

# Advanced JavaScript

This JavaScript Coding Course will teach you everything you need to master the most widely used front-end language today.

- Covering all the new Object-Oriented features introduced in ES6, this course shows you how to build large-scale web apps
- Build apps that promote scalability, maintainability, and reusability
- Learn popular Object-Oriented programming (OOP) principles and design patterns to build robust apps
- Implement Object-Oriented concepts in a wide range of front-end architectures
- Master JavaScript's OOP features, including the one's provided by ES6 specification
- Identify and apply the most common design patterns such as Singleton, Factory, Observer, Model-View-Controller, and Mediator Patterns
- Understand the SOLID principles and their benefits
- Use the acquired OOP knowledge to build robust and maintainable code
- Design applications using a modular architecture based on SOLID principles

“Any application that can be written in JavaScript will eventually be written in JavaScript.”

–Atwood's Law, by Jeff Atwood

## Prerequisites

This is an advanced course. You should be at the level of [HTML5 / JavaScript](#) programming before you do this course

## Intended Audience:

Anybody who wants to understand and remember how to program with JavaScript using the best techniques and the most recent

standards, including OO.

## **Further Training:**

[Angular](#)

[NodeJS](#).

## **Course Material**

Provided

## **Course Contents**

### ***DAY 1***

#### **A Refresher of Objects**

- Object literals
- Object constructors
- Object prototypes
- Using classes

#### **OOB Principles**

- OOB principles
- Is JavaScript Object Oriented?
- Abstraction and modeling support
- OOB principles support
- JavaScript OOB versus classical OOB

#### **Working with Encapsulation and Information Hiding**

- Encapsulation and information hiding
- Convention-based approach
- Privacy levels using closure
- A meta-closure approach
- Property descriptors
- Information hiding in ES6 classes

## **DAY 2**

### **Inheriting and Creating Mixins**

- Why inheritance?
- Objects and prototypes
- ES6 inheritance
- Controlling inheritance
- Implementing multiple inheritance
- Creating and using mixins

### **Defining Contracts with Duck Typing**

- Managing dynamic typing
- Contracts and interfaces
- Duck typing
- Duck typing and polymorphism

### **Advanced Object Creation**

- Creating objects
- Design patterns and object creation
- Creating a singleton
- An object factory
- The builder pattern
- Comparing factory and builder patterns
- Recycling objects with an object pool

## **DAY 3**

### **Presenting Data to the User**

- Managing user interfaces
- Presentation patterns
- The Model-View-Controller pattern
- The Model-View-Presenter pattern
- The Model-View-ViewModel pattern
- A MV\* pattern comparison

### **Data Binding**

- What is data binding?
- Implementing data binding
- The publish/subscribe pattern
- Using proxies

## **DAY 4**

### **Asynchronous Programming and Promises**

- Is JavaScript asynchronous?
- Writing asynchronous code
- Introducing Promises
- Using Generators

### **Organizing Code**

- The global scope
- Creating namespaces
- The module pattern
- Module loading
- ECMAScript 6 modules

## **DAY 5**

### **SOLID Principles**

- Principle of OOP design
- The Single Responsibility Principle
- The Open/Closed Principle
- The Liskov Substitution Principle
- The Interface Segregation Principle
- The Dependency Inversion Principle

### **Modern Application Architectures**

- From scripts to applications
- From old-style to Single Page Applications
- The Zakas/Osmani architecture
- Cross-cutting features and AOP
- Isomorphic applications

## **Duration and pricing**

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# **Android Programming**

This Android Training Course will help you build your first working application quick-quick. You'll learn hands-on how to structure your app, design interfaces, create a database, make your app work on various smartphones and tablets, and if you want to pass the international exam AND-401, in Android, the syllabus is covered.

## Prerequisites

Before attempting Android Programming on its own, you should have completed at least [Beginner Java](#), if not [Advanced Java](#) or be very familiar with OO and advanced topics in Java or a similar OO language .

## Alignment

AND-401 Android Certification. The exam is excluded, but we cover and support you in full if you want to sit for the international exam.

# Course Contents

## DAY 1

### Welcome to Android

- The Android platform dissected
- Your development environment
- Install Java
- Build a basic app
- Activities and layouts from 50,000 feet
- Building a basic app (continued)
- Building a basic app (continued)
- You've just created your first Android app
- Android Studio creates a complete folder structure for you
- Useful files in your project
- Edit code with the Android Studio editors
- Run the app in the Android emulator
- Creating an Android Virtual Device
- Run the app in the emulator
- You can watch progress in the console
- What just happened?
- Refining the app

- What's in the layout?
- activity\_main.xml has two elements
- The layout file contains a reference to a string, not the string itself
- Let's look in the strings.xml file

## **Interactive Apps**

- You're going to build a Beer Adviser app
- Create the project
- We've created a default activity and layout
- Adding components with the design editor
- activity\_find\_beer.xml has a new button
- Changes to the XML...
- ...are reflected in the design editor
- Use string resources rather than hardcoding the text
- Change the layout to use the string resources
- Add values to the spinner
- Get the spinner to reference a string-array
- We need to make the button do something
- Make the button call a method
- What activity code looks like
- Add an onClickFindBeer() method to the activity
- onClickFindBeer() needs to do something
- Once you have a View, you can access its methods
- Update the activity code
- The first version of the activity
- Building the custom Java class
- Enhance the activity to call the custom Java class so that we can get REAL advice
- Activity code version 2
- What happens when you run the code

## **Multiple Activities and Intents**

- Apps can contain more than one activity
- Here's the app structure
- Create the project

- Create the second activity and layout
- Welcome to the Android manifest file
- Use an intent to start the second activity
- What happens when you run the app
- Pass text to a second activity
- Update the text view properties
- putExtra() puts extra information in an intent
- Update the CreateMessageActivity code
- Get ReceiveMessageActivity to use the information in the intent
- What happens when the user clicks the Send Message button
- How Android apps work
- What happens when the code runs
- How Android uses the intent filter
- You need to run your app on a REAL device
- Change the code to create a chooser

## DAY 2

### The Activity LifeCycle

- How do activities really work?
- The Stopwatch app
- The stopwatch layout code
- Add code for the buttons
- The runTimer() method
- Handlers allow you to schedule code
- The full runTimer() code
- The full StopwatchActivity code
- Rotating the screen changes the device configuration
- From birth to death: the states of an activity
- The activity lifecycle: from create to destroy
- How do we deal with configuration changes?
- What happens when you run the app
- There's more to an activity's life than create and destroy



- The activity lifecycle: the visible lifetime
- The updated StopwatchActivity code
- What happens when you run the app
- But what if an app is only partially visible?
- The activity lifecycle: the foreground lifetime
- Stop the stopwatch if the activity's paused
- The complete activity code
- Your handy guide to the lifecycle methods

## **The User Interface**

- Three key layouts: relative, linear, and grid
- Positioning views relative to the parent layout
- Positioning views relative to other views
- Attributes for positioning views relative to other views
- RelativeLayout: a summary
- LinearLayout displays views in a single row or column
- Let's change up a basic linear layout
- Adding weight to one view
- Adding weight to multiple views
- Using the android:gravity attribute: a list of values
- More values you can use with the android:layout
- gravity attribute
- The full linear layout code
- LinearLayout: a summary
- GridLayout displays views in a grid
- Adding views to the grid layout
- Let's create a new grid layout
- Row 0: add views to specific rows and columns
- Row 1: make a view span multiple columns
- Row 2: make a view span multiple columns
- The full code for the grid layout
- GridLayout: a summary
- Layouts and GUI components have a lot in common
- Playing with views

## **List Views and Adapters**

- Every app starts with ideas
- Categorize your ideas: top-level, category, and detail/edit activities
- Navigating through the activities
- Use ListViews to navigate to data
- We're going to build the Starbuzz app
- The drink detail activity
- The Starbuzz app structure
- The top-level layout contains an image and a list
- The full top-level layout code
- Get ListViews to respond to clicks with a Listener
- The full TopLevelActivity code
- How to create a list activity
- Connect list views to arrays with an array adapter
- Add the array adapter to DrinkCategoryActivity
- What happens when you run the code
- How we handled clicks in TopLevelActivity
- The full DrinkCategoryActivity code
- A detail activity displays data for a single record
- Update the views with the data
- The DrinkActivity code

## DAY 3

### Fragments

- The Workout app structure
- The Workout class
- How to add a fragment to your project
- What fragment code looks like
- Activity states revisited
- The fragment lifecycle
- Your fragment inherits the lifecycle methods
- How to create a list fragment
- The updated WorkoutListFragment code
- Wiring up the list to the detail
- Using fragment transaction

- The updated MainActivity code
- The WorkoutDetailFragment code
- The phone and tablet app structures
- The different folder options
- The MainActivity phone layout
- The full DetailActivity code
- The revised MainActivity code

## **Nested Fragments**

- Creating nested fragments
- The StopwatchFragment code
- The StopwatchFragment layout
- `getFragmentManager()` creates transactions at the activity level
- Nested fragments need nested transactions
- The full WorkoutDetailFragment code
- Why does the app crash if you press a button?
- the StopwatchFragment layout code
- Make the fragment implement `OnClickListener`
- Attach the `OnClickListener` to the buttons
- The StopwatchFragment code
- The WorkoutDetailFragment code

# **DAY 4**

## **Action Bars**

- Great apps have a clear structure
- Different types of navigation
- Let's start with the action bar
- The Android support libraries
- Your project may include support libraries
- We'll get the app to use up to date themes
- Apply a theme in `AndroidManifest.xml`
- Define styles in style resource files
- Set the default theme in `styles.xml`
- What happens when you run the app

- Adding action items to the action bar
- The menu resource file
- The menu showAsAction attribute
- Add a new action item
- Create OrderActivity
- Start OrderActivity with the Create Order action item
- The full MainActivity.java code
- Sharing content on the action bar
- Specify the content with an intent
- The full MainActivity.java code
- Enabling Up navigation
- Setting an activity's parent
- Adding the Up button

## **Navigation Drawers**

- The Pizza app revisited
- Navigation drawers deconstructed
- The Pizza app structure
- Create TopFragment
- Create PizzaFragment
- Create PastaFragment
- Create StoresFragment
- Add the DrawerLayout
- The full code for activity\_main.xml
- Initialize the drawer's list
- Changing the action bar title
- Closing the navigation drawer
- The updated MainActivity.java code
- Using an ActionBarDrawerToggle
- Modifying action bar items at runtime
- The updated MainActivity.java code
- Enable the drawer to open and close
- Syncing the ActionBarDrawerToggle state
- The updated MainActivity.java code
- Dealing with configuration changes
- Reacting to changes on the back stack

- Adding tags to fragments

## **SQLite Databases**

- Back to Starbuzz
- Android uses SQLite databases to persist data
- Android comes with SQLite classes
- The current Starbuzz app structure
- The SQLite helper manages your database
- The SQLite helper
- Create the SQLite helper
- Inside a SQLite database
- You create tables using Structured Query Language (SQL)
- Insert data using the insert() method
- Update records with the update() method
- Multiple conditions
- The StarbuzzDatabaseHelper code
- What the SQLite helper code does
- What if you need to change the database?
- SQLite databases have a version number
- Upgrading the database: an overview
- How the SQLite helper makes decisions
- Upgrade your database with onUpgrade()
- Downgrade your database with onDowngrade()
- Let's upgrade the database
- Upgrading an existing database
- Renaming tables
- The full SQLite helper code
- The SQLite helper code (continued)
- What happens when the code runs

## **DAY 5**

### **Cursors and Asynch Tasks**

- The current DrinkActivity code
- Specifying table and columns
- Applying multiple conditions to your query

- Using SQL functions in queries
- Navigating cursors
- The DrinkActivity code
- Add favorites to DrinkActivity
- The DrinkActivity code
- The new top-level activity code
- The revised TopLevelActivity.java code
- The onPreExecute() method
- The doInBackground() method
- The onProgressUpdate() method
- The onPostExecute() method
- The AsyncTask class
- The DrinkActivity.java code

## Services

- The started service app
- The IntentService from 50,000 feet
- How to log messages
- The full DelayedMessageService code
- The full DelayedMessageService.java code
- How you use the notification service
- Getting your notification to start an activity
- Send the notification using the notification service
- The full code for DelayedMessageService.java
- The steps needed to create the OdometerService
- Define the Binder
- The Service class has four key methods
- Add the LocationListener to the service
- Registering the LocationListener
- The full OdometerService.java code
- Update AndroidManifest.xml
- Update MainActivity's layout
- Create a ServiceConnection
- Bind to the service when the activity starts
- Display the distance traveled
- The full MainActivity.java code

## Material Design

- Welcome to Material Design
- The Pizza app structure
- Create the CardView
- The full card\_captioned\_image.xml code
- Create the basic adapter
- Define the adapter's ViewHolder
- Create the ViewHolders
- Each card view displays an image and a caption
- Add the data to the card views
- The full code for CaptionedImagesAdapter.java
- Create the recycler view
- Add the RecyclerView to the layout
- The PizzaMaterialFragment.java code
- A RecyclerView uses a layout manager to arrange its views
- Specifying the layout manager
- The full PizzaMaterialFragment.java code
- Get MainActivity to use the new PizzaMaterialFragment
- What happens when the code runs
- Create PizzaDetailActivity
- What PizzaDetailActivity.java needs to do
- The code for PizzaDetailActivity.java
- Getting a RecyclerView to respond to clicks
- Add the interface to the adapter
- Implement the listener in PizzaMaterialFragment.java
- Bring the content forward
- The full code for fragment\_top.xml
- The full code for TopFragment.java

## Duration and pricing

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## Certificate

1. Upon completion of this course we will issue you with

attendance certificate to certify your attendance.

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3. Our competency assessment can be booked and taken by someone who has not attended the course at a cost of R950.

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# Angular

Our **Angular Training Course** is intended for front-end developers who are familiar with Javascript and want to master Angular to move a gear up. Angular is the leading framework for building dynamic JavaScript applications that take advantage of the capabilities of modern browsers and devices. The course is updated for Angular5+ .



## Prerequisites

[JavaScript](#)

## Further training

[Node.JS](#)

[MEAN Stack](#)

[Ionic](#)

## Intended Audience

Developers who found that JavaScript alone is inadequate to develop a rich, fully-fledged front-end. Our Angular Training Course starts with the MVC pattern and the many benefits that can be gained from separating your logic and presentation code. We then start from the nuts-and-bolts and building up to the most advanced and sophisticated features Angular, going in-depth.

## DAY 1

### Introduction

- What is Angular?
- Overview of Angular Apps
  - Modules
  - Components
  - Services
  - Directives
- Setting Up
  - Installing Node
  - Installing TypeScript
  - Installing Typings
  - Installing Angular CLI
  - TypeScript Editor
  - Chrome Browser
- Creating a New Project with Angular CLI

- Project File Review
- Editing Our First Angular Component

## **Creating and Using Components**

- Creating Our First Component
- Using Our Created Component
  - app.module.ts
- Component Templates
  - Displaying a line with \*ngFor
- Services
- Dependency Injection
  - providers

## **Bindings**

- Property Binding
- CSS Class Binding
- Binding to User Input Events
- Example Application

## **DAY 2**

### **Working with Components**

- Input Properties
- Styles
- Example Application

### **Conditional Rendering, Pipes and Ng-Content**

- ngIf
  - ngIfElse
- ngSwitch
- Pipes
- Custom Pipes
- ng-content
  - Multiple Insertion Points

### **Template Driven Forms**

- Create the User Model Class
- Revising app.module.ts
- Creating an initial HTML Form Template
- Using \*ngFor to Display Options
- Two-way data binding with ngModel
  - Show and Hide Validation Error messages
- Showing Specific Validation Errors
- Submit the form with ngSubmit
- Getting Submitted Values

## **DAY 3**

### **Model Driven Forms**

- Building a Basic Login Form
- Creating Controls Explicitly
  - Implementing Validation
  - Submitting the Form
  - app.component.ts
- Using FormBuilder
- Implementing Custom Validation
  - login.component.ts
  - login.component.html
- Validating Upon Form Submit
  - login.component.html

### **Introduction To Observables**

- Observables
- Creating an Observable from DOM events
- Observable Operators
  - filter operator
  - debounceTime Operator
  - distinctUntilChanged Operator

### **Getting Data From RESTful APIs with Observables**

- GitHubRESTful API
- Getting Data

- Dependency Injection
- ngOnInit
- Showing a Loader Icon
- Implementing a GitHub Results Display page

## **DAY 4**

### **Routing**

- Enabling Routing
- Setting Up Our Routes
- Router Outlet and Links
  - Router Outlet
  - Router Links
  - Adding a new Router Link
- Route Parameters
  - Specifying Route Parameters
  - Retrieving Route Parameters
- Imperative Navigation
- Route Guards
  - RouteGuard CanActivate
  - RouteGuard CanDeactivate
  - app.routing.ts
  - AppModule

### **Structuring Large Apps With Modules**

- NgModule
- Restructuring
- Restructuring GitHubModule
- Restructuring LoginModule
- Restructuring AppModule
  - app.module.ts
- Restructuring Routes
  - app.routing.ts
  - app.module.ts

## DAY 5

### C.R.U.D. with Firebase

- About Firebase
- Using Firebase
- Adding Firebase to our Angular App
  - app.module.ts
  - app.component.ts
- Working with a Firebase Database
- Displaying List of Users
- Adding a user
- AngularFirestore Add
  - dirty tracking
- Retrieving a Single User and Deletion
- Deleting a User
- Populating the Form on Edit
- Updating a user

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# **Apache Cordova**

This Apache Cordova Training Course will equip you with the skills of this popular platform to develop state-of-the-art apps that will run on various mobile Operating Systems like Android and iOS

## **Prerequisites**

Knowledge of HTML and JavaScript

## **Intended Audience**

Web Developers focusing on working on the mobile platform, specifically building mobile-friendly websites.

## **After this course you should be able to**

See your HTML running as an app on your phone, it is incredible. Everything you had learned about web development will now enable you to create applications on mobile devices.

## **COURSE CONTENTS**

### **DAY 1**

**Getting started with Apache Cordova**

- What is Cordova?
- The history of PhoneGap (and Cordova)
- How PhoneGap and Cordova relate
- What Cordova provides
- What Cordova doesn't provide
- When you wouldn't use Cordova
- Web standards and Cordova

## **Installing Cordova and the Android SDK**

- Installing the Android SDK
- Installing Apache Ant
- Installing Git
- Installing Node.js
- Setting up your PATH
- Installing Cordova
- Making your first Cordova project

## **DAY 2**

### **Creating Cordova projects**

- Creating projects with the Cordova CLI
- Digging into a Cordova project
- Adding platforms
- Working with Android emulators and devices
- Working with devices
- Sending your Cordova application to the emulator (or device)
- Building your first real application

### **Using plugins to access device features**

- What are plugins?
- Finding (and evaluating) plugins
- Managing plugins and the Cordova CLI
- Plugins and the development cycle
- The deviceready event
- Plugin example: Dialogs

- Better dialogs with the Cordova Dialogs plugin
- Building an application with the Dialogs plugin
- Plugin example: Camera
- Plugin example: Contacts

## **DAY 3**

### **Mobile design and user experience**

- Congratulations—you're a (horrible) mobile developer!
- Enhancing your Cordova UI with Bootstrap
- Mobile UI frameworks: an overview

### **Considerations when building mobile apps**

- Congratulations—you're a (slightly better) mobile developer!
- Single-page applications and you
- Building offline-ready Cordova applications
- Supporting the entire planet
- Storing data on the device

### **Tools for debugging Cordova and other hybrid apps**

- Finding the bug is nine-tenths the work of solving it
- A broken app
- Working with Chrome remote debugging on Android
- Remote debugging with iOS and Safari
- Working with Weinre
- Other debugging options

## **DAY 4**

### **Creating custom plugins**

- Why write your own plugins?
- Plugin architecture
- Building an Android plugin

### **Packing options for Cordova projects**



- Using config.xml to customize your Cordova project
- Using merges for multiple platforms
- Using hooks to enhance the Cordova CLI

## **Using PhoneGap tools**

- Working with PhoneGap
- PhoneGap Build service
- PhoneGap Developer App

## **Day 5**

### **APPLICATION RELEASE**

#### **Submitting your app**

- Releasing your app
- Submitting your Android app
- Submitting your iOS app

#### **Building an RSS reader app with Ionic**

- Designing a simple RSS reader application
- Using Ionic for Cordova development
- RSS reader app: part one
- RSS reader app: part two

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# ASP.NET CORE MVC

## ASP.NET CORE MVC

Develop cloud-ready web applications using Microsoft's latest framework, ASP.NET Core MVC

## Prerequisites / Further Training

- [Introduction to Programming](#)
- [Beginner C#.NET](#) (C# Fundamentals and Object – Orientation)
- [Advanced C#.NET](#) (Building practical Apps)
- [SQL Querying](#) (Database design and querying)
- *ASP.NET Core MVC (Web App Development)*
- Entity Framework

Also have a look at our [.NET Bootcamp](#) and save

## Intended Audience

This course is useful for C# or ASP.NET Forms programmer who wants to learn the MVC (Model View Controller) methodology.

This course covers all the topics of the Microsoft Exam for ASP.NET MVC. After completing this course you should be able to prepare for the Microsoft exam and understand all the concepts to pass quickly, just by doing a few mock exams.

## **Further Training**

You may consider doing the certification exam courses:

MCPD – Web Apps

## **Course Material**

Included in the course price.

## **Course Contents**

### **Day1:**

#### A First MVC Application

- Adding the First Controller
- Understanding Routes
- Rendering Web Pages
- Creating and Rendering a View
- Adding Dynamic Output
- Creating a Simple Data-Entry Application
- Setting the Scene
- Designing a Data Model
- Linking Action Methods
- Building the Form
- Setting the Start URL
- Handling Forms
- Adding Validation
- Styling the Content

#### The MVC Pattern

- The History of MVC
- Understanding the MVC Pattern
- Understanding the Domain Model
- The ASP.NET Implementation of MVC
- Comparing MVC to Other Patterns
- Building Loosely Coupled Components
- Using Dependency Injection
- Using a Dependency Injection Container
- Getting Started with Automated Testing
- Understanding Unit Testing
- Understanding Integration Testing

## Essential Language Features

- Using Automatically Implemented Properties
- Using Object and Collection Initializers
- Using Extension Methods
- Applying Extension Methods to an Interface
- Creating Filtering Extension Methods
- Using Lambda Expressions
- Using Automatic Type Inference
- Using Anonymous Types
- Performing Language Integrated Queries
- Understanding Deferred LINQ Queries
- Using Async Methods
- Applying the async and await Keywords

## Working with Razor

- Preparing the Example Project
- Defining the Model
- Defining the Controller
- Creating the View
- Working with the Model Object
- Working with Layouts
- Creating the Layout
- Applying a Layout
- Using a View Start File

- Shared Layouts
- Using Razor Expressions
- Inserting Data Values
- Setting Attribute Values
- Using Conditional Statements
- Enumerating Arrays and Collections
- Dealing with Namespaces

## Essential Tools for MVC

- Creating the Model Classes
- Adding the Controller
- Adding the View
- Using Ninject
- Understanding the Problem
- Adding Ninject to the Visual Studio Project
- Getting Started with Ninject
- Setting up MVC Dependency Injection
- Creating Chains of Dependency
- Specifying Property and Constructor Parameter Values
- Using Conditional Binding
- Setting the Object Scope
- Unit Testing with Visual Studio
- Creating the Unit Test Project
- Creating the Unit Tests
- Running the Unit Tests (and Failing)
- Implementing the Feature
- Testing and Fixing the Code
- Using Moq
- Understanding the Problem
- Adding Moq to the Visual Studio Project
- Adding a Mock Object to a Unit Test
- Creating a More Complex Mock Object

## **Day2:**

### A Real Application

- Creating the Visual Studio Solution and Projects
- Installing the Tool Packages
- Adding References Between Projects
- Setting Up the DI Container
- Starting the Domain Model
- Creating an Abstract Repository
- Making a Mock Repository
- Displaying a List of Products
- Adding a Controller
- Adding the Layout, View Start File and View
- Setting the Default Route
- Preparing a Database
- Creating the Database
- Defining the Database Schema
- Adding Data to the Database
- Creating the Entity Framework Context
- Creating the Product Repository
- Adding Pagination
- Displaying Page Links
- Improving the URLs
- Styling the Content
- Installing the Bootstrap Package
- Applying Bootstrap Styles to the Layout
- Creating a Partial View

## Navigation

- Adding Navigation Controls
- Filtering the Product List
- Refining the URL Scheme
- Building a Category Navigation Menu
- Correcting the Page Count
- Building the Shopping Cart
- Defining the Cart Entity
- Adding the Add to Cart Buttons
- Implementing the Cart Controller
- Displaying the Contents of the Cart

## The Shopping Cart

- Using Model Binding
- Creating a Custom Model Binder
- Completing the Cart
- Removing Items from the Cart
- Adding the Cart Summary
- Submitting Orders
- Extending the Domain Model
- Adding the Checkout Process
- Implementing the Order Processor
- Registering the Implementation
- Completing the Cart Controller
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# ASP.NET MVC 5

## Prerequisites / Further Training

- [Introduction to Programming](#)
- [Beginner C#.NET](#) (C# Fundamentals and Object – Orientation)
- [Advanced C#.NET](#) (Building practical Apps)
- [SQL Querying](#) (Database design and querying)
- *ASP.NET MVC5 (Web App Development)*
- ASP.NET Web API (More Web App Development)
- Entity Framework

Also have a look at our [.NET Bootcamp](#) and save

## Intended Audience

This course is useful for C# or ASP.NET Forms programmer who wants to learn the MVC (Model View Controller) methodology.

This course covers all the topics of the Microsoft Exam for ASP.NET MVC 5. After completing this course you should be able to prepare for the Microsoft exam and understand all the concepts to pass quickly, just by doing a few mock exams.

## Further Training

You may consider doing the certification exam courses:

MCPD – Web Apps

## Course Material

Included in the course price.

## Course Contents

## Day1:

### A First MVC Application

- Adding the First Controller
- Understanding Routes
- Rendering Web Pages
- Creating and Rendering a View
- Adding Dynamic Output
- Creating a Simple Data-Entry Application
- Setting the Scene
- Designing a Data Model
- Linking Action Methods
- Building the Form
- Setting the Start URL
- Handling Forms
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- Styling the Content

### The MVC Pattern

- The History of MVC
- Understanding the MVC Pattern
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- The ASP.NET Implementation of MVC
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- Building Loosely Coupled Components
- Using Dependency Injection
- Using a Dependency Injection Container
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- Understanding Unit Testing
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### Essential Language Features

- Using Automatically Implemented Properties
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- Using Extension Methods
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- Using Lambda Expressions
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- Using Anonymous Types
- Performing Language Integrated Queries
- Understanding Deferred LINQ Queries
- Using Async Methods
- Applying the async and await Keywords

## Working with Razor

- Preparing the Example Project
- Defining the Model
- Defining the Controller
- Creating the View
- Working with the Model Object
- Working with Layouts
- Creating the Layout
- Applying a Layout
- Using a View Start File
- Shared Layouts
- Using Razor Expressions
- Inserting Data Values
- Setting Attribute Values
- Using Conditional Statements
- Enumerating Arrays and Collections
- Dealing with Namespaces

## Essential Tools for MVC

- Creating the Model Classes
- Adding the Controller
- Adding the View
- Using Ninject
- Understanding the Problem
- Adding Ninject to the Visual Studio Project
- Getting Started with Ninject
- Setting up MVC Dependency Injection

- Creating Chains of Dependency
- Specifying Property and Constructor Parameter Values
- Using Conditional Binding
- Setting the Object Scope
- Unit Testing with Visual Studio
- Creating the Unit Test Project
- Creating the Unit Tests
- Running the Unit Tests (and Failing)
- Implementing the Feature
- Testing and Fixing the Code
- Using Moq
- Understanding the Problem
- Adding Moq to the Visual Studio Project
- Adding a Mock Object to a Unit Test
- Creating a More Complex Mock Object

## **Day2:**

### A Real Application

- Creating the Visual Studio Solution and Projects
- Installing the Tool Packages
- Adding References Between Projects
- Setting Up the DI Container
- Starting the Domain Model
- Creating an Abstract Repository
- Making a Mock Repository
- Displaying a List of Products
- Adding a Controller
- Adding the Layout, View Start File and View
- Setting the Default Route
- Preparing a Database
- Creating the Database
- Defining the Database Schema
- Adding Data to the Database
- Creating the Entity Framework Context
- Creating the Product Repository
- Adding Pagination

- Displaying Page Links
- Improving the URLs
- Styling the Content
- Installing the Bootstrap Package
- Applying Bootstrap Styles to the Layout
- Creating a Partial View

## Navigation

- Adding Navigation Controls
- Filtering the Product List
- Refining the URL Scheme
- Building a Category Navigation Menu
- Correcting the Page Count
- Building the Shopping Cart
- Defining the Cart Entity
- Adding the Add to Cart Buttons
- Implementing the Cart Controller
- Displaying the Contents of the Cart

## The Shopping Cart

- Using Model Binding
- Creating a Custom Model Binder
- Completing the Cart
- Removing Items from the Cart
- Adding the Cart Summary
- Submitting Orders
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## Intended audience

- Assistants whose bosses tell them to design the newsletters
- Church volunteers who are providing information to their congregations
- Small business owners who are creating their own advertising
- Students who understand that a better-looking paper often means a better grade
- Professionals who realize that an attractive presentation garners greater respect
- Teachers who have learned that students respond more positively to information that is well laid out
- Statisticians who see that numbers and stats can be arranged in a way that invites reading ...

## Prerequisites

Computer literate and internet literate – you should be able to create documents, read and write in English.

## After this course you should

- Feel empowered to identify what is wrong in graphic

designed pages

- Produce designs that look more professional, organised, unified and interesting

## **Course Contents**

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# **DAY 1**

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- The Joshua tree epiphany
- The four basic principles

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- Summary of proximity
- The basic purpose
- How to get it
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- Proximity
- Alignment
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- Quiz #1: Design principles
- Quiz #2: Redesign this ad

# **DAY 3**

## **Design with Color**

- The amazing color wheel
- Color relationships
- Complementary
- Triads
- Split complement triads
- Analogous colors
- Shades and tints
- Make your own shades and tints
- Monochromatic colors
- Shades and tints in combination
- Watch the tones
- Warm colors vs. cool colors
- How to begin to choose?
- CMYK vs. RGB: print vs. web
- Print vs. web color models
- Quiz #3: Color

## **Extra Tips & Tricks**

- Creating a package or brand

- Business cards
- Tips on designing business cards
- Format
- Type size
- Create a consistent image on all pieces
- Letterhead and envelopes
- Tips on letterhead and envelope design
- Envelope size
- Create a focal point
- Alignment
- Second page
- Faxing and copying
- Flyers
- Tips on designing flyers
- Create a focal point
- Use subheads that contrast
- Repetition
- Alignment
- Newsletters
- Tips on designing newsletters
- Alignment
- Paragraph indents
- Not Helvetica/Arial!
- Readable body copy
- Brochures
- Tips on designing brochures
- Contrast
- Repetition
- Alignment
- Proximity
- Postcards
- Tips on designing postcards
- What's your point?
- Grab their attention
- Contrast
- In general
- Advertising

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- Contrast
- Type choices
- Reverse type
- Résumés
- Tips on designing résumés
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- Repetition
- Alignment
- Match the design to the medium
- Designing with Type

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### **The Essentials of Typography**

- One space after punctuation
- Quotation marks
- Apostrophes
- Quiz #4: Apostrophes
- Dashes
- Special characters
- Accent marks
- Capitals
- Underlining
- Kerning
- Widows and orphans
- Miscellaneous

### **Type (& Life)**

- Concord
- Conflict
- Contrast
- Summary

### **Categories of Type**

- Oldstyle
- Modern
- Slab serif
- Sans serif
- Script
- Decorative
- Be conscious
- Quiz #5: Categories of type
- Quiz #6: Thick/thin transitions
- Quiz #7: Serifs

## DAY 5

### Type Contrasts

- Size
- Weight
- Structure
- Form
- Direction
- Color
- Combine the contrasts
- Summary
- Quiz #8: Contrast or conflict
- Quiz #9: Dos and don'ts
- An exercise in combining contrasts
- A Few Extras

### Does it Make Sense?

- The process
- An exercise

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# **C Programming**

This C Programming Course covers the C Programming language comprehensively. C is popular with amateur and commercial programmers alike. Learn to use this powerful and popular language, and get an idea of the kinds of environments in which you will most likely find yourself in when in a C coding job.

## **Prerequisites**

You should not be a complete beginner for this course. If you cannot [pass this test](#), you must do [Intro To Programming](#) first.

## **Course Material**

Provided

## **Course Contents**

# **DAY 1:**

## **Overview and background of the C programming language**

- Design Features
- Advantages
- Shortcomings
- What Computers Do
- High-level Computer Languages and Compilers
- Language Standards
- The First ANSI/ISO C Standard
- The C99 Standard
- The C11 Standard
- Commentary
- Programming Mechanics
- Object Code Files, Executable Files, and Libraries
- Unix System
- The GNU Compiler Collection and the LLVM Project
- Linux Systems
- Command-Line Compilers for the PC
- Integrated Development Environments (Windows)
- The Windows/Linux Option
- C on the Macintosh

## **Introducing C**

- A Simple Example of C
- The Example Explained
- Pass 1: Quick Synopsis
- Pass 2: Program Details
- The Structure of a Simple Program
- Tips on Making Your Programs Readable
- Taking Another Step in Using C
- Documentation

- Multiple Declarations
- Multiplication
- Printing Multiple Values
- While You're at It—Multiple Functions
- Introducing Debugging
- Syntax Errors
- Semantic Errors
- Program State
- Keywords and Reserved Identifiers

## **Data**

- A Sample Program
- What's New in This Program?
- Data Variables and Constants
- Data: Data-Type Keywords
- Integer Versus Floating-Point Types
- The Integer
- The Floating-Point Number
- Basic C Data Types
- The int Type
- Other Integer Types
- Using Characters: Type char
- The \_Bool Type
- Portable Types:stdint.h and inttypes.h
- Types float, double, and long double
- Complex and Imaginary Types
- Beyond the Basic Types
- Type Sizes
- Using Data Types
- Arguments and Pitfalls
- One More Example: Escape Sequences
- What Happens When the Program Runs
- Output

## **Character Strings and Formatted Input/Output**

- Program

- Character Strings: An Introduction
- Type char Arrays and the Null Character
- Using Strings
- The strlen() Function
- Constants and the C Preprocessor
- The const Modifier
- Manifest Constants on the Job
- Exploring and Exploiting printf() and scanf()
- The printf() Function
- Using printf()
- Conversion Specification Modifiers for printf()
- What Does a Conversion Specification Convert?
- Using scanf()
- The \* Modifier with printf() and scanf()
- Usage Tips for printf()

## DAY 2

### Operators, Expressions, and Statements

- Introducing Loops
- Fundamental Operators
- Assignment Operator: =
- Addition Operator: +
- Subtraction Operator: -
- Sign Operators: - and +
- Multiplication Operator: \*
- Division Operator: /
- Operator Precedence
- Precedence and the Order of Evaluation
- Some Additional Operators
- The sizeof Operator and the size\_t Type
- Modulus Operator: %
- Increment and Decrement Operators: ++ and --
- Decrementing: --
- Precedence
- Expressions and Statements



- Compound Statements (Blocks)
- Type Conversions
- The Cast Operator
- Function with Arguments
- A Sample Program

## **C Control Statements: Looping**

- Revisiting the while Loop
- Program Comments
- C-Style Reading Loop
- The while Statement
- Terminating a while Loop
- When a Loop Terminates
- while: An Entry-Condition Loop
- Syntax Points
- Which Is Bigger: Using Relational Operators and Expression
- What Is Truth?
- What Else Is True?
- Troubles with Truth
- The New `_Bool` Type
- Precedence of Relational Operators
- Indefinite Loops and Counting Loops
- The for Loop
- Using for for Flexibility
- More Assignment Operators: `+=`, `-=`, `*=`, `/=`, `%=`
- The Comma Operator
- Zeno Meets the for Loop
- An Exit-Condition Loop: `do while`
- Which Loop?
- Nested Loops
- Program Discussion
- A Nested Variation
- Introducing Arrays
- Using a for Loop with an Array
- A Loop Example Using a Function Return Value

- Program Discussion
- Using Functions with Return Values

## **C Control Statements: Branching and Jumps**

- The if Statement
- Adding else to the if Statement
- Another Example: Introducing getchar() and putchar()
- The ctype.h Family of Character Functions
- Multiple Choice else if
- Pairing else with if
- More Nested ifs
- Let's Get Logical
- Alternate Spellings: The iso646.h Header File
- Precedence
- Order of Evaluation
- Ranges
- A Word-Count Program
- The Conditional Operator: ?:
- Loop Aids: continue and break
- The continue Statement
- The break Statement
- Multiple Choice: switch and break
- Using the switch Statement
- Reading Only the First Character of a Line
- Multiple Labels
- switch and if else
- The goto Statement
- Avoiding goto

## **Character Input/Output and Input Validation**

- Single-Character I/O: getchar() and putchar()
- Buffers
- Terminating Keyboard Input
- Files, Streams, and Keyboard Input
- The End of File
- Redirection and Files

- Unix, Linux, and Windows Command Prompt Redirection
- Creating a Friendlier User Interface
- Working with Buffered Input
- Mixing Numeric and Character Input
- Input Validation
- Analyzing the Program
- The Input Stream and Numbers
- Menu Browsing
- Tasks
- Toward a Smoother Execution
- Mixing Character and Numeric Input

## **DAY 3**

### **Functions**

- Reviewing Functions
- Creating and Using a Simple Function
- Analyzing the Program
- Function Arguments
- Defining a Function with an Argument: Formal Parameters
- Prototyping a Function with Arguments
- Calling a Function with an Argument: Actual Arguments
- The Black-Box Viewpoint
- Returning a Value from a Function with return
- Function Types
- ANSI C Function Prototyping
- The Problem
- The ANSI C Solution
- No Arguments and Unspecified Arguments
- Hooray for Prototypes
- Recursion
- Recursion Revealed
- Recursion Fundamentals
- Tail Recursion
- Recursion and Reversal
- Recursion Pros and Cons

- Compiling Programs with Two or More Source Code Files
- Unix
- Linux
- DOS Command-Line Compilers
- Windows and Apple IDE Compilers
- Using Header Files
- Finding Addresses: The & Operator
- Altering Variables in the Calling Function
- Pointers: A First Look
- The Indirection Operator: \*
- Declaring Pointers
- Using Pointers to Communicate Between Functions

## **Arrays and Pointers**

- Arrays
- Initialization
- Designated Initializers (C99)
- Assigning Array Values
- Array Bounds
- Specifying an Array Size
- Multidimensional Arrays
- Initializing a Two-Dimensional Array
- More Dimensions
- Pointers and Arrays
- Functions, Arrays, and Pointers
- Using Pointer Parameters
- Comment: Pointers and Arrays
- Pointer Operations
- Protecting Array Contents
- Using const with Formal Parameters
- More About const
- Pointers and Multidimensional Arrays
- Pointers to Multidimensional Arrays
- Pointer Compatibility
- Functions and Multidimensional Arrays
- Variable-Length Arrays (VLAs)

- Compound Literals

## **Character Strings and String Functions**

- Representing Strings and String I/O
- Defining Strings Within a Program
- Pointers and Strings
- String Input
- Creating Space
- The Unfortunate gets() Function
- The Alternatives to gets()
- The scanf() Function
- String Output
- The puts() Function
- The fputs() Function
- The printf() Function
- The Do-It-Yourself Option
- String Functions
- The strlen() Function
- The strcat() Function
- The strncat() Function
- The strcmp() Function
- The strcpy() and strncpy() Functions
- The sprintf() Function
- Other String Functions
- A String Example: Sorting Strings
- Sorting Pointers Instead of Strings
- The Selection Sort Algorithm
- The ctype.h Character Functions and Strings
- Command-Line Arguments
- Command-Line Arguments in Integrated Environments
- Command-Line Arguments with the Macintosh
- String-to-Number Conversions

## **DAY 4**

### **Storage Classes, Linkage, and Memory Management**

- Storage Classes
- Scope
- Linkage
- Storage Duration
- Automatic Variables
- Register Variables
- Static Variables with Block Scope
- Static Variables with External Linkage
- Static Variables with Internal Linkage
- Multiple Files
- Storage-Class Specifier Roundup
- Storage Classes and Functions
- Which Storage Class?
- A Random-Number Function and a Static Variable
- Roll 'Em
- Allocated Memory: malloc() and free()
- The Importance of free()
- The calloc() Function
- Dynamic Memory Allocation and Variable-Length Arrays
- Storage Classes and Dynamic Memory Allocation
- ANSI C Type Qualifiers
- The const Type Qualifier
- The volatile Type Qualifier
- The restrict Type Qualifier
- The \_Atomic Type Qualifier (C11)
- New Places for Old Keywords

## **File Input/Output**

- Communicating with Files
- What Is a File?
- The Text Mode and the Binary Mode
- Levels of I/O
- Standard Files
- Standard I/O
- Checking for Command-Line Arguments
- The fopen() Function

- The `getc()` and `putc()` Functions
- End-of-File
- The `fclose()` Function
- Pointers to the Standard Files
- A Simple-Minded File-Condensing Program
- File I/O: `fprintf()`, `fscanf()`, `fgets()`, and `fputs()`
- The `fprintf()` and `fscanf()` Functions
- The `fgets()` and `fputs()` Functions
- Adventures in Random Access: `fseek()` and `ftell()`
- How `fseek()` and `ftell()` Work
- Binary Versus Text Mode
- Portability
- The `fgetpos()` and `fsetpos()` Functions
- Behind the Scenes with Standard I/O
- Other Standard I/O Functions
- The `int ungetc(int c, FILE *fp)` Function
- The `int fflush()` Function
- The `int setvbuf()` Function
- Binary I/O: `fread()` and `fwrite()`
- The `size_t fwrite()` Function
- The `size_t fread()` Function
- The `int feof(FILE *fp)` and `int ferror(FILE *fp)` Functions
- An `fread()` and `fwrite()` Example
- Random Access with Binary I/O

## **Structures and Other Data Forms**

- Sample Problem: Creating an Inventory of Books
- Setting Up the Structure Declaration
- Defining a Structure Variable
- Initializing a Structure
- Gaining Access to Structure Members
- Initializers for Structures
- Arrays of Structures
- Declaring an Array of Structures
- Identifying Members of an Array of Structures

- Program Discussion
- Nested Structures
- Pointers to Structures
- Declaring and Initializing a Structure Pointer
- Member Access by Pointer
- Telling Functions About Structures
- Passing Structure Members
- Using the Structure Address
- Passing a Structure as an Argument
- More on Structure Features
- Structures or Pointer to Structures?
- Character Arrays or Character Pointers in a Structure
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- Structure, Pointers, and malloc()
- Compound Literals and Structures (C99)
- Flexible Array Members (C99)
- Anonymous Structures (C11)
- Functions Using an Array of Structures
- Saving the Structure Contents in a File
- A Structure-Saving Example
- Program Points
- Structures: What Next?
- Unions: A Quick Look
- Using Unions
- Anonymous Unions (C11)
- Enumerated Types
- enum Constants
- Default Values
- Assigned Values
- enum Usage
- Shared Namespaces
- typedef: A Quick Look
- Fancy Declarations
- Functions and Pointers



# DAY 5

## Bit Fiddling

- Binary Numbers, Bits, and Bytes
- Binary Integers
- Signed Integers
- Binary Floating Point
- Other Number Bases
- Octal
- Hexadecimal
- C's Bitwise Operators
- Bitwise Logical Operators
- Usage: Masks
- Usage: Turning Bits On (Setting Bits)
- Usage: Turning Bits Off (Clearing Bits)
- Usage: Toggling Bits
- Usage: Checking the Value of a Bit
- Bitwise Shift Operators
- Programming Example
- Another Example
- Bit Fields
- Bit-Field Example
- Bit Fields and Bitwise Operators
- Alignment Features (C11)

## The C Preprocessor and the C Library

- First Steps in Translating a Program
- Manifest Constants: `#define`
- Tokens
- Redefining Constants
- Using Arguments with `#define`
- Creating Strings from Macro Arguments: The `#` Operator
- Preprocessor Glue: The `##` Operator
- Variadic Macros: `...` and `__VA_ARGS__`
- Macro or Function?
- File Inclusion: `#include`

- Header Files: An Example
- Uses for Header Files
- Other Directives
- The #undef Directive
- Being Defined—The C Preprocessor Perspective
- Conditional Compilation
- Predefined Macros
- #line and #error
- #pragma
- Generic Selection (C11)
- Inline Functions (C99)
- \_Noreturn Functions (C11)
- The C Library
- Gaining Access to the C Library
- Using the Library Descriptions
- The Math Library
- A Little Trigonometry
- Type Variants
- The tgmath.h Library (C99)
- The General Utilities Library
- The exit() and atexit() Functions
- The qsort() Function
- The Assert Library
- Using assert
- \_Static\_assert (C11)
- memcpy() and memmove() from the string.h Library
- Variable Arguments: stdarg.h

## **Advanced Data Representation**

- Exploring Data Representation
- Beyond the Array to the Linked List
- Using a Linked List
- Afterthoughts
- Abstract Data Types (ADTs)
- Getting Abstract
- Building an Interface

- Using the Interface
- Implementing the Interface
- Getting Queued with an ADT
- Defining the Queue Abstract Data Type
- Defining an Interface
- Implementing the Interface Data Representation
- Testing the Queue
- Simulating with a Queue
- The Linked List Versus the Array
- Binary Search Trees
- A Binary Tree ADT
- The Binary Search Tree Interface
- The Binary Tree Implementation
- Trying the Tree
- Tree Thoughts

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# C# / Unity

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## C# 6 and .NET Core 1.0

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#### Prerequisites / Further Training

- [Introduction to Programming](#)
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- ASP.NET Web API (More Web App Development)
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[Design Patterns](#)

[ASP.NET Forms](#)

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### **Course info**

## **DAY 1:**

### **.NET CORE AND WINDOWS RUNTIME**

- .NET Compiler Platform
- Testing
- Diagnostics and Application Insights
- Tasks and Parallel Programming
- Task Synchronization

## **DAY 2:**

- Files and Streams
- Continues
- Security
- Networking
- Composition
- XML and JSON
- Localization

## **DAY 3 : WINDOWS APPS**

- Core XAML
- Styling XAML Apps
- Patterns with XAML Apps
- Windows Apps: User Interfaces
- Advanced Windows Apps
- Windows Desktop Applications with WPF
- Creating Documents with WPF
- Deploying Windows Apps

## **DAY 4:**

- WEP APPS AND SERVICES
- ADO.NET
- Entity Framework Core
- Windows Services
- ASP.NET Core

## DAY 5:

- ASP.NET MVC
- ASP.NET Web API
- WebHooks and SignalR
- Windows Communication Foundation
- Deploying Websites and Services

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# C#.NET Advanced

## C#.NET 6 on .NET 4.6

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## Overview of C#.NET Beginner

- An Initial Look at the .NET Platform
- Introducing the Building Blocks of the .NET Platform (the CLR, CTS, and CLS)
- Additional .NET-Aware Programming Languages
- An Overview of .NET Assemblies

- Understanding the Common Type System
- Understanding the Common Language Specification
- Understanding the Common Language Runtime
- The Assembly/Namespace/Type Distinction
- Exploring an Assembly Using ildasm.exe
- The Platform-Independent Nature of .NET
  
- Building C# Applications on the Windows OS
- Building .NET Applications Beyond the Windows OS
  
- The Anatomy of a Simple C# Program
- An Interesting Aside: Some Additional Members of the System.Environment Class
- The System.Console Class
- System Data Types and Corresponding C# Keywords
- Working with String Data
- Narrowing and Widening Data Type Conversions
- Understanding Implicitly Typed Local Variables
- C# Iteration Constructs
- Decision Constructs and the Relational/Equality Operators
  
- Methods and Parameter Modifiers
- Understanding C# Arrays
- Understanding the enum Type
- Understanding the Structure (aka Value Type)
- Understanding Value Types and Reference Types
- Understanding C# Nullable Types

## **Encapsulation**

- Introducing the C# Class Type
- Understanding Constructors
- The Role of the this Keyword
- Understanding the static Keyword
- Defining the Pillars of OOP
- C# Access Modifiers
- The First Pillar: C#'s Encapsulation Services

- Understanding Automatic Properties
- Understanding Object Initialization Syntax
- Working with Constant Field Data
- Understanding Partial Classes

## **Inheritance / Polymorphism**

- The Basic Mechanics of Inheritance
- Revising Visual Studio Class Diagrams
- The Second Pillar of OOP: The Details of Inheritance
- Programming for Containment/Delegation
- The Third Pillar of OOP: C#'s Polymorphic Support
- Understanding Base Class/Derived Class Casting Rules
- The Master Parent Class: System.Object

## **Exceptions**

- Ode to Errors, Bugs, and Exceptions
- The Role of .NET Exception Handling
- The Simplest Possible Example
- Configuring the State of an Exception
- System-Level Exceptions (System.SystemException)
- Application-Level Exceptions (System.ApplicationException)
- Processing Multiple Exceptions
- Debugging Unhandled Exceptions Using Visual Studio

## **Interfaces**

- Understanding Interface Types
- Defining Custom Interfaces
- Implementing an Interface
- Invoking Interface Members at the Object Level
- Interfaces As Parameters
- Interfaces As Return Values
- Arrays of Interface Types
- Implementing Interfaces Using Visual Studio
- Explicit Interface Implementation
- Designing Interface Hierarchies

- The IEnumerable and IEnumerator Interfaces
- The ICloneable Interface
- The IComparable Interface

## **Day 2**

The core C# Advanced Course starts here

### **Collections and Generic**

- The Motivation for Collection Classes
- The Problems of Nongeneric Collections
- The Role of Generic Type Parameters
- The System.Collections.Generic Namespace
- The System.Collections.ObjectModel Namespace
- Creating Custom Generic Methods
- Creating Custom Generic Structures and Classes
- Constraining Type Parameters

### **Delegates / events / lambdas**

- Understanding the .NET Delegate Type
- The Simplest Possible Delegate Example

### **Sending Object State Notifications Using Delegates**

- Understanding Generic Delegates
- Understanding C# Events
- Understanding C# Anonymous Methods
- Understanding Lambda Expressions

### **Advanced language features**

- Understanding Indexer Methods
- Understanding Operator Overloading
- Understanding Custom Type Conversions
- Understanding Extension Methods
- Understanding Anonymous Types
- Working with Pointer Types

### **LINQ to Objects**

- LINQ-Specific Programming Constructs
- Understanding the Role of LINQ
- Applying LINQ Queries to Primitive Arrays
- Returning the Result of a LINQ Query
- Applying LINQ Queries to Collection Objects
- Investigating the C# LINQ Query Operators
- The Internal Representation of LINQ Query Statements

## **Day 3**

### **Object Lifetime**

- Classes, Objects, and References
- The Basics of Object Lifetime
- The Role of Application Roots
- Understanding Object Generations
- Concurrent Garbage Collection Prior to .NET 4.0
- Background Garbage Collection Under .NET 4.0 and Beyond
- The System.GC Type
- Building Finalizable Objects
- Building Disposable Objects
- Building Finalizable and Disposable Types
- Understanding Lazy Object Instantiation

### **Assembly configuration**

- Defining Custom Namespaces
- The Role of .NET Assemblies
- Understanding the Format of a .NET Assembly
- Building and Consuming Custom Class Library
- Understanding Private Assemblies
- Understanding Shared Assemblies
- Consuming a Shared Assembly
- Configuring Shared Assemblies
- Understanding Publisher Policy Assemblies
- Understanding the <codeBase> Element
- The System.Configuration Namespace
- The Configuration File Schema Documentation

## **Reflection and attributes**

- The Necessity of Type Metadata
- Understanding Reflection
- Building a Custom Metadata Viewer
- Dynamically Loading Assemblies
- Reflecting on Shared Assemblies
- Understanding Late Binding
- Understanding the Role of .NET Attributes
- Building Custom Attributes
- Assembly-Level Attributes
- Reflecting on Attributes Using Early Binding
- Reflecting on Attributes Using Late Binding
- Putting Reflection, Late Binding, and Custom Attributes in Perspective
- Building an Extendable Application

## **Dynamic types / DLR**

- The Role of the C# dynamic Keyword
- The Role of the Dynamic Language Runtime
- Simplifying Late-Bound Calls Using Dynamic Types
- Simplifying COM Interoperability Using Dynamic Data
- COM Interop Using C# Dynamic Data

## **Processes, appdomains**

- The Role of a Windows Process
- Interacting with Processes Under the .NET Platform
- Understanding .NET Application Domains
- Interacting with the Default Application Domain
- Creating New Application Domains
- Understanding Object Context Boundaries
- Summarizing Processes, AppDomains, and Context

## **CIL**

- Motivations for Learning the Grammar of CIL

- Examining CIL Directives, Attributes, and Opcodes
- Pushing and Popping: The Stack-Based Nature of CIL
- Understanding Round-Trip Engineering
- Understanding CIL Directives and Attributes
- .NET Base Class Library, C#, and CIL Data Type Mappings
- Defining Type Members in CIL
- Examining CIL Opcodes
- Building a .NET Assembly with CIL
- Understanding Dynamic Assemblies

## **Day 4**

### **Threading**

- The Process/AppDomain/Context/Thread Relationship
- A Brief Review of the .NET Delegate
- The Asynchronous Nature of Delegates
- Invoking a Method Asynchronously
- The System.Threading Namespace
- The System.Threading.Thread Class
- Manually Creating Secondary Threads
- The Issue of Concurrency
- Programming with Timer Callbacks
- Understanding the CLR ThreadPool
- Parallel Programming Using the Task Parallel LibraryParallel LINQ Queries (PLINQ)
- Asynchronous Calls with the async Keyword

### **File IO / Object Serialization**

- Exploring the System.IO Namespace
- The Directory(Info) and File(Info) Types
- Working with the DirectoryInfo Type
- Working with the Directory Type
- Working with the DriveInfo Class Type
- Working with the FileInfo Class
- Working with the File Type
- The Abstract Stream Class



- Working with StreamWriters and StreamReaders
- Working with StringWriters and StringReaders
- Working with BinaryWriters and BinaryReaders
- Watching Files Programmatically
- Understanding Object Serialization
- Configuring Objects for Serialization
- Choosing a Serialization Formatter
- Serializing Objects Using the BinaryFormatter
- Serializing Objects Using the SoapFormatter
- Serializing Objects Using the XmlSerializer
- Serializing Collections of Objects
- Customizing the Soap/Binary Serialization Process

## **ADO.NET Part 1**

- A High-Level Definition of ADO.NET
- Understanding ADO.NET Data Providers
- Additional ADO.NET Namespaces
- The Types of the System.Data Namespace
- Abstracting Data Providers Using Interfaces
- Creating the AutoLot Database
- The ADO.NET Data Provider Factory Model
- Understanding the Connected Layer of ADO.NET
- Working with Data Readers
- Building a Reusable Data Access Library
- Creating a Console UI-Based Front End
- Understanding Database Transactions

## **ADO.NET Part 2**

- Understanding the Disconnected Layer of ADO.NET
- Understanding the Role of the DataSet
- Working with DataColumnns
- Working with DataRowns
- Working with DataTablens
- Binding DataTable Objects to Windows Forms GUIs
- Working with Data Adapters
- Adding Disconnected Functionality to AutoLotDAL.dll

- Multitabled DataSet Objects and Data Relationships
- The Windows Forms Database Designer Tools
- Isolating Strongly Typed Database Code into a Class Library
- Programming with LINQ to DataSet

## **Entity Framework**

- Understanding the Role of the Entity Framework
- Code First from an Existing Database
- Using the Model Classes in CodeHandling Database Changes
- AutoLotDAL Version 4
- Test-Driving AutoLotDAL
- Entity Framework Migrations
- Revisiting the Transaction Test
- Concurrency
- Interception
- ObjectMaterialized and SavingChanges Events
- Deploying to SQL Server

## **LINQ to XML**

- A Tale of Two XML APIs
- Members of the System.Xml.Linq Namespace
- Working with XElement and XDocument
- Manipulating an In-Memory XML Document

## **Day 5**

### **Introducing Windows Communication Foundation**

- A Potpourri of Distributed Computing APIs
- The Role of WCF
- Investigating the Core WCF Assemblies
- The Visual Studio WCF Project Templates
- The Basic Composition of a WCF Application
- The ABCs of WCF
- Building a WCF Service
- Hosting the WCF Service

- Building the WCF Client Application
- Simplifying Configuration Settings
- Using the WCF Service Library Project Template
- Hosting the WCF Service Within a Windows Service
- Invoking a Service Asynchronously from the Client
- Designing WCF Data Contracts

## **Windows Presentation Foundation**

- The Motivation Behind WPF
- The Various Flavors of WPF
- Investigating the WPF Assemblies
- Building a WPF Application Without XAML
- Building a WPF Application Using Only XAML
- Transforming Markup into a .NET Assembly
- Understanding the Syntax of WPF XAML
- Building a WPF Application Using Code-Behind Files
- Building WPF Applications Using Visual Studio
- Building a Custom XAML Editor with Visual Studio

## **Programming with WPF Controls**

- A Survey of the Core WPF Controls
- A Brief Review of the Visual Studio WPF Designer
- Controlling Content Layout Using Panels
- Building a Window's Frame Using Nested Panels
- Understanding WPF Commands
- Understanding Routed Events
- A Deeper Look at WPF APIs and Controls
- Building the Ink API Tab
- Introducing the Documents API
- Building the Documents Tab
- Introducing the WPF Data-Binding Model
- Understanding the Role of Dependency Properties
- Building a Custom Dependency Property

## **WPF Graphics Rendering Services**

- Understanding WPF's Graphical Rendering Services

- Rendering Graphical Data Using Shapes
- WPF Brushes and Pens
- Applying Graphical Transformations
- Working with the Visual Studio Transform Editor
- Rendering Graphical Data Using Drawings and Geometries
- Working with Vector Images
- Rendering Graphical Data Using the Visual Layer

## **WPF Resources, Animations, Styles, and Templates**

- Understanding the WPF Resource System
- Working with Object (Logical) Resources
- Understanding WPF's Animation Services
- Authoring Animations in XAML
- Understanding the Role of WPF Styles
- Logical Trees, Visual Trees, and Default Templates
- Building a Control Template with the Trigger Framework

## **Notifications, Commands, Validation, and MVVM**

- Introducing Model-View-ViewModel
- The WPF Binding Notification System
- Validation
- Using Data Annotations
- Creating Custom Commands
- Fully Implementing MVVM
- Updating AutoLotDAL for MVVM
- Full MVVM Example

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## Prerequisites / Further Training

You should not be a complete beginner for this course. If you cannot [pass this test](#), you must do [Intro to Programming with Java Script](#) or [Intro to Programming with Python](#) first.

- *Beginner C#.NET (C# Fundamentals and Object – Orientation)*
- [Advanced C#.NET](#) (Building practical Apps)
- [SQL Querying](#) (Database design and querying)
- [ASP.NET MVC](#) (Web App Development)
- ASP.NET Web API (More Web App Development)
- Entity Framework

Also have a look at our [.NET Bootcamp](#) and save

## Intended Audience

This course is for anyone at the Intro to Programming level who want to learn how to program in C# using the .NET framework

## After this course you should be able to

Create a fun arcade game and build games and other projects

## Further Training

Recommended – [C# Advanced](#)

## Alignment

Together, the Beginner and Advanced C#.NET are on the same level as Microsoft : [10266A](#).

## Course Material

Up to date course material is provided

## Course info

### Start Building With c#: Build something cool, fast!

- Why you should learn C#
- C# and the Visual Studio IDE
- Debugging

### It's all Just Code

- Anatomy of a program
- Two classes can be in the same namespace
- Variables
- C# uses familiar math symbols
- Use the debugger to see your variables change
- Loops
- if/else statements make decisions
- Build an app from the ground up

### Day 2

### Objects: Get Oriented!

- Classes
- Methods

- Objects
- An example solution
- Properties
- Instances
- Naming
- Class diagrams
- There's an easier way to initialize objects
- A few ideas for designing intuitive classes

## **Types and References**

- The variable's type determines what kind of data it can store
- Casting
- C# does some casting automatically
- When you call a method, the arguments must be compatible with the types of the parameters
- References are like labels for your object
- If there aren't any more references, your object gets garbage-collected
- Multiple references and their side effects
- Arrays can contain a bunch of reference variables, too
- Objects use references to talk to each other
- Controls are objects, just like any other object

## **Day 3**

### **Encapsulation**

- Building an Event – planning app
- Each option should be calculated individually
- It's easy to accidentally misuse your objects
- Encapsulation means keeping some of the data in a class private
- Use encapsulation to control access to your class's methods and fields
- Private fields and methods can only be accessed from inside the class



- A few ideas for encapsulating classes
- Encapsulation keeps your data pristine
- Properties make encapsulation easier
- Automatic properties
- Use a constructor to initialize private fields

## **Inheritance**

- Another event-planning type of class
- When your classes use inheritance, you only need to write your code once
- Build up your class model by starting general and getting more specific
- Let's design a zoo simulator
- Use inheritance to avoid duplicate code in subclasses
- Create the class hierarchy
- Every subclass extends its base class
- Use a colon to inherit from a base class
- We know that inheritance adds the base class fields, properties, and methods to the subclass...
- Method overriding
- Use the `override` and `virtual` keywords to inherit behavior
- A subclass can access its base class using the `base` keyword
- When a base class has a constructor, your subclass needs one, too

## **Day 4**

### **Interfaces and Abstract Classes**

- An interface tells a class that it must implement certain methods and properties
- Use the `interface` keyword to define an interface
- Upcasting works with both objects and interfaces
- Downcasting lets you turn your appliance back into a coffee maker

- Upcasting and downcasting work with interfaces, too
- There's more than just public and private
- Access modifiers change visibility
- Some classes should never be instantiated
- An abstract class is like a cross between a class and an interface
- An abstract method doesn't have a body
- Polymorphism means that one object can take many different forms

## **Enums and Collections**

- Enums let you work with a set of valid values
- Enums let you represent numbers with names
- Lists make it easy to store collections of...anything
- Lists are more flexible than arrays
- Lists shrink and grow dynamically
- Generics can store any type
- Collection initializers are similar to object initializers
- Lists are easy, but SORTING can be tricky
- IComparable helps your list sort
- Use IComparer tells your List how to sort
- IComparer can do complex comparisons
- Overriding a ToString() method lets an object describe itself
- You can upcast an entire list using IEnumerable
- You can build your own overloaded methods
- Use a dictionary to store keys and values
- A queue is FIFO—First In, First Out
- A stack is LIFO—Last In, First Out

## **Day 5**

### **Reading and Writing Files**

- Use Stream.Read() to read bytes from a stream
- StreamWriter

- StreamReader
- You can read and write serialized files manually, too
- Use a BinaryWriter to write binary data
- C# can use byte arrays to move data around
- .NET uses Unicode to store characters and text
- Serialization
- Use a switch statement to choose the right option
- Writing files usually involves making a lot of decisions
- Avoid filesystem errors with using statements
- IDisposable makes sure your objects are disposed of properly
- Use file dialogs to open and save files (all with just a few lines of code)
- Use the built-in File and Directory classes to work with files and directories
- Dialog boxes are objects, too
- Dialog boxes are just another WinForms control
- Reading and writing using two objects
- .NET streams to read and write data

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