

Aim : Create debug and run java program based on threads by extending thread class

Theory:

Extending Thread class

- The class should extends Java Thread class.
- The class should override the run() method.
- The functionality that is expected by the Thread to be executed is written in the run() method.

void start(): creates a new thread and makes it runnable

void run(): The new thread and begins its life inside this method.

Method Name	Functionality
sleep(long)	Suspends execution for the specified amount of time
sleep(long, int)	Suspends execution for the specified amount of time

**activeCount():** Return the number of threads active currently

**start():** Create new branch (thread) and invokes the corresponding run() method.

**run():** Actual code of the Thread is written here by us (programmer) in our thread class. The run() method in Thread classes is just a dummy method and we override it in our class.

**Conclusion:** Hence, we successfully create, debug and run Java program based on thread by extending thread class.



Program :-

```
class ChildThread extends Thread {
    ChildThread (String s) {
        setName (s);
        start ();
    }
```

```
    public void run () {
        String child = getName ();
        System.out.println ("Thread Name : " + child);
        try {
            for (int i = 5; i > 0; i--) {
                System.out.println ("child : " + child + " -> " + i);
                sleep (500);
            }
        } catch (Exception e) {}
        System.out.println ("Child thread exiting ---");
    }
}
```

```
class practical6 {
    public static void main (String args []) {
        Thread t = Thread.currentThread ();
        System.out.println (t);
        ChildThread one = new ChildThread ("one");
        ChildThread two = new ChildThread ("Two");
    }
}
```

```
try {
    for (int i=5 ; i>0 ; i--) {
        System.out.println("Thread : " + t.getName() + " " + i);
        t.sleep(1000);
    }
} catch (Exception e) { }
System.out.println("Main Thread exiting ---");
}
```



```
C:\Users\Public\Java>javac practical16.java
```

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```

```
Thread[main,5,main]
```

```
Thread Name :One
```

```
Child :One->5
```

```
Thread Name :Two
```

```
Child :Two->5
```

```
Thread : main 5
```

```
Child :One->4
```

```
Child :Two->4
```

```
Thread : main 4
```

```
Child :One->3
```

```
Child :Two->3
```

```
Child :Two->2
```

```
Child :One->2
```

```
Thread : main 3
```

```
Child :One->1
```

```
Child :Two->1
```