

Booleans, Checks and if's. — Chapter 5 in Book.

Often in your code you want to check if something is True or False before doing something else.

Wordle inputs:

To play wordle you input a 5 letter word.
BUT before checking if you got it right your code might want to check if it's 5 letters.

one equals defines a variable.
my_word = "cat"
length_of_word = len(my_word)

Print(length_of_word == 5)

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FALSE.
two equals checks the condition.

The two things have to match EXACTLY.

name = "Joanna"
name == "joanna" → False.

Other Comparisons:

==	is equal
!=	is not equal
<	less than
>	greater than
<=	less than or equal
>=	greater than or equal.

AND	—	checks TWO (all) True
OR	—	checks at least ONE True.

Say we are looking for an age range:
between 15 and 30

2.

age = 21
age $\geq$ 15 and age $\leq$ 30

TRUE

age < 15 or age > 30

what does this test?

Tests if age is OUTSIDE THE RANGE
result? FALSE.

OTHER FUNCTIONS — can return True or False.

my_names = ["Joanna", "Ross", "Joanna", "Bongos"]

"Joanna" in my_names True

"Bella" in my_names False

"ross" in my_names False

has to be exact!!

Sometimes we want to set variables to a boolean value.

can_edit = False so throughout the program
you can check this.

If statements check to see if something is True before running the code.

if <conditional test>:
do stuff.

Indentation just
like for loops.

Guess my word:

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my_word = "cat"
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your_guess = "dog"
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if my_word == your_guess:  
    print("You Win")
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But shouldn't we print something if you lose?

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my_word = "cat"
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your_guess = "dog"
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if my_word == your_guess:  
    print("You Win")
```

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else:
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    print("Try again")
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