

# Sams Teach Yourself Object Oriented Programming in 21 Days

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Misprint	Correction
<p>Page 61, paragraph after "Problem Statement"</p> <p>Use the poker card description design classes to represent the cards, the deck of cards, and the dealer.</p>	<p>Use the poker card description <b>to</b> design classes to represent the cards, the deck of cards, and the dealer.</p>
<p>Page 121, first line of Listing 5.12</p> <pre>public class Stack <b>extends</b> {</pre>	<pre>public class Stack <b>extends Vector</b> {</pre>
<p>Page 129, last sentence of the page, which runs over to the top of page 130:</p> <p>So if you pass in an ExtrovertedObject, polymorphism will ensure that ExtrovertedObject's definition of speak() gets called, not the one found in <b>the base class</b>.</p>	<p>So if you pass in an ExtrovertedObject, polymorphism will ensure that ExtrovertedObject's definition of speak() gets called, not the one found in <b>PersonalityObject</b>.</p>
<p>Page 131, first paragraph after the code at top of page:</p> <p>Substitutability allows you to pass any PersonalityObject to the method, and polymorphism ensures that the proper method is called on the instance. Polymorphism will call the method based on the instance's true type (PersonalityObject, OptimisticObject, IntrovertedObject, ExtrovertedObject, or PessimisticObject), no on the instance's apparent type (PersonalityObject).</p>	<p>Substitutability allows you to pass any PersonalityObject to the method, and polymorphism ensures that the proper method is called on the instance. Polymorphism will call the method based on the instance's true type (PersonalityObject, OptimisticObject, IntrovertedObject, ExtrovertedObject, or PessimisticObject), no on the instance's apparent type (PersonalityObject). <b>Remember, polymorphism uses an automatic mechanism to pick the right code.</b></p>
<p>Page 133, code at top of page:</p> <pre>     }      protected void log( String message, String level, String time ) {         pw.println( level + ": " + time + ": "+ message );         pw.flush();     }      public void close() {</pre>	<pre>     }      protected void log( String message, String level, String time ) {         pw.println( level + ": " + time + ": "+ message );         pw.flush();     }      public void close() {</pre>

<pre>         pw.close();     }      public class ScreenLog extends BaseLog {         protected void log( String message, String level, String time ) {             System.out.println( level + ": " + time + ": " + message );         }     } </pre>	<pre>         pw.close();     }      }     public class ScreenLog extends BaseLog {         protected void log( String message, String level, String time ) {             System.out.println( level + ": " + time + ": " + message );         }     } </pre>
<p>Page 170, third paragraph up from the bottom:</p> <p>Conditionals are contrary to the concepts of OO. In OO you're not supposed to ask an object for its data and then do something to that data. Instead, you're supposed to ask an object to do something to its data. In the case of the <code>day_of_the_week()</code> method you probably obtain <code>day</code> from some object. You shouldn't be processing raw data. Instead, you should ask the object <b>for a string representation</b>. Conditionals force you to muddle responsibilities. Each place that uses the data will have to apply the same conditional logic.</p>	<p>Conditionals are contrary to the concepts of OO. In OO you're not supposed to ask an object for its data and then do something to that data. Instead, you're supposed to ask an object to do something to its data. In the case of the <code>day_of_the_week()</code> method you probably obtain <code>day</code> from some object. You shouldn't be processing raw data. Instead, you should ask the object <b>to print itself to the screen or to return a string representation of itself. Leave it to the object to figure out what its string representation should be</b>. Conditionals force you to muddle responsibilities. Each place that uses the data will have to apply the same conditional logic.</p>
<p>Page 239, Figures 10.5 and 10.6, right columns:</p> <p>ShippingInformation  <b>ShippingCart</b>  Order  OrderDisplay</p>	<p>ShippingInformation  <b>ShoppingCart</b>  Order  OrderDisplay</p>
<p>Page 240, Figure 10.8, right column</p> <p>RegisteredUser  <b>ShippingCart</b>  Order</p>	<p>RegisteredUser  <b>ShoppingCart</b>  Order</p>

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