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Research Week 05

1. What are the four pillars of Object-Oriented Programming? Explain each pillar.
  - a. Inheritance – allows one class to take from another class, the class inherits the properties and behaviors from the second class.
  - b. Encapsulation – it hides the variables in one class from another class, only enabling the access to the variables through methods of their current class.
    - i. You must declare the variables as private
    - ii. You must provide public getter and setter methods to modify and view the variables.
  - c. Polymorphism – the ability of an object to take on many forms.
  - d. Abstraction – the process of hiding the implementation details from the user.
    - i. Contains the abstract keyword
    - ii. May or may not contain abstract methods
    - iii. If the class has one abstract method, it must be declared as abstract
    - iv. If it is declared abstract it cannot be instantiated
    - v. To use it, it must be inherited from another class.
2. What is the relationship between a Class and an Object?
  - a. A class is a template or a place for defining objects. A class defines object properties.
  - b. An object is the variables and methods that are contained within a class.

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