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# Advanced Coding Club using JavaScript (week 2)

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First week we learned...

1. A bit about JavaScript and DroidScript
  2. Your Tablet and how it works
  3. What we're going to do over the club sessions
  4. How to use DroidScript
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**Now we're going to look at  
the coding**



# Variables

```
/*
```

you can have any name for a variable but it's good to have something that you can remember

```
*/
```

```
var myText = "Hi I like chocolate - lots of it!";
```

```
var myNum = 7;
```

```
var myBigNum = 700000000;
```

```
var myBiggerNum = 123657483738;
```

```
alert( myBiggerNum ); // This shows a variable !
```

```
/*
```

There are no numbers with a , (comma )  
like

```
var myNum = 1,000,0000;
```

in but you can have

```
*/
```

```
var myNum = 123657483.99998;
```

```
var myNum1 = 3.99998;
```

```
var myNum2 = -3;
```

```
var myWeirdNum = -45.324234234234234
```

```
alert(myWeirdNum );
```

**You only need to use VAR when creating a variable!**

# More Variables



```
/*
```

but its good to have something in it to tell you what they type of variable it is like....

```
*/
```

**Try it !**

```
var textMyName = "Big Bob";  
var numMyAge = 2;  
var boolYouHateChocolate = false;
```

```
alert( textMyName );  
alert( boolYouHateChocolate );
```

```
/*
```

**you can only use letters and numbers, but numbers are not at the beginning!**

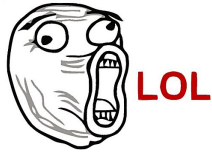
```
*/
```

**Try it !...**

```
var myAgels10 = true; // this works!  
var 10isMyAge = true; // will not work!
```

```
alert(10isMyAge );
```

# Even More Variables



```
/*  
You can use the symbols for maths with your variables  
for numbers  
*/
```

```
var myNum = 24;  
var myMultiplyNum = myNum * 2;  
alert( myMultiplyNum );
```

```
var myDivideNum = myNum / 2;  
alert( myDivideNum );
```

```
var myNewNum = myNum / -256;  
alert( myNewNum );
```

```
/*  
Mixing variable types
```

```
That is  
Adding Text and numbers
```

```
Or  
Numbers and Text
```

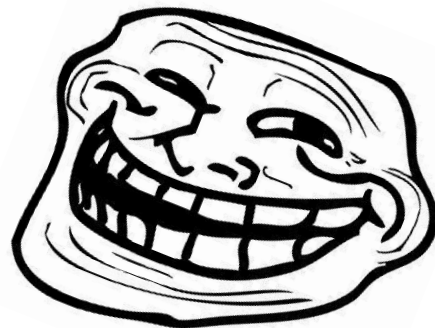
```
Or  
Text and Boolean (remember true/false)  
*/
```

```
var myNum = 10  
var myThingy = myNum + "8";
```

```
/* what do you think this will show ?  
18  
or  
108 ?  
*/
```

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# 108



Text added to numbers will always make text

What about if you use `/` or `*` what do you get?

```
var myNum = 10;  
var myThingy = myNum * "8";  
alert(myThingy);
```



1.25 or 80

Text NUMBERS like “200” or “-40.1”

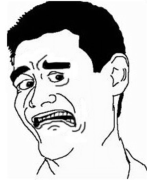
using / or \*

makes a number

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# Oh no not more Variables



```
/*  
BOOLEAN.  
Boolean is true/false only. These are used  
*/
```

Try this...

```
var myBirthday = false;  
  
if( myBirthday == true )  
{  
    alert("get out the cake and presents !!");  
}
```

AH HA!

```
/*  
We used a condition then.... Hang on!
```

```
Add this...  
*/
```

```
else if( myBirthday == false)  
{  
    alert("how many days 'til christmas ??");  
}
```

# Oh no not more more Variables

/\*  
Some words in JavaScript or Droidsript  
cannot be used as variable names

These are special reserved words  
\*/

break	case	class	catch
const	continue	debugger	default
delete	do	else	export
extends	finally	for	function
if	import	in	instanceof
let	new	return	super
switch	this	throw	try
typeof	var	void	while
with	yield		

**We will be covering  
more on Variables later  
but lets move on..**