Reading Javadocs

- Learn what already written programs can do
  - Common practice to document code such that it can be reused

- On left panel, click on the class you want to the information on

- The large "main" panel on the right will display the documentation for that class
  - Class' Interface: the public face that it shows the world
    - E.g. If class models an object, then javadoc tells user how you create objects and tell them to something

Class' Interface

- Interface provides information on the following:
  - Field Summary
    - Has information about public variables (e.g. instance)
  - Constructor and Method summaries
    - Describe the public constructors and methods
  - Method Detail
    - Provides detail on method inputs (parameter(s)) and output (return type) and some extra details

- Note: private variables and methods are not a part of its interface
  - As they are to be known publicly

For Today

- Concentrate on the Constructor and Method Summary
  - Learn how to read them

- Note: There is program to generate javadocs
  - More on it later