Length of the Longest Word

Background: The challenge is to determine the length of the longest word in a string.

Challenge: freeCodeCamp - Basic Algorithm Scripting 4

Resources: MDN Web Docs, w3Schools and freeCodeCamp

Notes: The code below is intended to be informational and is not meant to be the only way to write a function that determines the longest substring. In addition to the function below, I employed other functions and methods to set conditions and facilitate user interaction.

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function findLongestWordLength(str) {
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// convert the string to an array, considering if one or more words are present
let strArr = str.split(" ");
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// get the length of the array
let longestWordLength = 0;
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//using a for loop, check each word, i, in the array
for (let i = 0; i < strArr.length; i++){
    //if a word in the array is longer than the current longest word
    if(strArr[i].length > longestWordLength) {
        // the length of that word becomes the longest length
        longestWordLength = strArr[i].length;
    }
} // Output: the length of the longest word
return longestWordLength;
}
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// TESTING THE FUNCTION
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console.log(findLongestWordLength("Why is the world am I doing this?")); // 5
console.log(findLongestWordLength("May the force be with you")); // 5
console.log(findLongestWordLength("Google do a barrel roll")); // 6
console.log(findLongestWordLength("Javascript reigns supreme!")) ; // 10
console.log(findLongestWordLength("I am so interested in this topic")); // 10
```