

JAVASCRIPT DEVELOPMENT

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JSON & DOM

HELLO!

- 1. Pull changes from the svodnik/JS-SF-10-resources repo to your computer
- 2. Open the 06-json-dom > starter-code folder in your code editor

JAVASCRIPT DEVELOPMENT

JSON & DOM

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

At the end of this class, you will be able to

- Identify likely objects, attributes, and methods in real-world scenarios
- Create JavaScript objects using object literal notation
- Implement and interface with JSON data
- Identify differences between the DOM and HTML.
- Explain and use JavaScript methods for DOM manipulation.

AGENDA

- Lab: Translate real world scenarios into objects
- Lab: Create objects
- JSON
- Lab: Work with JSON
- DOM intro

JSON & DOM

WEEKLY OVERVIEW

WEEK 4

Slack bot lab / JSON & DOM

WEEK 5

DOM & jQuery / Advanced jQuery

WEEK 6

Ajax & APIs / Asynchronous JS & callbacks

EXIT TICKET QUESTIONS

- 1. I didn't fully understand what a slack bot is.
- 2. How to balance finding interesting code on the internet and copying (and hoping for the best) -v- writing everything I cant to do from scratch?
- 3. Is it harder to write a bot for Slack without using Hubot?
- 4. How can I integrate a third-party API with my slackbot?
- 5. Other than Slack, what other apps can Hubot access/integrate? Can you give some more example?

BOTS — **GROUP CHECKIN**



TYPE OF EXERCISE

• Groups of 3-4

TIMING

3 min

- 1. Share
 - What you're planning for your bot to do
 - How far you've gotten
 - An outstanding question or challenge
- 2. As a group, brainstorm possible next steps for each challenge described by a group member.

EXERCISE — **OBJECTS**



KEY OBJECTIVE

Create JavaScript objects using object literal notation

TYPE OF EXERCISE

• Groups of 2-3

TIMING

5 min

- 1. For the thing you've been assigned, make a list of attributes (descriptions) and actions (things it can do).
- 2. On your desk or on the wall, write a JavaScript statement to create a variable whose name corresponds to the thing you were assigned and whose value is an empty object.
- 3. Write another statement to add a property to the object and specify a value for the property.
- 4. Write another statement to add a method to the object, and specify a value for the method (use a comment or console.log() statement for the function body).
- 5. BONUS: Rewrite your answers for 2-4 as a single JavaScript statement.

REAL WORLD SCENARIO

A user, browsing on a shopping website, searches for size 12 running shoes, and examines several pairs before purchasing one.

OBJECTS = NOUNS

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implicit object:

shopping cart

PROPERTIES = ADJECTIVES

A user, browsing on a shopping website, searches for size 12 running shoes, and examines several pairs before purchasing one.

implicit properties:

for each pair of shoes:

price color

for the shopping cart:

contents total shipping tax

METHODS = **VERBS**

A user, browsing on a shopping website, searches for size 12 running shoes, and examines several pairs before purchasing one.

implicit methods:

for each pair of shoes:

add to cart

for the shopping cart:

calculate shipping calculate tax complete purchase remove item

EXERCISE — **REAL WORLD SCENARIOS & OBJECTS**



KEY OBJECTIVE

 Identify likely objects, properties, and methods in real-world scenarios

TYPE OF EXERCISE

• Groups of 3-4

TIMING

5 min

- 1. Read through your scenario together.
- 2. Identify and write down likely objects, properties, and methods in your scenario. (Remember to consider implicit objects as well as explicit ones.)
- 3. Choose someone to report your results to the class.

LAB — OBJECTS



KEY OBJECTIVE

Create JavaScript objects using object literal notation

TYPE OF EXERCISE

Individual or pair

TIMING

10 min

- 1. Open starter-code > 0-object-exercise >
 monkey.js in your editor.
- 2. Create objects for 3 different monkeys each with the properties name, species, and foodsEaten, and the methods eatSomething(thingAsString) and introduce.
- 3. Practice retrieving properties and using methods with both dot notation and bracket syntax.

JSON

JSON IS A DATA FORMAT BASED ON JAVASCRIPT

object JS0N

```
let instructor = {
  firstName: 'Sasha',
  lastName: 'Vodnik',
  city: 'San Francisco',
  classes: [
    'JSD', 'FEWD'
  classroom: 7,
  launched: true,
  dates: {
    start: 20180205,
    end: 20180406
```

```
"firstName": "Sasha",
"lastName": "Vodnik",
"city": "San Francisco",
"classes": [
 "JSD", "FEWD"
"classroom": 7,
"launched": true,
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JSON & DOM

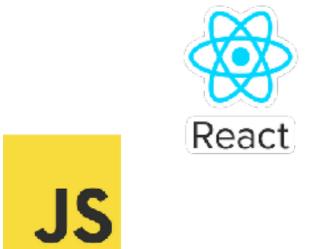
JSON

- Easy for humans to read and write
- Easy for programs to parse and generate

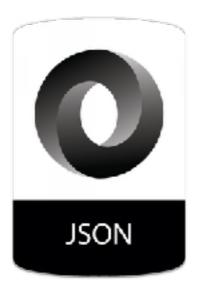
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JSON IS NOT JAVASCRIPT-SPECIFIC

Used across the web by programs written in many languages













JSON RULES

- Property names must be double-quoted strings.
- Trailing commas are forbidden.
- Leading zeroes are prohibited.
- In numbers, a decimal point must be followed by at least one digit.
- Most characters are allowed in strings; however, certain characters (such as ', ", \, and newline/tab) must be 'escaped' with a preceding backslash (\) in order to be read as characters (as opposed to JSON control code).
- All strings must be double-quoted.
- No comments!

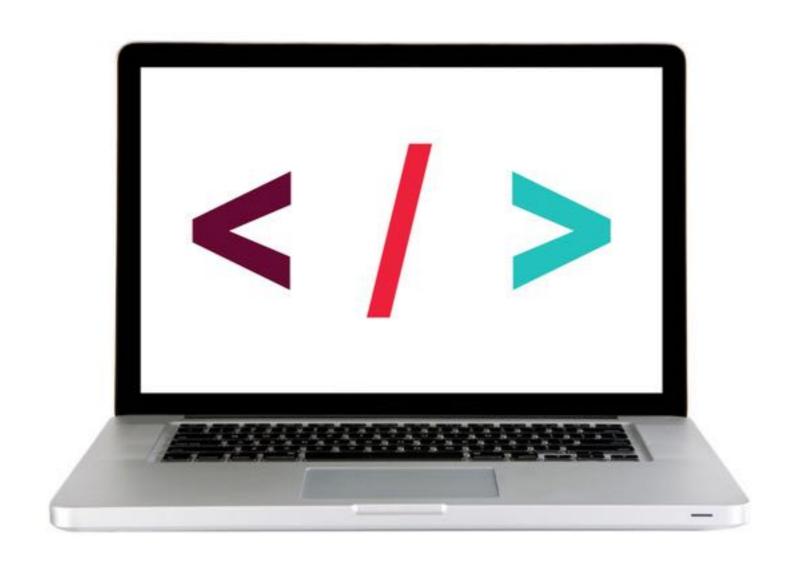
TO CONVERT AN OBJECT TO JSON

JSON.stringify(object);

TO CONVERT JSON TO AN OBJECT

JSON.parse(json);

LET'S TAKE A LOOK



EXERCISE — JSON



KEY OBJECTIVE

▶ Implement and interface with JSON data

TYPE OF EXERCISE

• Groups of 2-3

TIMING

3 min

- 1. Write JSON code that contains an error.
- 2. Write your code on the wall.
- 3. When everyone's code is done, we will look at the code together as a class and practice identifying errors.

YAY, I GOT SOME DATA!

```
let person = '{"firstName":
"Sasha","lastName": "Vodnik","city":
"San Francisco","classes": ["JSD",
"FEWD"],"classroom": 7,"launched":
true,"dates": {"start": 20180205,"end":
20180406}}';
```

WAIT, WHAT?!

- 1. PARSE THE JSON TO A JAVASCRIPT OBJECT (OR ARRAY!)
 - 2. VIEW THE RESULTING DATA STRUCTURE
 - 3. LOCATE THE DATA YOU WANT TO REFERENCE
- 4. USE DOT SYNTAX OR SQUARE BRACKET NOTATION TO MOVE DOWN A LEVEL, THEN REPEAT

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20180406}}';
```

let personObject = JSON.parse(person);

2. VIEW THE RESULTING DATA STRUCTURE

```
let personObject = JSON.parse(person);
console.log(personObject);
>
```

```
city: "San Francisco"
▼ classes: Array(2)
    0: "JSD"
    1: "FEWD"
    length: 2
    ▶ __proto__: Array(0)
    classroom: 8
▼ dates:
    end: 20171113
    start: 20170906
    ▶ __proto__: Object
    firstName: "Sasha"
    lastName: "Vodnik"
    launched: true
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3. LOCATE THE DATA YOU WANT TO REFERENCE

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direct property:

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   length: 2
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 classroom: 8
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   end: 20171113
   start: 20170906
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 firstName: "Sasha"
 lastName: "Vodnik"
 launched: true
```

```
console.log(personObject.city);
> "San Francisco"
```

4. USE DOT SYNTAX OR SQUARE BRACKET NOTATION TO MOVE DOWN A LEVEL, THEN REPEAT

```
direct property > array element
 city: "San Francisco"
▼ classes: Array(2)
                                             console.log(personObject.classes);
   0: "JSD"
                                             > ["JSD","FEWD"]
  1: "FEWD"
   length: 2
                                             console.log(personObject.classes[0]);
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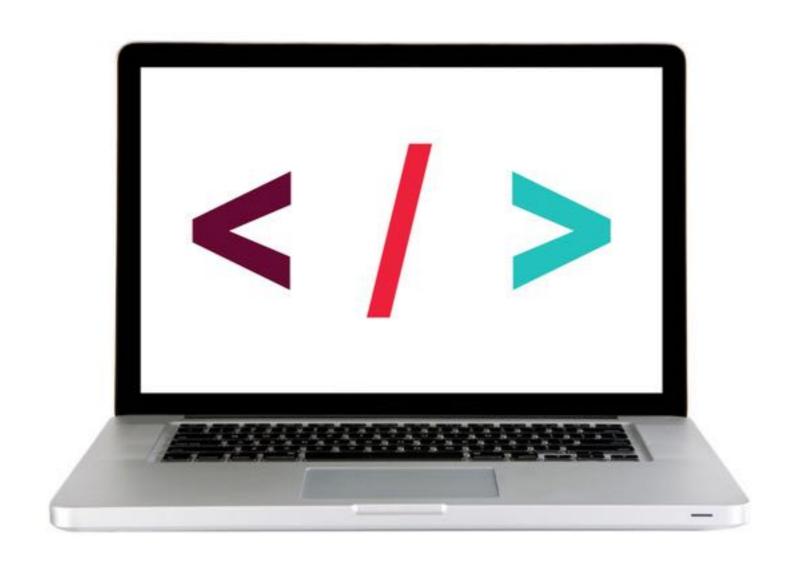
v dates:
end: 20171113
start: 20170906

> __proto__: Object
firstName: "Sasha"
lastName: "Vodnik"
launched: true
```

```
direct property > nested object property
console.log(personObject.dates);
> {end:20171113,start:20170906}

console.log(personObject.dates.start);
> 20170906
```

LET'S TAKE A LOOK



LAB — JSON



KEY OBJECTIVE

▶ Implement and interface with JSON data

TYPE OF EXERCISE

Individual or pair

TIMING

10 min

- Open starter-code > 2-json-exercise > app.js in your editor.
- 2. Follow the instructions to write code that produces the stated output.

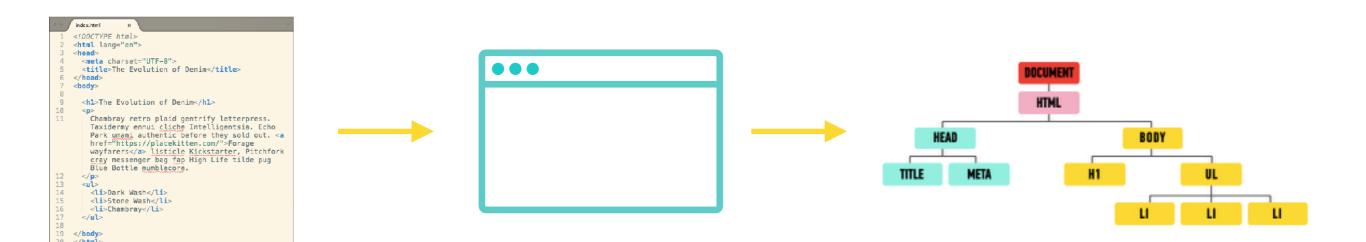
THE DOCUMENT OBJECT MODEL (DOM)

DOM TREE — HTML FILE

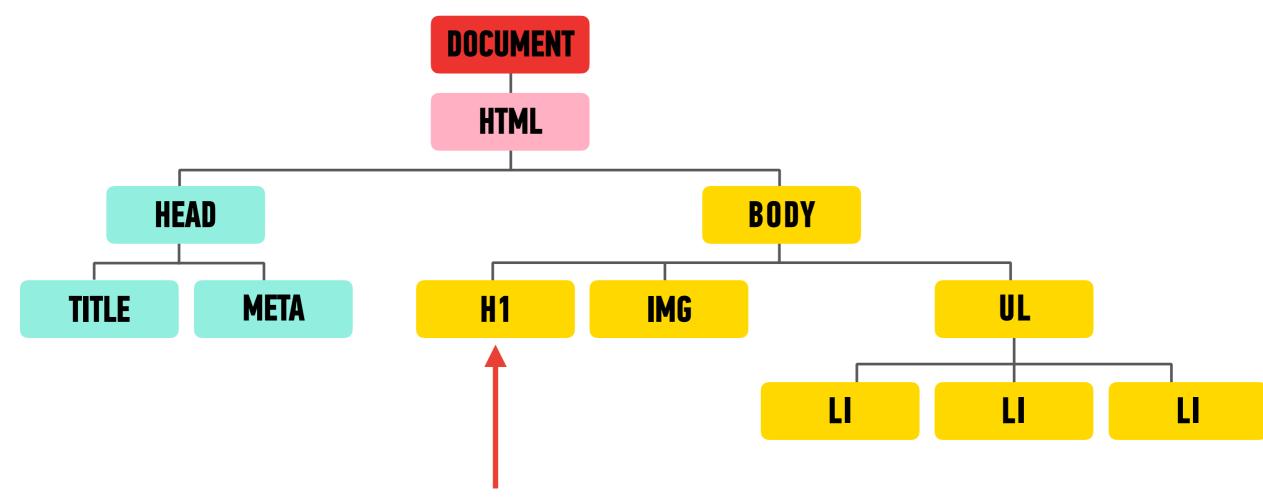
```
index.html
   <!DOCTYPE html>
   <html lang="en">
   <head>
     <meta charset="UTF-8">
   <title>The Evalution of Denim</title>
   </head>
   <body>
8
9
     <h1>The Evolution of Denim</h1>
10
     >
11
     Chambray retro plaid gentrify letterpress.
       Taxidermy ennui cliche Intelligentsia. Echo
       Park umami authentic before they sold out. <a
       href="https://placekitten.com/">Forage
       wayfarers</a> listicle Kickstarter, Pitchfork
       cray messenger bag fap High Life tilde pug
       Blue Bottle mumblecore.
     < 112>
14
      Nark Wash
15
     Stone Wash
16
     Chambray
17
     18
19
   </body>
   </html>
```

DOM TREE

- ▶ The browser pulls in this HTML document, analyzes it, and creates an *object model* of the page in memory.
- ▶ This model is called the *Document Object Model (DOM)*.
- ▶ The DOM is structured like a tree, a DOM Tree, like in the model below:



DOM TREE



- ▶ Each element in the HTML document is represented by a *DOM node*.
- ▶ You can think of a node as a live object that you can access and change using JavaScript.
- ▶ When the model is updated, those changes are reflected on screen.

DOM TREE

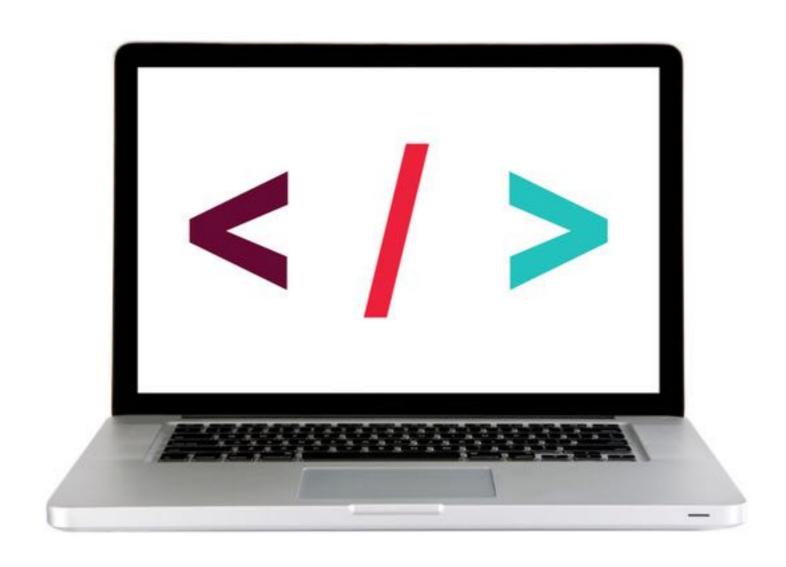
In Chrome, you can go to View > Developer > Developer Tools and click on the Elements panel to take a look at the DOM tree.

Grocery List

- · Pepper Jack Cheese
- Hot Sauce
- · Tortilla Chips

```
Elements Console Sources Network Timeline Profiles >>
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html lang="en">
▼<head>
   <meta charset="UTF-8">
   <title>Methods | Getting/Setting Content</title>
   k rel="stylesheet" href="css/style.css">
 </head>
▼<body>
   <h1>Grocery List</h1>
 ▼
    Pepper Jack Cheese
    Hot Sauce
    Iortilla Chips
   <img src>
   <script src="is/main.is"></script>
 </body>
</html>
```

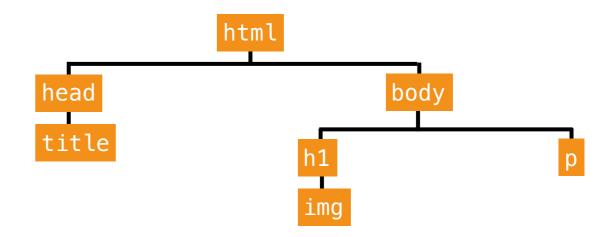
LET'S TAKE A LOOK



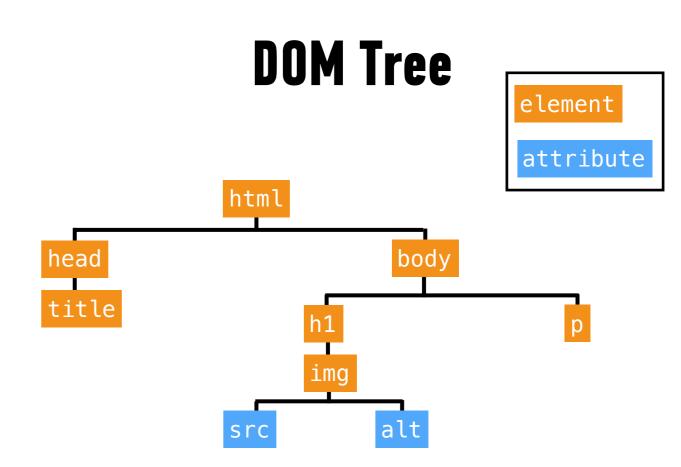
Web page elements

```
<html>
    <head>
        <title>JavaScript Basics</title>
    </head>
    <body>
        <h1>
            <img src="logo.png" alt="JS Basics">
              </h1>
            First, master HTML and CSS.
        </body>
</html>
```

DOM Tree

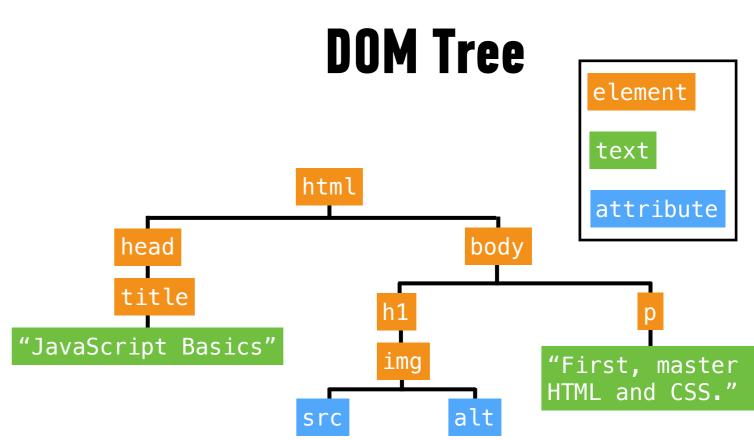


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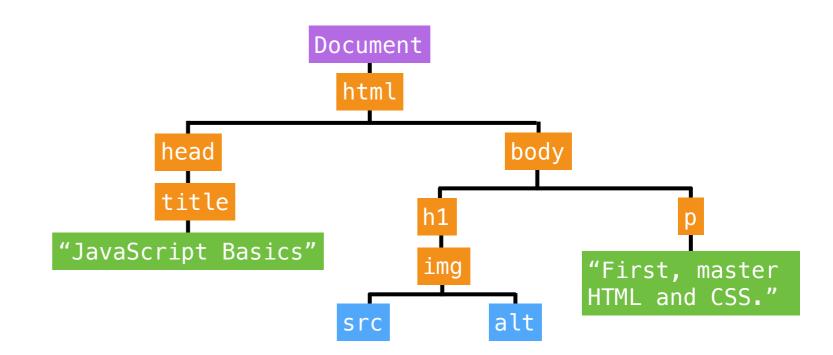
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The Document object

- Created by the browser
- Contains all web page elements as descendant objects
- Also includes its own properties and methods



EXERCISE



KEY OBJECTIVE

▶ Identify differences between the DOM and HTML

TYPE OF EXERCISE

Pairs

TIMING

2 min

1. How is the DOM different from a page's HTML?

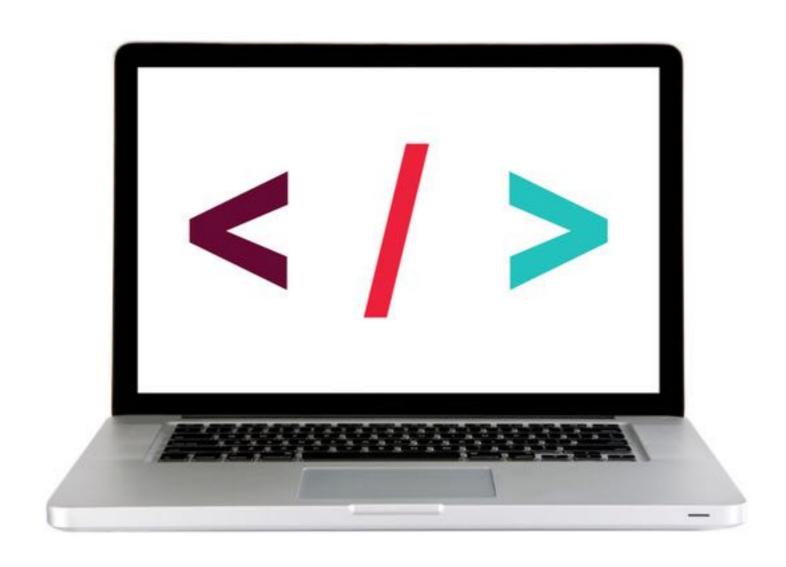
REFERENCING A SCRIPT IN HTML

script element at the bottom of the body element

just before the closing </body> tag

```
<html>
    <head>
    <head>
    <body>
        <h1>JavaScript resources</h1>
        <script src="script.js"></script>
        <body>
        <html>
```

LET'S TAKE A LOOK



Selecting an element in the DOM

```
• getElementById()
```

- getElementsByClassName()
- getElementsByTagName()
- querySelector()
- p querySelectorAll()

Let us select DOM elements using CSS selector syntax

querySelector()

Takes a single argument, a string containing CSS selector

HTML JavaScript

```
<body>
...
id="main">Lorem ipsum
...
</body>
```

document.querySelector('#main');

querySelector()

Selects the first DOM element that matches the specified CSS selector

JavaScript

document.querySelector('li');

querySelectorAll()

- Takes a single argument, a string containing CSS selector
- Selects all DOM elements that match this CSS selector
- Returns a NodeList, which is similar to an array

JavaScript

document.querySelectorAll('li');

What can we do with a selected element?

- Get and set its text content with the innerHTML property
- Get and set its attribute values by referencing them directly (id, src, etc.)

innerHTML

- Gets the existing content of an element, including any nested HTML tags
- Sets new content in an element

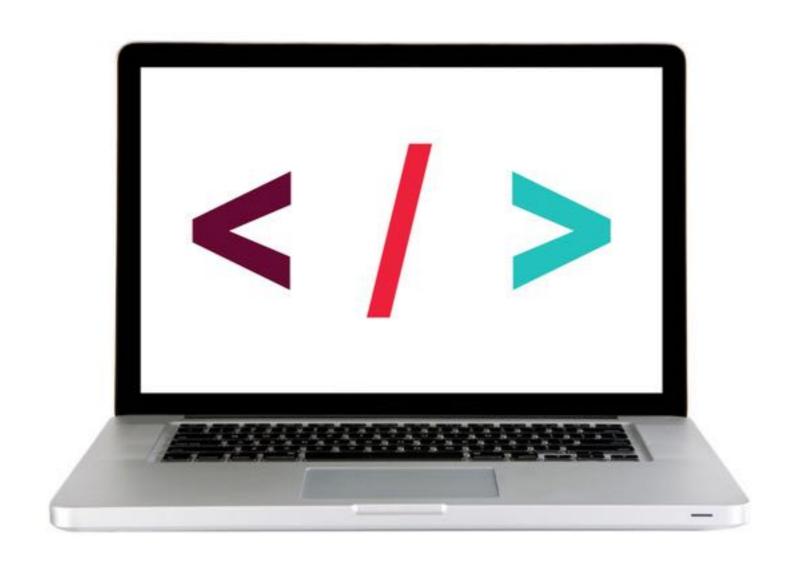
```
var item = document.querySelector('li');
console.log(item.innerHTML) // Gets value: "Lorem ipsum"
item.innerHTML = 'Apples' // Sets value: 'Apples'
```

className property

- Gets/sets an element's class attribute value
- CSS style sheet contains a style rule for each class
 - » Appearance of element changes based on which class is applied
 - » This is the best practice.

```
var item = document.querySelector('li');
console.log(item.className) // Gets value: 'default'
item.className = 'selected'
// Sets value: 'selected'
```

LET'S TAKE A LOOK



Exit Tickets!

(Class #6)

LEARNING OBJECTIVES - REVIEW

- Identify likely objects, attributes, and methods in real-world scenarios
- Create JavaScript objects using object literal notation
- Implement and interface with JSON data
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NEXT CLASS PREVIEW Intro to the DOM & jQuery

- Explain and use JavaScript methods for DOM manipulation.
- Create DOM event handlers to respond to user actions
- Manipulate the DOM by using jQuery selectors and functions.
- Register and trigger event handlers for jQuery events.

JSON & DOM