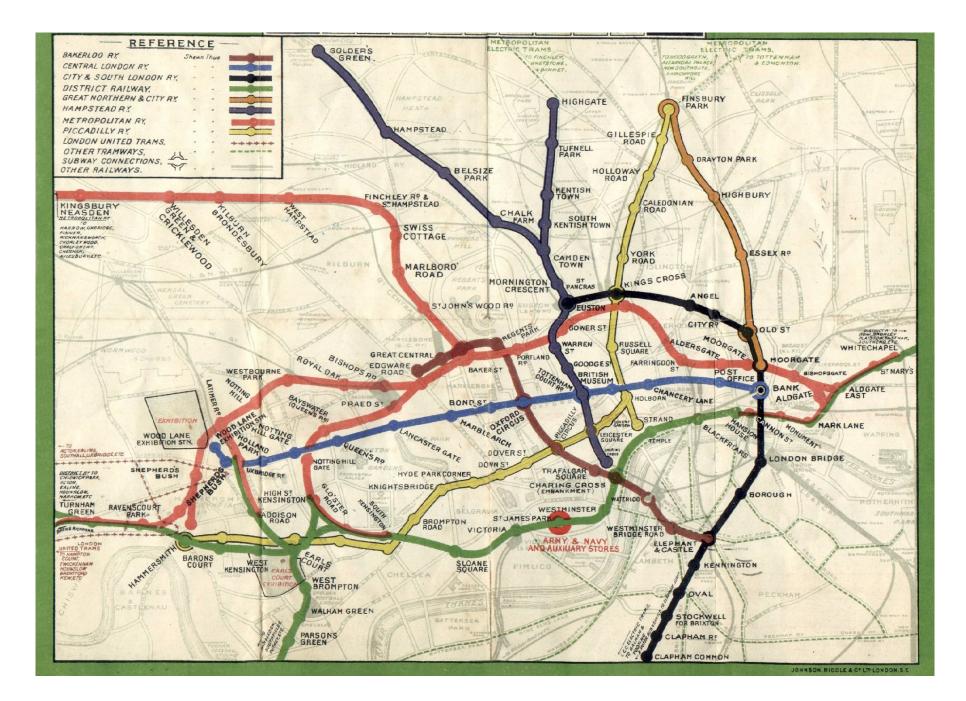
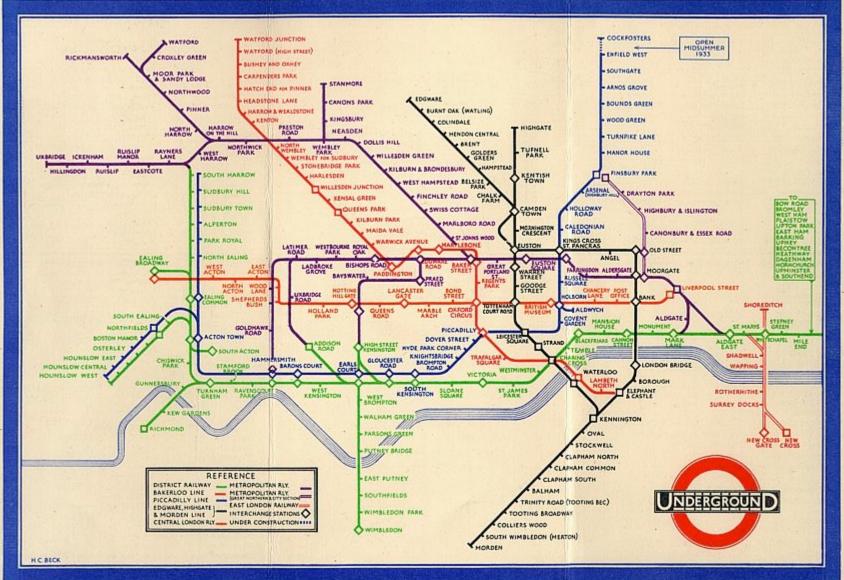
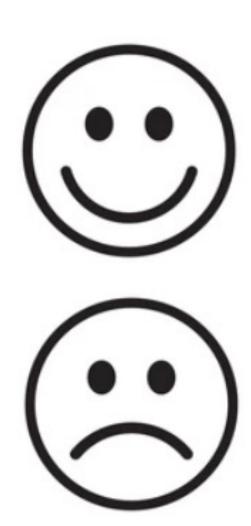
# **Creating Classes**





# **Abstraction**

 Abstraction is the process of capturing only those ideas about a concept that are relevant to the current situation.



# **Abstraction**

- Control abstraction: Giving function names to sections of code that then "stand" for that code.
- When we call a function, the user of the function (usually) doesn't care how the function works, they just care that it does work.
  - To a user, the only relevant part is that the function does what it promises to do.

# **Abstraction**

 Data abstraction: Choosing to represent a concept by certain features and ignoring others.





# Classes

 The point of a class is to combine data abstractions with appropriate control abstractions (functions), resulting in one entity that has *state* (instance variables) and associated *behaviors* (methods).