

1. **Arrays** contain objects and supply either a **Reference(pointer)** or **Dereference(Value)**
  - A. Subscripts begin at 0: `y = array[0];`
  - B. Array with **subscript** is a **Value**: `y = array[3];`
  - C. Array **name only** is a **Reference** (pointer): `py = array`
2. **Functions**:
  - A. A function has four parts: return data type, name, parameter data types and names, code
  - B. Functions called by **value** present a *copy* to the function.
  - C. Functions called by **reference**, a **pointer** (address) sent to the function.
  - D. **Declare the function – Function prototype**
    1. **Return data type** is specified for function name
    2. Call by **Value**: variable
 

```
int foo( int x ); // called with a copy of an integer value
```
    3. Call by **Reference (pointer)**: - pointer or array name
 

```
int foo( int* apples); // called with a pointer to an integer
int foo( int apples[] ); // called with a pointer to array first element
int foo( int apples[25] ); // called with a pointer to array first element
.....
int foo( char* str ); //called with a character pointer
int foo( char str[] ); //called with a character pointer
int foo( char str[80] ); //called with a character pointer
```
  - E. **Call the function** – Within the program code
    1. By **Value**: - variable
 

```
1. y = foo (x); // call child with copy of value of integer x
```
    2. By **Reference (pointer)**: - array
 

```
1. status = foo( str ); // call with pointer to char array (string) (see A.3 above)
2. status = foo( apples ); // call with pointer to integer array apples (see A.3 above)
```
  - F. **Define the function** – the actual function code
    1. **Same as the function prototype** but with braces and code
 

```
int foo( char* str ) // call by reference (pointer)
{
    code block of function
}
```
3. **Strings** in 'C' language are arrays of characters
  - A. Data type **char** is used for characters
  - B. A string is an array of characters with *newline* (binary zero) as the last character.
  - C. The compiler treats characters within quotes as a string
  - D. Examples:
    - 1 `char str[80]="Hello World"; // declare a fixed dimension character array (string)`  
`printf (str); // called by Reference - pointer to a string`
    - 2 // compiler autodimension array with initialization declaration  
`char srg[]="This is an example\n"; // 18 chars + newline`  
`printf (srg); // called by Reference - pointer to a string`
    - 3 // in printf, string stored in memory by compiler with printf called by **Reference**  
`printf ("This is an example \n"); // called by Reference - pointer to a string`
4. **Pointer Operators**:
  - A. **Declare** a pointer using '\*': `int* ptrToMyValue;`
  - B. **Dereference** the pointer – get the value at that address: `int A = *ptrToMyValue`
  - C. Address of: '&': get a **reference** pointer - point to the value address: `ptrToMyValue = &A;`
5. **Change a Parent variable value**: Call by Reference (*pointer*) to modify a single variable
  - A. **Declaration**:
    1. `int foo (int *x); // Call by Reference`
    2. `int x;`
  - B. **Call** in parent code:
    3. `y = foo( &x ); // Call with pointer`
  - C. **Function definition**:
    4. `int foo (int *x); // Call by reference`
    5. `{`
    6. `int tmp;`
    7. `tmp = *x //get contents of x;`
    8. `*x += 5; // change contents of x;`
    9. `return tmp; // return original value of x;`
    10. `}`