

Lab 1

1. Starting Code: fork_tb.c

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <sys/types.h>
#include <sys/wait.h>

int main(){

    pid_t pid;

    /* fork a child process */
    pid = fork();

    if (pid < 0){ /* error occurred */
        fprintf(stderr, "Fork Failed");
        return 1;
    }else if (pid == 0) { /* child processs */
        execlp("/bin/ls", "ls", NULL);
    }else { /* parent process */
        /* parent will wait for the child to complete */
        wait(NULL);
        printf("Child Complete\n");
    }

    return 0;
}
```

Execution:

```
gcc fork_tb.c -o fork
./fork
```

Output: (it depends on your directory files)

```
fork  forkQ1  forkQ2      forkQ3  forkstart      fork_tb.c  prac  simpleshell  text.c
fork.c  forkQ1.c  forkQ2.c  forkQ3.c  forkstart.c  linuxSched.c  prac1.c  simpleshell.c  text.txt
Child Complete ← Must be printed after executing the 'ls'
```

2. Lab Practices

- What does it happen if there is no the '*wait*(NULL)'?
- How to execute "ls -l" using the '*execlp*'?
- Test using *execl*(), *execv*() and *execvp*() using linux manuals.
- Test using *waitpid*() instead of *wait*().
- Test *getpid*() and *getppid*().

3. Lab Assignment: Submission date on the moodle (31/1, Friday 11 am) and Online Grading (31/1, 1 pm during lecture session or using the submitted files)

- Complete the below **simple_shell.c** file, which is a very simple shell that only handles **single word commands (no arguments)**; type "quit" to stop the program. (NOTE: don't have to support multi-word commands).
- And test your program using the output.

```
#include <stdio.h>      #include <unistd.h>      #include <sys/types.h>
#include <sys/wait.h>    #include <stdlib.h>      #include <string.h>

#define CMDLEN 80

int main(){
    int pid;  int status;
    char command[CMDLEN];

    printf("Program begins\n");
    for(;;){
        // user input
        printf("Please enter a command: ");
        TODO1: user input command preparation using fgets()
        if (strcmp(command, "quit") == 0) break;

        pid = fork();

        if (pid < 0){ // fork error

        } else if (pid > 0){ // parent
            TODO2: print pid of Child and the status (0 means okay)
        } else { // child
            TODO3: print received command and execute the command.
        }
    }
    return 0;
}
```

Output : (Example, the results depends on your machine)

```
jurn@ZBookG4:~/work/cs332/process$ ./simpleshell
```

Program begins

Please enter a command: ls

(received ls)

```
fork  forkQ1  forkQ2      forkQ3  forkstart      fork_tb.c  prac  simpleshell  text.c
```

```
fork.c  forkQ1.c  forkQ2.c  forkQ3.c  forkstart.c  linuxSched.c  prac1.c  simpleshell.c  text.txt
```

```
child pid=17276, parent pid=17275 (parent ppid =5833), status=0
```

----- (just separation, don't have to print this line)

Please enter a command: pwd

(received pwd)

```
/home/jurn/work/cs332/process
```

```
child pid=17277, parent pid=17275 (parent ppid =5833), status=0
```

Please enter a command: whoami

(received whoami)

```
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```

```
child pid=17278, parent pid=17275 (parent ppid =5833), status=0
```

Please enter a command: quit

```
jurn@ZBookG4:~/work/cs332/process$
```