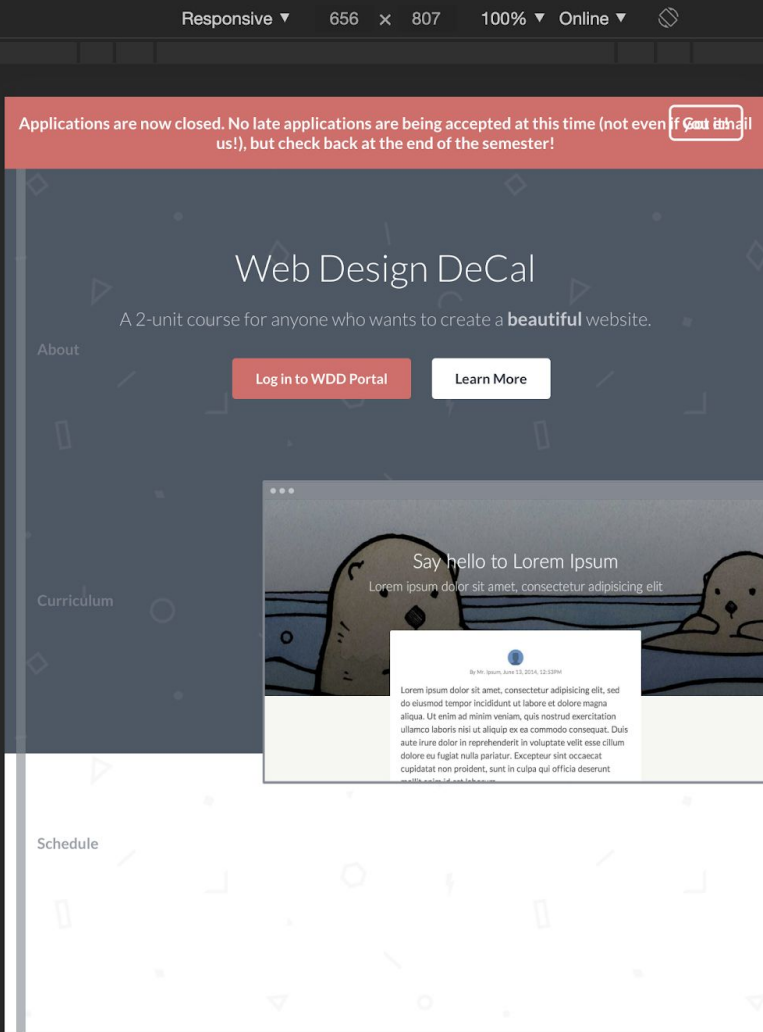
What we're saying is that from our **document object model**, find the element that has the id **#food-list**.



JavaScript is event-driven.

Events -- actions that you take, as a user, when you're interacting with a website (hovering, clicking, typing, etc)

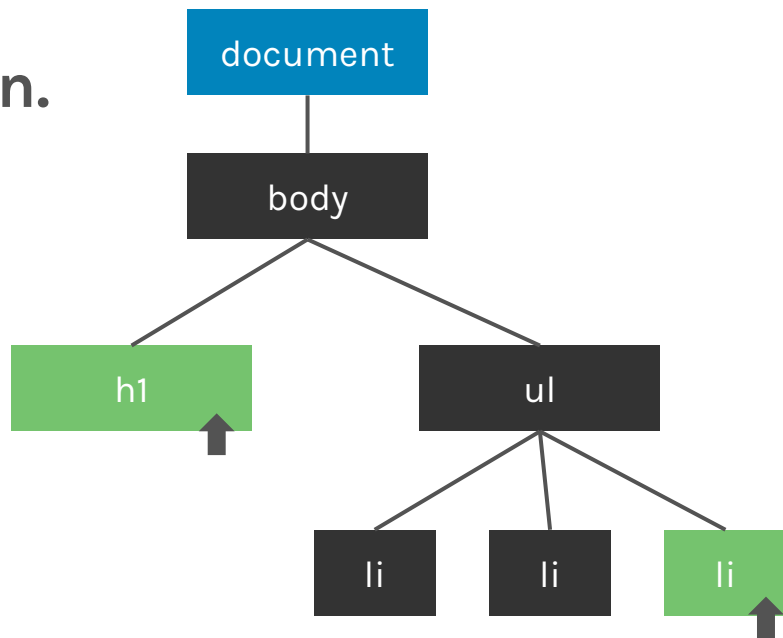
Examples -- `onmouseover`, `onclick`, `onkeypress`



With the DOM we can change different elements on our screen.

Previously with pseudo-selectors, we can only access the element we selected. In contrast, **when an event occurs**, we have access to the entire tree, meaning any element can be modified.

This is super useful for complex interactions, like buttons! **Example:** whenever we click on ``, we can modify `<h1>`.



```
let buttonElement =  
document.getElementById("popup-button");  
  
function showGreeting() {  
    alert("howdy!");  
}  
buttonElement.onclick = showGreeting;
```

Every DOM element
object has an
onclick function.

This is the function that will run
when you click on the element,
creating an onClick event.


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Note: `showGreeting` on the last line is without parentheses!

We don't want to call the function right now - we just want to tell the browser what function it should use later.

If we don't we'll call `showGreeting` and `alert` right away! Bad!

```
let buttonElement =  
document.getElementById("popup-button");  
  
function showGreeting() {  
    alert("howdy!");  
}  
buttonElement.onmouseover = showGreeting;
```

Note: `showGreeting` can be called with different event handlers!

We can call the same function depending on when we want the user to see it -- **onmouseover, onkeypress, or onclick** are all valid use cases.

```
let buttonElement =  
document.getElementById("popup-button");  
  
buttonElement.onclick = function() {  
    alert("howdy!");  
};
```

Note: we can also assign functions directly.

These functions are without a name and are called **anonymous functions**.

Alternative Styling w/ JS

```
let buttonElement =  
document.getElementById("button");  
  
let boxElement =  
document.getElementById("box");  
  
function changeColor(color) {  
    boxElement.style.backgroundColor = color;  
}  
  
buttonElement.onclick = function() {  
    changeColor("red");  
}
```

We don't have to add classes to modify CSS.

Note that we assign **style.property** to a string value -> our CSS reads text and so we use a string value to change the CSS property.

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Here, we use anonymous functions to nest our action in our event handler. This is because we wait to change our color until we click!

**Google: How do I change
[CSS property] with JavaScript?**

Boolean Expressions

A **conditional statement** allows you to do different things based on the truthiness of a **condition**.

“If x is true, then do y!”

Equality operator → `===`, `!==`

Expressions that compare if two variables are the same **type** and **value**.

Other relational operators → `>`, `<`, `>=`, `<=`

Equality operator → `===`, `!==`

`1 + 5 === 6` evaluates to `true`

`1 === 2` evaluates to `false`

`1 + 5 !== 2` evaluates to `true`

Expressions give two possible values: `true`, `false`

Logic Operators → **&&, ||, !**

Symbols that combine or modify expressions
together to create a new expression.

&& (and), **||** (or), **!** (not)

and → **&&**

`(true && false)` evaluates to `false`

`(false && false)` evaluates to `false`

`(true && true)` evaluates to `true`

if x and y, then true

or → **| |**

`(true || false)` evaluates to `true`

`(false || false)` evaluates to `false`

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if x or y, then true

not → **!**

!(true) evaluates to **false**

!(false) evaluates to **true**

not returns the opposite value of the
expression

Combined Expressions

((1 + 2 === 3) && !(5 * 6 === 31))

What does this return?

Conditional Statements

A photograph of a person with a backpack walking away on a dirt path through a dense forest of tall redwood trees. The path is bordered by wooden fences. The scene is misty and the trees are very tall, creating a sense of scale and depth.

Conditional statements

if { ... }

else { ... }


```
if (condition) {  
    # do something  
}
```

A **condition** is an **expression** that evaluates to true or false.
If the condition is true, **do the thing inside the curly braces**.

The if statement

let `x = 5;` *assigns a value x*

```
function numberEqual(number) {  
    if (number === 5) { does something if true  
        console.log("Number is equal to 5!");  
    }  
    if (number > 4) { does something if true  
        console.log("Number is greater than 4!");  
    }  
}
```

What does `numberEqual(5)` do?

What does `numberEqual(4)` do?

What does `numberEqual(3)` do?

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    } else { otherwise, do this instead  
        console.log("Number is not equal to 5");  
    }  
}
```

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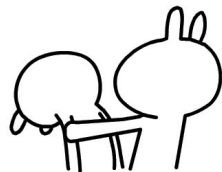
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        console.log("Number is greater than 4!");  
    } else { if none of the above are true, do this  
        console.log("Number is less than 5!");  
    }  
}
```

What does `numberEqual(6)` do?

What does `numberEqual(5)` do?

What does `numberEqual(4)` do?



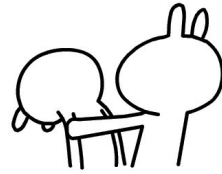
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