



Announcements

- Clickers
- Friday—all JavaScript
 - 20 questions, 2 points each
 - Counts as two clicker quizzes



Announcements

- Friday's Quick Write
 - I will give you 4-5 lines of JavaScript code and ask you to explain it line by line
 - The code will be either a function or an if/else statement
 - It will be similar to something you've been doing in lab and something you can explain in 5 minutes.



JavaScript Storyteller Project

Going deeper into Part B

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Functions

- Declaration syntax

```
function Name(parameter)
{
    //statement body
    x = x * parameter; //example
}
```

- Call syntax

```
onclick="Name(argument)"
```



Passing Values to Functions

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- Declaration syntax

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}
```

A red arrow originates from the word 'argument' in the call syntax below and points upwards to the word 'parameter' in the declaration syntax above.

- Call syntax

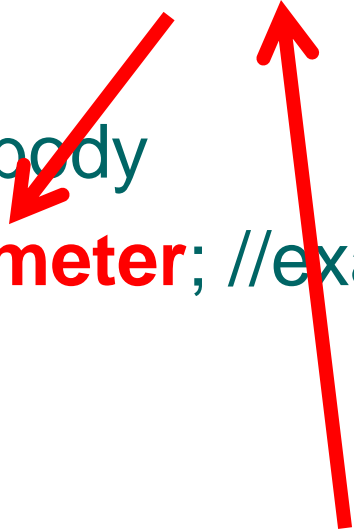
```
onclick="Name(argument)"
```



Passing Values to Functions

- Declaration syntax

```
function Name(parameter)  
{  
    //statement body  
    x = x * parameter; //example  
}
```

Two red arrows are present. One arrow starts at the word 'parameter' in the function signature and points down to the word 'parameter' in the example code line 'x = x * parameter;'. The second arrow starts at the word 'parameter' in the example code line and points up to the word 'parameter' in the function signature.

- Call syntax

```
onclick="Name(argument)"
```



Example

- Caps function

- Strategy:

1. Change whole string to lower case
2. Grab the 1st letter of the word
 1. Save it
 2. Make it upper case
3. Grab the rest of the word and save it
4. Add the 1st letter and the rest of the word back together and save that



Example

```
function caps(word)
{
    var word = word.toLowerCase();
}
```

User entered:

A N N

A n n

a n n



Example

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  {  
    var word = word.toLowerCase();  
  }
```

User entered:

A N N

A n n

a n n

Change to:

a n n



Example

```
function caps(word)
{
    var word = word.toLowerCase();
    var firstLetter = word.charAt(0);

}
```

word:

a n n



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word:


0	1	2
a	n	n



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 1 2
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word:
↓ 1 2
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word:

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a n n

firstLetter:

a



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word:

0 1 2
a n n

firstLetter:

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a n n

firstLetter:

A



Example

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function caps(word)
{
    var word = word.toLowerCase();
    var firstLetter = word.charAt(0);
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    var wordLength = word.length - 1;

}
```

word:

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a n n

firstLetter:

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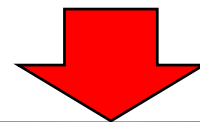
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word:

0	1	2
a	n	n

firstLetter:

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Word is treated as an array with 3 elements

- length = 3
- last index = 2, **or length - 1**



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        word.substr(1, wordLength);
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word:

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a n n

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word:

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firstLetter:

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restOfWord:

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restOfWord:

n n

cappedWord:

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Example

- That's all well and good
 - But how and where do you call it?



Example

- Call the function where you need to run it:
 - Event handlers
 - In the input field or button or image tag:
`onclick="tellStory()";`



Example

Caps function

- Before:

```
story += '<p>Once upon a time, there lived a <span  
class="replace">' + person + '</span> named ' +  
firstname + '</p>';
```



Example

Calling the function

- Before:

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- After:

```
story += <p>Once upon a time, there lived a <span  
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Example

Calling the function

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  }  
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  }  
  function isVowel(word)  {  
    //statements  
  }  
</script>
```



Declaring Multiple Functions

```
<script type="JavaScript">  
    var variables; //declare any gobal variables  
    //also bring user data over from form  
    function tellStory()    {  
        //statements  
    }  
    function capitalize(word) {  
        //statements  
    }  
    function isVowel(word)  {  
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    }  
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isVowel function

```
function isVowel(word) {  
    // basic strategy: make character lower case,  
    // then see if it's in a string that contains all  
    // of the vowels  
    var vowels = "aeiou";  
    var c = word.charAt(0);  
    if (vowels.indexOf(c.toLowerCase()) == -1 ) {  
        // indexOf returns -1 if char. not found in string  
        return "a" + word;  
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word:

0 1 2
P E a r



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word:

0 1 2 3
P E a r

c:
P



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P E a r

c:
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        return "a" + ' ' + word;  
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```

word:

0 1 2
P E a r

c:
p



Calling `is_vowel()`

- `story += is_vowel(firstname);`



Concatenating

- Can be done two ways:
 - `story = story +`
 - `story +=`