

Activity-1

Scenario: Pakistani government wants to open a "Digital Library" in one of the area located in Karachi through which they wants to provide digital and online services to its library registered member's. They hire you as a "Software Developer" to develop their system. The system should help readers and staff to manage books, members, and borrow/return operations.

The library has many books having both the old and new edition. Each book has a name and it is written by some famous author, If you want to find more information about the book, you search the book through its ISBN number which is access globally. Each book belongs to certain category or subject. If a member wants to borrow a book he/she should check the status of availability of the book first. The book status determined that the book is either present or not present in the library. Members of the library have to be registered. Members of the library can be both the library staff and readers. For registration purposes a member have to submit their name, ID, contact information and previously borrowed/issued books if they have previously issued it. The Librarian allows the books to be borrowed or returned by the member and keeps the record of due and borrowing date's. The system also generate a overdue report for the librarian which is used to display overdue books and the corresponding member information. The librarian can also be able to add new books, register members, and update book availability.

You as a software developer knows both the "Procedural Programming" and Object Oriented Programming concepts taught in the previous classes of Week-1, Lecture-1. As a software developer you have to answer the following things:

Task 1: Identify Attributes and functions.

Task 2: Procedural Programming approach?

Task 3: Object Oriented approach? (Model the problem: Identify class, objects).

Task-1

→ Functions:-

- searchBook()
- checkAvailability()
- registerMember()
- allowBorrow()
- generateReport()
- addNewBook()
- updateAvailability()

→ Attributes:-

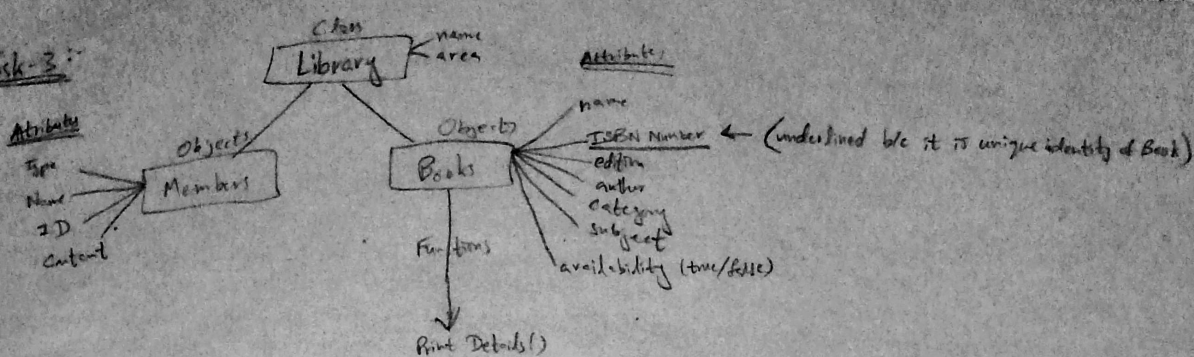
- bookName
- author
- edition
- ISBN number
- bookCategory
- bookSubject
- availability (book)
- memberType (staff/readers)
- memberName
- memberID
- memberContact

→ Classes:-

- Books
- Members
- Library

Task-2: Our procedural programming approach would be making structs for Library, Members and Books having related attributes. As structs can not contain functions, so functions will be outside the structs. To achieve inheritance, we will create instance of Library in 'Members' struct & instance of Members struct in Books.

Task-3:



Teacher's Approach

→ Digital Library will be project name & will not be a class b/c it has no fn & attribute.

BOOK

name
author
edition
ISBN ← (Underlined to show that its unique for all books)
category
avail-status ← (bool)

display-details()

→ Build classes for Readers & Librarian (Staff)
b/c fn of both are equal & if kept in same class distinguishing just by type (attribute) will give fn to both.
Member will be super class of both b/c both register & staff have to be registered
~~readers~~

Member

ID
name
count-info

register()
check-avail (Book b)

Reader

num-of-borrowed-books
borrow-books()

Librarian/Library staff

due date
borrow-date

issued Book (Book b)
report (due Date, borrow Date) // Create a report
addBook (Book b)
updateBook (Book b)