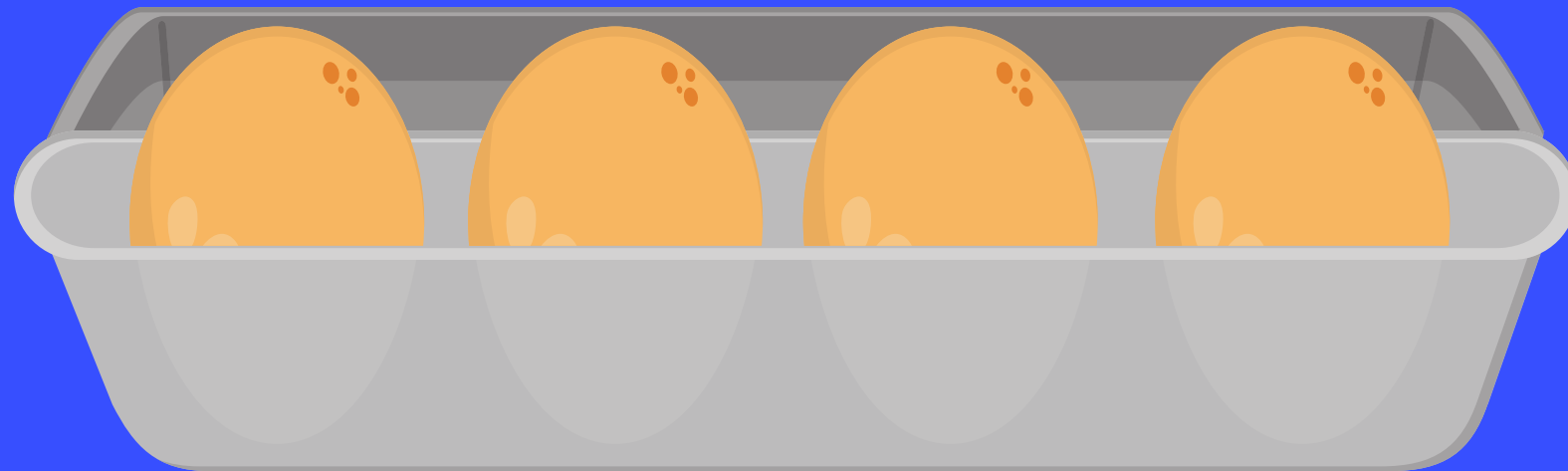




# ARRAYS & OBJECTS

Collections of Data



# GOALS

- Work with Arrays
- Write Object Literals
- Understand Reference Types
- Use common Array/Object methods

# ARRAYS

Ordered collections of values.

- List of comments on IG post
- Collection of levels in a game
- Songs in a playlist





# CREATING ARRAYS

```

// To make an empty array
let students = [];

//An array of strings
let colors = ['red', 'orange', 'yellow'];

//An array of numbers
let lottoNums = [19,22,56,12,51];

//A mixed array
let stuff = [true, 68, 'cat', null];
```

# ARRAYS ARE INDEXED

```
let colors = ['red', 'orange', 'yellow', 'green'];
```

```
colors.length //4
```

```
colors[0] // 'red'
```

```
colors[1] // 'orange'
```

```
colors[2] // 'yellow'
```

```
colors[3] // 'green'
```

```
colors[4] // 'undefined'
```

# MODIFYING ARRAYS



```
let colors = ['red', 'orange', 'green', 'yellow'];

colors[0] = 'red';

colors[2] = 'yellow';
colors[3] = 'green';

colors[4]; //undefined
colors[4] = 'blue';
//["red", "orange", "yellow", "green", "blue"]
```



# ARRAY METHODS

- Push - add to end
- Pop - remove from end
- Shift - remove from start
- Unshift - add to start

\* You might mix up shift and unshift for a while. I still do...

# MORE METHODS!

- `concat` - merge arrays
- `includes` - look for a value
- `indexOf` - just like `str.indexOf`
- `join` - creates a string from `arr`
- `reverse` - reverses an array!
- `slice` - copy portion of an `arr`
- `splice` - remove/replace elements
- `sort` - sorts an array





# CONST & ARRAYS

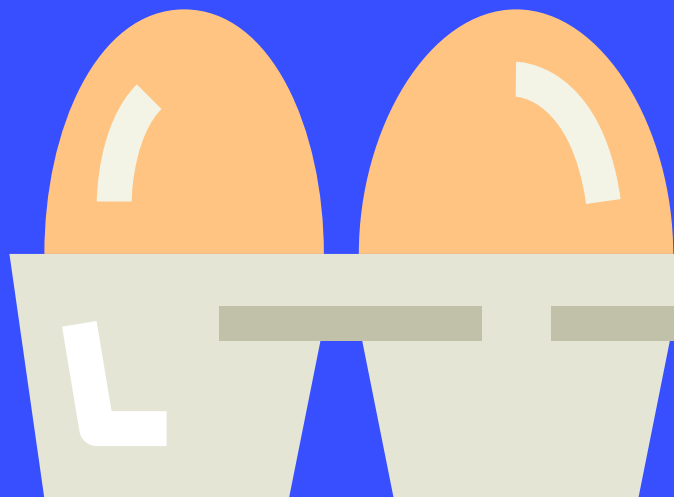
You'll often see people  
use *const* with arrays.

# VALUES CAN CHANGE

As long as the reference remains the same

```
const myEggs = ['brown', 'brown'];
```

myEggs



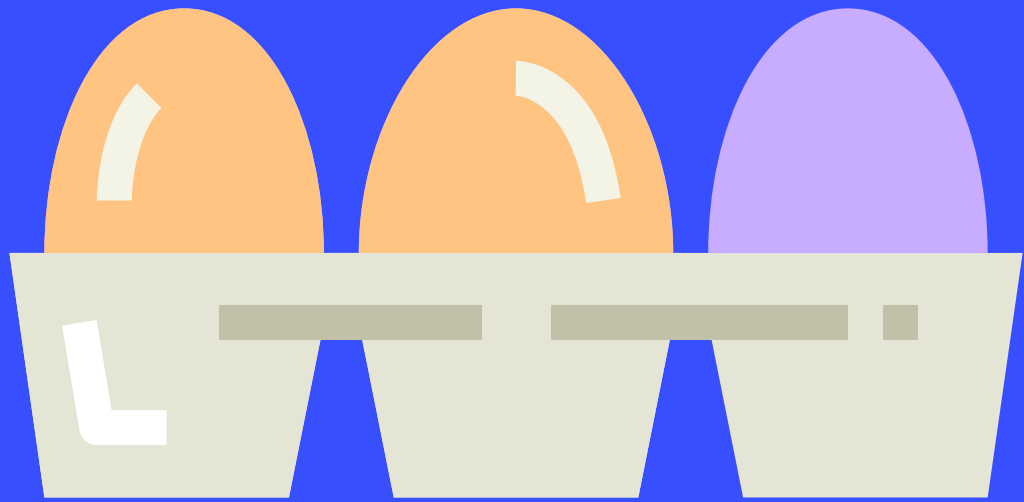


# VALUES CAN CHANGE

As long as the reference remains the same

```
const myEggs = ['brown', 'brown'];  
myEggs.push('purple');
```

myEggs



# VALUES CAN CHANGE

As long as the reference remains the same

```
const myEggs = ['brown', 'brown'];  
myEggs.push('purple');  
myEggs[0] = 'green';
```

myEggs

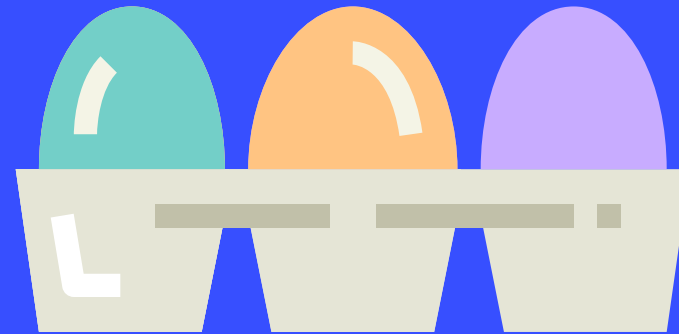
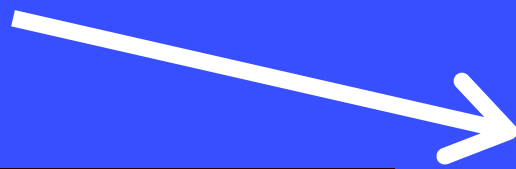


# VALUES CAN CHANGE

As long as the reference remains the same

```
const myEggs = ['brown', 'brown'];  
myEggs.push('purple');  
myEggs[0] = 'green';  
  
myEggs = ['blue', 'pink']; //NO!
```

myEggs



✖ ▶ Uncaught TypeError: Assignment to constant variable.

# NESTED ARRAYS

We can store arrays inside other arrays!

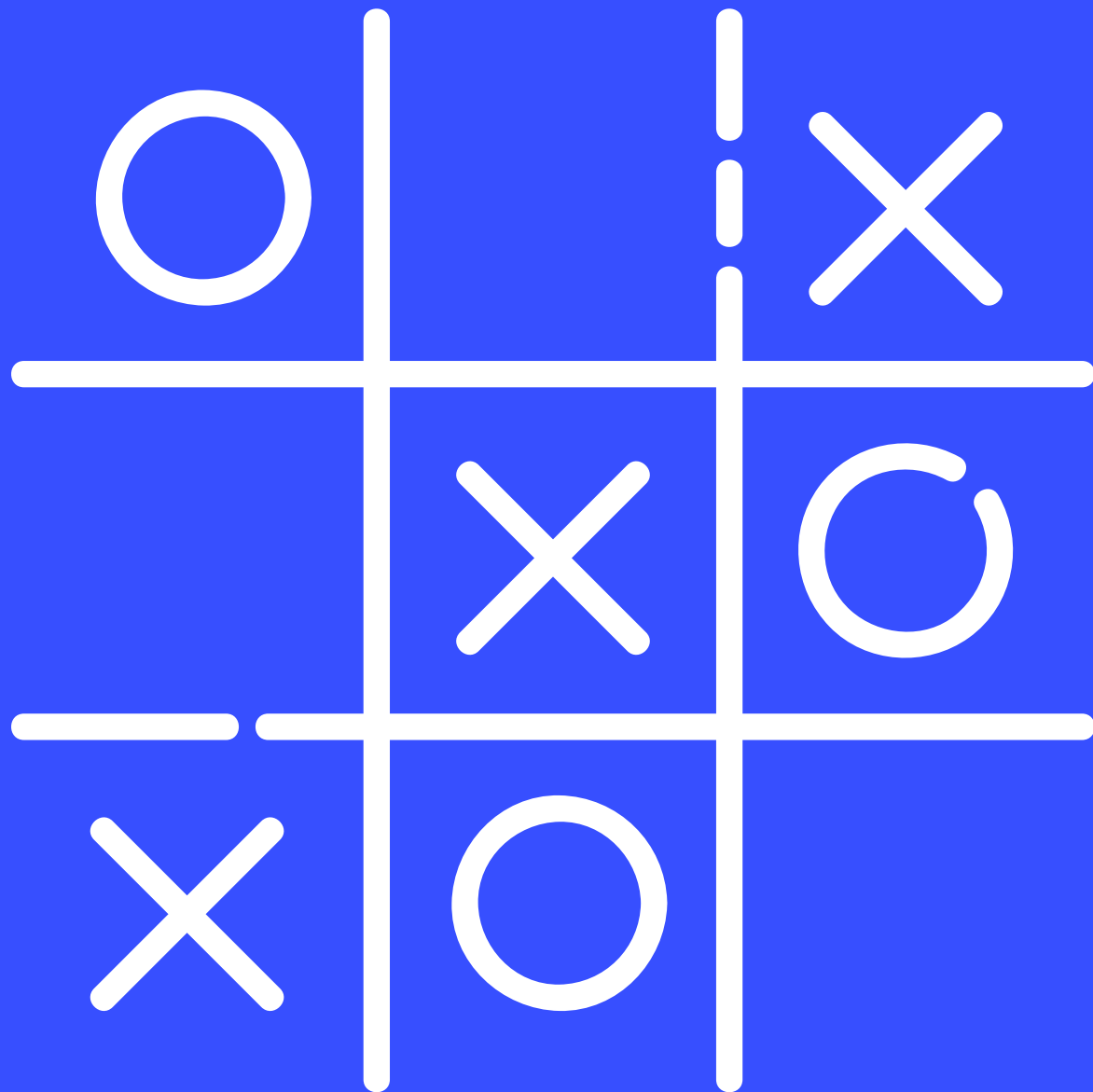


```
const colors = [  
  ['red', 'crimson'],  
  ['orange', 'dark orange'],  
  ['yellow', 'golden rod'],  
  ['green', 'olive'],  
  ['blue', 'navy blue'],  
  ['purple', 'orchid']  
]
```



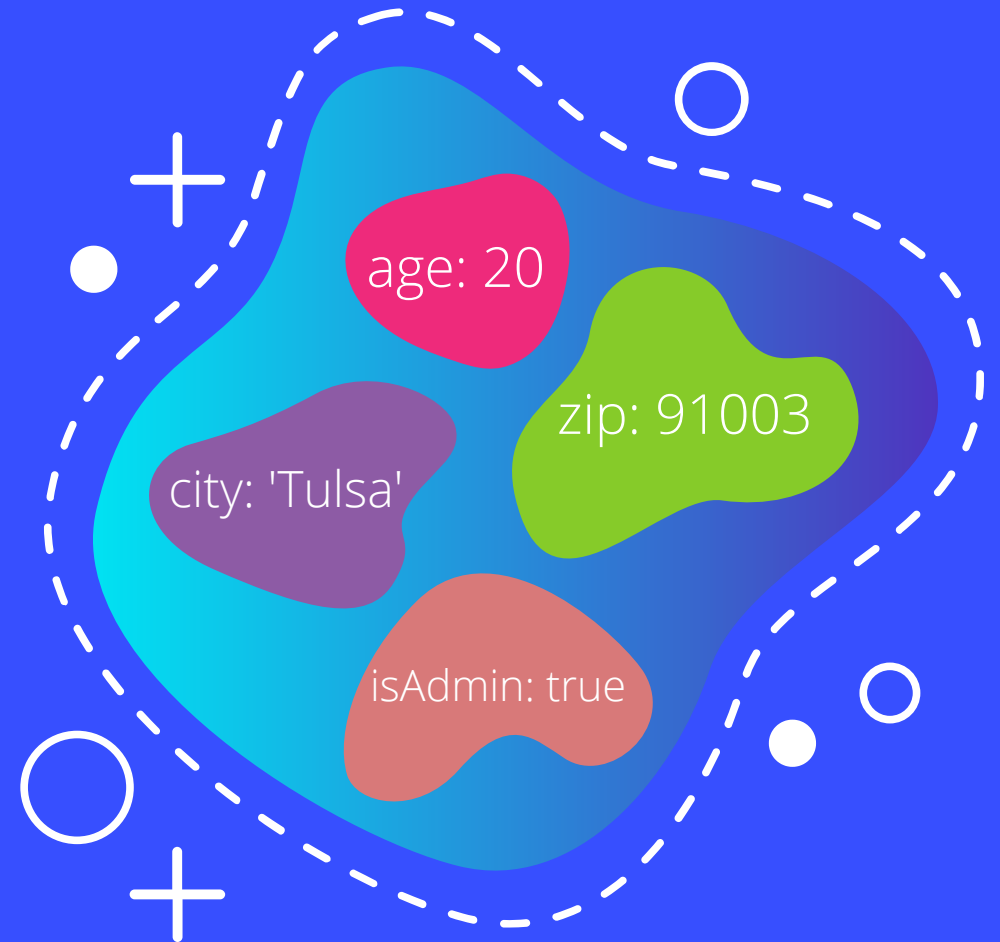
# NESTED ARRAYS

```
const board = [  
  ['0', null, 'X'],  
  [null, 'X', '0'],  
  ['X', '0', null]  
]
```



# OBJECTS

- Objects are collections of properties.
- Properties are a key-value pair
- Rather than accessing data using an index, we use custom keys.



# HOW WOULD YOU STORE THIS?



# AN OBJECT!

```
const fitBitData = {
  totalSteps      : 308727,
  totalMiles      : 211.7,
  avgCalorieBurn  : 5755,
  workoutsThisWeek : '5 of 7',
  avgGoodSleep    : '2:13'
};
```

PROPERTY =  
KEY  
+  
VALUE



# KEY-VALUE PAIRS

username: → 'crazyCatLady'

upvotes: → 7

text → 'great post!'



# DICTIONARY



# ALL TYPES WELCOME!

```
let comment = {  
  username      : 'sillyGoose420',  
  downVotes     : 19,  
  upVotes       : 214,  
  netScore      : 195,  
  commentText   : 'Tastes like chicken lol',  
  tags: ['#hilarious', '#funny', '#silly'],  
  isGilded: false  
};
```



# VALID KEYS

All keys are  
converted to  
strings \*



\* Except for Symbols, which we haven't covered yet

# ACCESSING DATA



```
const palette = {  
  red: '#eb4d4b',  
  yellow: '#f9ca24',  
  blue: '#30336b'  
}
```



```
palette.red //"#eb4d4b"
```

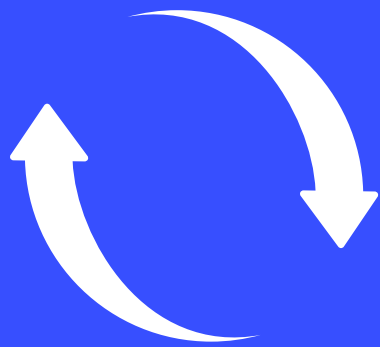


```
palette['blue'] //"#30336b"
```



```
let color = 'yellow';  
palette[color] //"#f9ca24"
```

# UPDATING & ADDING PROPERTIES



```
const fitBitData = {
  totalSteps      : 308727,
  totalMiles      : 211.7,
  avgCalorieBurn  : 5755,
  workoutsThisWeek : '5 of 7',
  avgGoodSleep    : '2:13'
};
//Updating properties:
fitBitData.workoutsThisWeek = '6 of 7';
fitBitData.totalMiles += 7.5;

//Adding a new property
fitBitData.heartStillBeating = true;
```

# ARRAYS + OBJECTS

```
const shoppingCart = [  
  {  
    product: 'Jenga Classic',  
    price: 6.88,  
    quantity: 1,  
  },  
  {  
    product: 'Echo Dot',  
    price: 29.99,  
    quantity: 3  
  },  
  {  
    product: 'Fire Stick',  
    price: 39.99,  
    quantity: 2  
  }  
]
```

```
const student = {  
  firstName: 'David',  
  lastName: 'Jones',  
  strengths: ['Music', 'Art'],  
  exams: {  
    midterm: 92,  
    final: 88  
  }  
}
```





# CHECKING FOR ARRAY & OBJECT EQUALITY