Javascript

advice

- always remember to flush a var after use using null and do null checks for those variables

falsy values in js

```
null,0,"",undefined,-0,0n,Nan,false
```

numbers

- all JavaScript numbers are 64 but floating integers
- integer without a period accurate up to 15 digits
- string+number is a string in rest the numeric string is treated as a number
- Nan type of Nan is number and all mathematical operations will result in NaN or string when added with a numeric string
- (-)infinity value returned if outside the range. division by zero.
- toString can be used to change base
- == is for value and === is for reference
- + unary plus converts non-numbers to numbers if possible
- string with `` allows to embed variable inside them using \${...}
- BigInt can be used by adding n at the end of a number
- isNaN(a) can be used to check if a is number of not

data types

There are 8 basic data types in JavaScript.

Seven primitive data types:

- number for numbers of any kind: integer or floating-point, integers are limited by $\pm (253-1)$.
- bigint for integer numbers of arbitrary length.
- string for strings. A string may have zero or more characters, there's no separate single-character type.
- boolean for true/false.
- null for unknown values a standalone type that has a single value null.
- undefined for unassigned values a standalone type that has a single value undefined.
- symbol for unique identifiers.
- And one non-primitive data type:
 - object for more complex data structures.

The typeof operator allows us to see which type is stored in a variable.

- Usually used as typeof x, but typeof(x) is also possible.
- Returns a string with the name of the type, like "string".
- For null returns "object" this is an error in the language, it's not actually an object.

strings

- at() extracting char in string
- slice(start,end) for substring
- toUpperCase(),trim(),trimStart(),trimEnd(),repeat(),replace(),replaceAll(),split(),
- padStart(till_len,"withString")
- text.replace(/MICROSOFT/i, "W3Schools");
- prompt("afjelkakfa",defaultInput);

Arrays

- arr.toString(), converts array to comma separated string
- arr.join(" anySeprator ") joins array to form a string
- arr.pop(),arr.shift() removes last and first element respectively
- arr.push(), arr.unshift() adds a element at the back and front respectively
- delete arr[index] operator which deletes at a particular index
- arr.concat(arr1,arr2) returns a new array with arr,arr1,arr2 combined

- arr.sort()
- arr.splice(startIndex,NoOfElementsToRemove,elementsToBeAdded....) removes a particular no. of elements starting from a specified index and adds the mentioned numbers which are not necessary
- arr.slice(start,end),
- spread operator -

```
//for combining arrays
const newArray = [...arr1,..arr2];
```

A cheat sheet of array methods:

- To add/remove elements:
 - push(...items) adds items to the end,
 - pop() extracts an item from the end,
 - shift() extracts an item from the beginning,
 - unshift(...items) adds items to the beginning.
 - splice(pos, deleteCount, ...items) at
 index pos deleteS deleteCount elements and inserts items.
 - slice(start, end) creates a new array, copies elements from index start till end (not inclusive) into it.
 - concat(...items) returns a new array: copies all members of the current one and adds items to it. If any of items is an array, then its elements are taken.
- To search among elements:
 - indexOf/lastIndexOf(item, pos) look for item starting from position pos, and return the index or -1 if not found.
 - includes(value) returns true if the array has value, otherwise false.
 - find/filter(func) filter elements through the function, return first/all values that make it return true.
 - findIndex is like find, but returns the index instead of a value.
- To iterate over elements:
 - forEach(func) calls func for every element, does not return anything.
- To transform the array:
 - map(func) creates a new array from results of calling func for every element.
 - sort(func) sorts the array in-place, then returns it.
 - reverse() reverses the array in-place, then returns it.
 - split/join convert a string to array and back.

- reduce/reduceRight(func, initial) calculate a single value over the array by calling func for each element and passing an intermediate result between the calls.
- Additionally:
 - Array.isArray(value) checks value for being an array, if so returns true, otherwise false.
 - Array.from() convert any convertible object to array where we can also use a mapping function

Please note that methods sort, reverse and splice modify the array itself.

when not to use arrow function

when you need this functionality or want to use argument object

looping through array

```
//for iterating over values of iterable objects
//like maps, sets, arrays, strings etc
for (i of array) {
       //logic
}
//this can be used for any iterable items in a
//object
for (index in array) {
        if (array.hasOwnProperty(index)) {
                console.log(index,array[index]);
        }
}
//call a function once for each array element
arr.forEach((value,index,array)=>{
       //function logic
})
//creates a new array by performing some operation
//on each element
let newArray = arr.map((value,index)=>{
        return value*value;
})
//filters a array based on a condition
let newArray = arr.filter((value)=>{
        if (value>6) return true;
        else return false;
})
```

Objects

```
const JsUser = {
        name: "hitesh", //keys are by default strings
        age: 18,
        location: "Jaipur",
        "full name": "vipul chauhan"
}
//to access a value there are two ways
JsUser["name];
JsUser.name;
//but for keys with spaces in them there is only one way
JsUser["full name"]
//this is a symbol
const mySum = Symbol("key1");
//to make a symbol as a key
const JsUser = {
        [mySum]: "my Key"
//and it could be accessed by only one way
JsUser[mySum]
//to freeze a object from changing its value
Object.freeze(JsUser)
//it won't give error if we try to change it
JsUser.greeting = function() {
        console.log(`Hello {this.name}`)
}
console.log(JsUser.greeting())
```

combining objects

```
const newObj = Object.assign({},obj1,obj2);
//or
const newObj = { ... obj1, ... obj2};
```

singleton object

```
const newObj = new Object();
//this type of creation will give a singleton object
```

common function

```
Object.keys(objName);
Object.values(objName);
obj.hasOwnProperty('id');
```

destructure

```
const obj = {
          name: "vipul",
          email: "vipul@4708"
}
const {email} = obj;
console.log(email)//now it can be directly accessed
const {email: id} = obj;
console.log(id);
```

rest operator

```
function calculate(...num) {
       console.log(num);
}
//if i don't know how many values will be given to me
//this will print
```

DOM and BOM

DOM refers to the html page where all node are objects with there being three type of nodes

- text node
- · element node
- comment node

```
document.body.childNode//will give Nodelist of the child nodes
document.body.children//will give htmlCollection of the element childs
document.body.firstElementChild
document.bldy.firstElementChild.nextElementSibling
document.bldy.firstElementChild.previousElementSibling
```

whichever element is selected \$0

inserting and removing elements

when styling background-color won't work instead use backgroundColor

```
document.guerySelector(".box").innerHtml
//innerHtml - gives html markup and innertext
//innerText - returns text as it appears on screen and ignores hidden text
//textContent - returns raw text without styles even if hidden
//getAttribute(attribute) - gives the value of the attribute
//hasAttriute(attribute) - method to check the existance of the attribute
//setAttribute(attribute) - sets the value of the attribute(give the value
as string)
//removeAttribute(attribute) - remove the attribute
//attributes - for all the attributes
let div = document.creatElement("div")'
div.className = "new";
div.innerHtml = "<span>hello</span>";
document.body.append(div);
//append(e)
//prepend(e)
//after(e)
//before(e)
//replaceWith(e)
document.body.remove;
//for removing node
```

insertAdjacentHtml/Text/Element

```
document.body.insertAdjacentHtml("afterbegin","<div>hello</div>")
//beforebegin
//afterend
//beforeend
```

- parentNode.insertBefore(newNode, referenceNode) inserts newNode into parentNode before referenceNode.
- class name and class list

```
elem.classList.add/remove("class");
elem.classList.toggle("class");
elem.classList.contains("class");
```

- hidden=true hides the content
- data-* are custom attributes which can be accessed using .dataset
 if an element has attribute data-one then it can accessed by .dataset.one

EVENTS

various events

https://developer.mozilla.org/en-US/docs/Web/API/Element > events

event bubbling

when we listen to a event of a element its parent's event will also be called if it has the same event. to stop it we need stop propagation

```
})
document.querySelector(".childContainer").addEventListener("click",(e)=>{
        e.stopPropagation();
        alert("childContainer was clicked");
})
```

page load

starting of the page

- DOMContentLoaded html is loaded but not the external resources
- load
- beforeunload can be used for confirmation whether to leave the page or not
- unload

mouse events

click,mouse up and down events always occur before a dblclick so we need to handle accordingly if both are registered

mousemove should be removed when not needed

The event object passed to the mouse event handler has a property called button that indicates which mouse button was pressed on the mouse to trigger the event.

The mouse button is represented by a number:

- 0: the main mouse button is pressed, usually the left button.
- 1: the auxiliary button is pressed, usually the middle button or the wheel button.
- 2: the secondary button is pressed, usually the right button.
- 3: the fourth button is pressed, usually the Browser Back button.
- 4: the fifth button is pressed, usually the Browser Forward button.

for **modifier keys** The event object has four Boolean properties, where each is set to true if the key is being held down or false if the key is not pressed.

```
if (e.shiftKey) keys.push('shift');
if (e.ctrlKey) keys.push('ctrl');
if (e.altKey) keys.push('alt');
if (e.metaKey) keys.push('meta');
```

- The screenX and screenY properties return the horizontal and vertical coordinates of the mouse pointer in screen coordinates.
- The clientX and clientY properties of the event object returns horizontal and vertical coordinates within the application's client area at which the mouse event occurred.

- When you press a character key on the keyboard, the keydown, keypress, and keyup events are fired sequentially. However, if you press a non-character key, only the keydown and keyup events are fired.
- The keyboard event object has two important properties: key and code properties that allow you to detect which key has been pressed.
- The key property returns the value of the key pressed while the code represents a
 physical key on the keyboard.

event delegation

- Having a large number of event handlers will take up memory and degrade the performance of a page.
- The event delegation technique utilizes the event bubbling to handle the event at a higher level in the DOM than the element on which the event originated.

```
let menu = document.querySelector('#menu');

menu.addEventListener('click', (event) => {
    let target = event.target;

    switch(target.id) {
        case 'home':
            console.log('Home menu item was clicked');
            break;
        case 'dashboard':
            console.log('Dashboard menu item was clicked');
            break;
        case 'report':
            console.log('Report menu item was clicked');
            break;
    }
});
```

dispatch event

- Use the specific event constructor such as MouseEvent and
 call dispatchEvent() method on an element to generate an event from code.
- Use event.isTrusted to examine whether the event is generated from code or user actions.