

# python notes

today we learn some basics in python so i write this down so i dont forget later

## data types (very important)

### int

- whole number like 1 4 67
- used for counting stuff or math

### float

- number with dot like 3.14 or 7.0
- python treat 7.0 as float even if it look whole

### string (str)

- text basically
- like "hello world"
- u cant do "text" + 5 it breaks the code  
need to turn 5 into string first: `str(5)`

### bool

- only True or False
- used in if statements alot

i still mess these up sometimes but im getting better lol

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## variables (kinda like boxes)

variable is a name where u throw in some value  
python dont need you to say what type it is before

example:

```
name = "kevin"  
age = 16  
price = 9.99  
is_tired = True
```

later you can print them or use them in math  
but be careful cuz python is sensitive to spaces and stuff

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## conditions (if stuff)

if lets python choose what to do  
very important u indent (tab) inside the if or python gets mad

```
if age >= 18:  
    print("adult")
```

### if else

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if age >= 18:  
    print("adult")  
else:  
    print("not adult")
```

### elif (else if but shorter)

```
grade = 73  
  
if grade >= 90:  
    print("A")  
elif grade >= 80:  
    print("B")
```

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elif grade >= 70:  
    print("C")  
else:  
    print("below that")
```

my teacher say try not to make too many elif or it looks ugly but idk

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## nested if (if inside another if)

kinda confusing first time but makes sense

```
age = 20  
hasID = False  
  
if age >= 18:  
    if hasID:  
        print("ok you enter")  
    else:  
        print("no id no entry")  
else:  
    print("too young sorry")
```

im trying to keep it clean but nested if can look like a staircase haha

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## random extra notess

- python dont like mixing types like string + int
- print() always has () dont forget
- spacing matters too much
- i keep forgetting colon : after if
- booleans start with capital letter True False (weird but ok)

*Updating soon*

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