# CompSci 94 Scope and Debugging November 3, 2020



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#### Announcements

- All classwork needs to be checked off by 11/16.
- Classwork from Thursday Oct 29 can be checked off on Nov. 12.
- Assignment 6
  - Due 11/12
- Exam 2 in one week

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#### Exam 2

- Covers topics through last week.
- How to study:
  - Look at old Exam 2's (on resource tab)
  - Look at classworks, lecture notes, videos
  - Try to rewrite code by typing it into a plain text file
- We will review next class

### Class Today

- Scope for variables
- Debugging

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#### Scope for variables

- Variables are only known within the block they are defined in.
- A block could be, for example,
  - A do in order
  - The body of an if or else
  - The body of a loop

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What is the scope of count? someRandom?

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do in order

WholeNumber count for each (Pig) onePig in this pig reach (Pig) onePig in this p
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## Debugging

- What do you do when your program doesn't work?
  - Add say statements until you can determine where the code does not work
    - Say "here" to see if code up to this point is executed
    - Then move it to another place
    - Say the value of a variable or property to see if it is what you think it is.

#### Classwork today

Debugging



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